



STATE OF VERMONT
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON RULES

MEETING MINUTES
Thursday, April 3, 2025 at 4:00 p.m.
Speaker’s Office · See [agenda](#)¹ and [livestream](#)²

Members present: Speaker Jill Krowinski, *Chair*
Rep. Lori Houghton, *Vice Chair*
Rep. Karen Dolan [*remote HRC day #1/3 via [H.R.5](#)*]
Rep. John L. Bartholomew
Rep. Patricia McCoy
Rep. Casey Toof
Rep. Martha “Marty” Feltus

Others present: Rep. Martin LaLonde
Conor Kennedy, Chief of Staff, Office of Speaker
Molly Moore, Aide to the Speaker, Office of Speaker
Theresa Utton-Jerman, House Journal Clerk [*remote*]
BetsyAnn Wrask, Clerk of the House

H.R.6 (House Rules; House Ethics Panel; disclosures). Rep. Martin LaLonde, lead sponsor of [2025, H.R.6](#) and Chair of the House Ethics Panel, provided an introduction to this House resolution—which would amend the House’s ethics rule regarding House Ethics Panel disclosures—and answered questions from the Committee.

The Clerk provided an overview of [this document](#),³ which provides cross-references to other State regulatory entities’ confidentiality and disclosure provisions that are relevant to H.R.6, as well as [this annotated version of H.R.6](#),⁴ which provides

¹ <https://legislature.vermont.gov/committee/agenda/2026/1458>

² <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MTpw0vcTol0>

³ <https://legislature.vermont.gov/Documents/2026/Workgroups/House%20Rules/Dates%20and%20Other%20Information/W~BetsyAnn%20Wrask,%20House%20Clerk~2025%20H.R.%206%20Cross-References~4-3-2025.pdf>

⁴ <https://legislature.vermont.gov/Documents/2026/Workgroups/House%20Rules/Dates%20and%20Other%20Information/W~BetsyAnn%20Wrask,%20House%20Clerk~2025%20H.R.%206%20ANNOTATED~4-3-2025.pdf>

hyperlinked cross-references to the new disclosure provisions proposed in H.R.6, and answered questions from the Committee.

On motion of Rep. Houghton, the Committee unanimously voted to report the resolution favorably (7-0-0). Rep. Dolan voted remotely (day 1/3) pursuant to [H.R.5](#). Rep. Bartholomew will report the resolution.

The Speaker adjourned the Committee at 4:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

BetsyAnn Wrask

BetsyAnn Wrask, Clerk of the House