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2 An act relating to Vermont's adoption of the Social Work Licensure  
3 Compact

4 The Senate proposes to the House to amend the bill as follows:

5 By adding a new Sec. 3 and a Sec. 4 after the existing Sec. 2 to read as  
6 follows:

7 Sec. 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT; EMERGENCY HOUSING ELIGIBILITY

8 DOCUMENTATION

9 It is the intent of the General Assembly that in fiscal year 2024  
10 documentation of a qualifying disability or health condition pursuant to 2024  
11 Acts and Resolves No. 87, Sec. 89(b) shall require the certification of a health  
12 care provider as defined in 18 V.S.A. § 9481.

13 Sec. 4. 2024 Acts and Resolves No. 87, Sec. 89(b) is amended to read:

14 (b) A household that is otherwise eligible for temporary emergency  
15 housing pursuant to subsection (a) of this section, but for the inability to  
16 qualify for or document receipt of SSI or SSDI, may use ~~the Department's~~  
17 ~~Emergency Housing Disability Variance Request Form~~ a form developed by  
18 the Department as a means of documenting a qualifying disability or health  
19 condition that requires:

20 (1) the applicant's name, date of birth, and the last four digits of the  
21 applicant's social security number;

- 1           (2) a description of the applicant’s disability or health condition;  
2           (3) a description of the risk posed to the applicant’s health, safety, or  
3 welfare if temporary emergency housing is not authorized pursuant to this  
4 section; and  
5           (4) a certification of a health care provider, as defined in 18 V.S.A.  
6 § 9481, that includes the provider’s credentials, credential number, address,  
7 and phone number.  
8 and by renumbering the remaining section to be numerically correct.