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SHORT FORM

Introduced by Representative Kleppner of Burlington

Referred to Committee on

Date:

Subject: Negligent operation of motor vehicles; citation by law enforcement

officer; accident resulting in death of a vulnerable user

Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to require a law enforcement officer to issue a citation for negligent operation of a motor vehicle if (1) the operator is involved in an accident that is not witnessed by the officer and that results in the death of a vulnerable user, such as a pedestrian or a bicyclist; or (2) the operator is involved in an accident that is witnessed by the officer and that results in the death of a vulnerable user, unless the operator could not reasonably have avoided the accident.

An act relating to citation of operators for motor vehicle accidents resulting in death of a vulnerable user

It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

(TEXT OMITTED IN SHORT-FORM BILLS)