

1 TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

2 The Committee on Appropriations to which was referred Senate Bill No.
3 122 entitled “An act relating to economic and workforce development”
4 respectfully reports that it has considered the same and recommends that the
5 report of the Committee on Commerce and Economic Development be
6 amended as follows:

7 First: In Sec. 1, expanding services for small businesses, by striking out
8 subsection (c) in its entirety.

9 Second: In Sec. 3, task force to explore development of convention center
10 and performance venue, by striking out subsection (g) in its entirety and
11 inserting in lieu thereof a new subsection (g) to read as follows:

12 (g) Reimbursement.

13 (1) For attendance at meetings during adjournment of the General
14 Assembly, a legislative member of the Task Force serving in the member’s
15 capacity as a legislator shall be entitled to per diem compensation and
16 reimbursement of expenses pursuant to 2 V.S.A. § 23 for not more than six
17 meetings. These payments shall be made from monies appropriated to the
18 General Assembly.

19 (2) Other members of the Task Force shall be entitled to reimbursement
20 of expenses as permitted under 32 V.S.A. § 1010 for not more than six

1 meetings. These payments shall be made from monies appropriated to the
2 Agency of Commerce and Community Development.

3 Third: In Sec. 4, 9 V.S.A. chapter 111B, in section 4129, by inserting a
4 new subsection to be subsection (h) to read as follows:

5 (h) Members of the Commission shall not receive compensation or be
6 entitled to reimbursement of expenses by the State of Vermont for their service
7 on the Commission.

8 Fourth: In Sec. 8, Baby Bonds Pilot Program, in subsection (b), following
9 “shall submit a report to”, by striking out “the Senate Committee on Economic
10 Development, Housing and General Affairs and the House Committee on
11 Commerce and Economic Development” and inserting in lieu thereof the
12 following:

13 “the Senate Committees on Economic Development, Housing and General
14 Affairs and on Appropriations and the House Committees on Commerce and
15 Economic Development and on Appropriations”

16 Fifth: In Sec. 8, Baby Bonds Pilot Program, in subsection (c), following
17 “shall submit a report to”, by striking out “the Senate Committee on Economic
18 Development, Housing and General Affairs and the House Committee on
19 Commerce and Economic Development” and inserting in lieu thereof the
20 following:

1 “the Senate Committees on Economic Development, Housing and General
2 Affairs and on Appropriations and the House Committees on Commerce and
3 Economic Development and on Appropriations”

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6 (Committee vote: _____)

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Representative _____

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FOR THE COMMITTEE