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H. 78

An act relating to the use of the Australian ballot system in local elections

Favorable with Amendment

H. 27

An act relating to the Domestic Violence Fatality Review Commission

Rep. Rachelson of Burlington, for the Committee on Judiciary, recommends the bill be amended as follows:

In Sec. 1, 15 V.S.A. § 1140, in subsection (b), in the second sentence, by striking out “22” and inserting in lieu thereof “23”, and by striking out subdivisions (21) and (22) in their entireties and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

(21) the Executive Director of the Vermont Center for Crime Victim Services or designee;

(22) a State’s Attorney victim advocate, appointed by the Executive Director of the Department of State’s Attorneys and Sheriffs; and

(23) the Director of Victim Services for the Department of Corrections or designee.

(Committee Vote: 10-0-1)

Favorable

H. 35

An act relating to unmerging the individual and small group health insurance markets

Rep. Demar of Enosburgh, for the Committee on Health Care, recommends the bill ought to pass.

(Committee Vote: 11-0-0)

For Informational Purposes

CROSSOVER DATES

The Joint Rules Committee established the following crossover dates:

(1) All **Senate/House** bills must be reported out of the last committee of reference (including the Committees on Appropriations and Finance/Ways and Means, except as provided below in (2) and the exceptions listed below) on or before **Friday, March 14, 2025**, and filed with the Secretary/Clerk so they may be placed on the Calendar for Notice the next legislative day – Committee bills must be voted out of Committee by **Friday, March 14, 2025**.

(2) All **Senate/House** bills referred pursuant to Senate Rule 31 or House Rule 35(a) to the Committees on Appropriations and Finance/Ways and Means must be reported out by the last of those committees on or before **Friday, March 21, 2025**, and filed with the Secretary/Clerk so they may be placed on the Calendar for Notice the next legislative day.

Exceptions to the foregoing deadlines include the major money bills (the general Appropriations bill (“The Big Bill”), the Transportation Capital bill, the Capital Construction bill, and the Fee/Revenue bills).