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2	Representative Black of Essex moves to amend the report of the Committee
3	on Health Care by striking out the first instance of amendment in its entirety
4	and inserting in lieu thereof a new first instance of amendment as follows:
5	First: By striking out Sec. 1, 8 V.S.A. § 4062, in its entirety and inserting in
6	lieu thereof a new Sec. 1 to read as follows:
7	Sec. 1. 8 V.S.A. § 4062 is amended to read:
8	§ 4062. FILING AND APPROVAL OF POLICY FORMS AND PREMIUMS
9	* * *
10	(c)(1) The Board shall provide information to the public on the Board's
11	website about the public availability of the filings and summaries required
12	under this section.
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14	(3)(A) In addition to the public comment provisions set forth in this
15	subsection (c), the Office of the Health Care Advocate established in 18 V.S.A.
16	chapter 229, acting on behalf of health insurance consumers in this State, may,
17	within 30 calendar days after the Board receives an insurer's rate request
18	pursuant to this section, submit to the Board, in writing, suggested questions
19	regarding with a substantial relationship to the rate filing for and review
20	criteria that the Board to provide to shall ask the insurer, either directly or
21	through its contracting actuary, if any.

1	(B) The Office of the Health Care Advocate may also submit to the
2	Board written comments on an insurer's rate request. The Board shall post the
3	comments on its website and shall consider the comments prior to issuing its
4	decision.
5	(d)(1) No later than 60 calendar days after receiving an insurer's rate
6	request pursuant to this section, the Green Mountain Care Board shall make
7	available to the public the insurer's rate filing, the Department's analysis and
8	opinion of the effect of the proposed rate on the insurer's solvency, and the
9	analysis and opinion of the rate filing by the Board's contracting actuary, if
10	any.
11	(2) The Board shall post on its website, after redacting any confidential
12	or proprietary information relating to the insurer or to the insurer's rate filing:
13	(A) all questions the Board poses to its contracting actuary, if any,
14	and the actuary's responses to the Board's questions; and
15	(B) all questions the Board, the Board's contracting actuary, if any,
16	or the Department poses to the insurer and the insurer's responses to those
17	questions The Green Mountain Care Board shall post on its website or
18	otherwise make available to the public through a file-sharing platform all
19	materials in the record of a rate review proceeding after redacting any
20	information or other material that the Board determines to be confidential or
21	otherwise subject to protection from disclosure by law.

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