1	H.240
2	Introduced by Committee on Ways and Means
3	Date:
4	Subject: Executive Branch fees
5	Statement of purpose: This bill proposes to adjust certain Executive Branch
6	fees.
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7	An act relating to Executive Branch fees
8	It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:
9	* * * Secretary of State * * *
10	* * * Office of Professional Regulation * * *
11	Sec. 1. 26 V.S.A. § 287 is amended to read:
12	§ 287. FEES
13	Applicants and persons regulated under this chapter shall pay the following
14	fees:
15	(1) Application:
16	(A) Barber <u>\$100.00</u> <u>\$110.00</u>
17	(B) Cosmetologist <u>\$100.00</u> <u>\$110.00</u>
18	(C) Nail technician <u>\$100.00</u> <u>\$110.00</u>
19	(D) Esthetician \$100.00 <u>\$110.00</u>
20	(E) Shop <u>\$300.00</u> <u>\$330.00</u>

1	(F) School <u>\$300.00</u> <u>\$330.00</u>
2	(2) Biennial renewal:
3	(A) Barber <u>\$120.00</u> <u>\$130.00</u>
4	(B) Cosmetologist <u>\$120.00</u> <u>\$130.00</u>
5	(C) Nail technician <u>\$120.00</u> <u>\$130.00</u>
б	(D) Esthetician <u>\$120.00</u> <u>\$130.00</u>
7	(E) Shop <u>\$200.00</u> <u>\$225.00</u>
8	(F) School \$300.00 <u>\$330.00</u>
9	(3) Reinspection \$100.00
10	* * * Corporations * * *
11	* * * Telemarketers * * *
12	Sec. 2. 9 V.S.A. § 2464b is amended to read:
13	§ 2464b. REGISTRATION OF TELEMARKETERS
14	* * *
15	(c) The Secretary of State shall collect the following fees when a document
16	described in this section is delivered to the Office of the Secretary of State for
17	<u>filing:</u>
18	(1) Registration: \$125.00.
19	(2) Statement of change of designated agent or designated office, or
20	both: \$25.00, not to exceed \$1,000.00 per filer per calendar year.

1	* * * Secured Transactions * * *
2	Sec. 3. 9A V.S.A. § 9-525 is amended to read:
3	§ 9-525. FEES
4	(a) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (e) of this section, the The
5	fee for filing and indexing a record under this part, other than an initial
6	financing statement of the kind described in section 9 502(c), is the amount
7	specified in subsection (c) of this section, if applicable, plus:
8	(1) \$25.00 if the record is communicated in writing; and
9	(2) \$25.00 if the record is communicated by another medium authorized
10	by filing office rule article is \$35.00.
11	(b) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (e) of this section, the The
12	fee for filing and indexing an initial financing statement of the kind described
13	in subsection 9-502(c) is \$6.00 per page.
14	(c) Number of names. Except as otherwise provided in subsection (e) of
15	this section, if a record is communicated in writing, the fee for each name more
16	than two required to be indexed is \$2.00.
17	(d) The fee for responding to a request for information from the filing
18	office, including for issuing a certificate showing whether there is on file any
19	financing statement naming a particular debtor, is \$20.00, and \$0.50 per page
20	for copying <u>\$25.00</u> .

1	(e)(d) This section does not require a fee with respect to a record of a
2	mortgage which is effective as a financing statement filed as a fixture filing or
3	as a financing statement covering as-extracted collateral or timber to be cut
4	under subsection 9-502(c) of this title. However, the recording and satisfaction
5	fees that otherwise would be applicable to the record of the mortgage apply.
6	* * * Trade Name Registrations * * *
7	Sec. 4. 11 V.S.A. § 1625 is amended to read:
8	§ 1625. FEES
9	(a) A person, copartnership, association, limited liability company, or
10	corporation required by the provisions of this chapter to file a return, shall, at
11	the time of filing as provided, pay a registration fee of \$50.00 to the secretary
12	of state for the benefit of the state Secretary of State.
13	(b) A person, copartnership, association, limited liability company, or
14	corporation required by the provisions of this chapter to file a certificate of
15	cessation or change of business status or an application to reserve a business
16	name shall, at the time of filing, pay a fee of \$20.00 to the secretary of state for
17	the benefit of the state Secretary of State.
18	(c) Statement of change of designated agent or designated office, or both:
19	\$25.00, not to exceed \$1,000.00 per filer per calendar year.
20	(d) The Secretary shall collect \$25.00 each time process is served on the
21	Secretary under this chapter. The party to a proceeding causing service of

1 process is entitled to recover this fee as costs if he or she prevails in the 2 proceeding. 3 Sec. 5. 11 V.S.A. § 1631 is amended to read: 4 §1631. VACANCY 5 When such an appointee dies or removes from the state, another person 6 residing in such town and having therein an office or place of business, within 7 ten days from the date of such death or removal, shall be appointed in the 8 manner hereinbefore specified, upon whom service of process may be made as 9 provided in section 1630 of this title. In case of such death or removal, or if a 10 person is not appointed as aforesaid, process against such nonresident person 11 may be served by delivering to the secretary of state Secretary of State 12 duplicate copies thereof, one of which shall be filed with the secretary of state 13 Secretary of State and the other shall be forwarded by mail prepaid by the clerk 14 to the last known residence of such person. There shall be paid to the secretary 15 of state by the officer serving such duplicate copies the sum of \$2.00. * * * Limited Liability Corporations * * * 16 17 Sec. 6. 11 V.S.A. § 3013 is amended to read: 18 § 3013. FEES 19 (a) The secretary of state Secretary of State shall collect the following fees 20 when a document described in this section is delivered to the office of the 21 secretary of state Office of the Secretary of State for filing:

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1	(1) Articles of organization	<u>\$-100.00</u> <u>\$125.00</u>
2	(2) Application for certificate of authority	100.00 <u>\$125.00</u>
3	* * *	
4	(9) Statement of change of designated agent or designated	
5	office, or both	\$20.00 <u>\$25.00,</u>
6		and not to
7		exceed
8		\$1,000.00
9		per filer per
10		calendar
11		year
12	* * *	
13	(13) Application for certificate of existence or	
14	authorization	20.00 <u>\$25.00</u>
15	* * *	
16	(15) Annual report of a domestic limited liability company	25.00 <u>\$35.00</u>
17	(16) Annual report of a foreign limited liability company	125.00 <u>\$140.00</u>
18	* * *	

1	(b) The secretary of state Secretary of State shall collect the following fees:
2	(1) $\frac{20.00}{25.00}$ each time process is served on the secretary Secretary
3	under this chapter. The party to a proceeding causing service of process is
4	entitled to recover this fee as costs if he or she prevails in the proceeding; and
5	(2) $\$1.00$ a page for copying and $\$20.00$ $\$25.00$ for the certificate
6	certifying the copy of any filed document relating to a limited liability
7	company or a foreign limited liability company.
8	* * * Partnerships * * *
9	Sec. 7. 11 V.S.A. § 3310 is amended to read:
10	§ 3310. FEES
11	(a) The secretary of state Secretary of State shall collect the following fees
12	when a document described in this section is delivered to the office of the
13	secretary of state Office of the Secretary of State for filing:
14	(1) Statement of authority 50.00 ± 125.00
15	* * *
16	(13) Statement of change of designated agent or designated office, or
17	<u>both</u> <u>\$25.00,</u>
18	not to exceed
19	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
20	per filer per
21	<u>calendar year</u>

1	(14) Application for certificate of good standing \$25.00
2	(15) Any other document permitted or required to be
3	filed by this chapter $5.00 \underline{\$20.00}$
4	(b) The secretary of state Secretary of State shall collect the following fees:
5	(1) $\$10.00$ $\$25.00$ each time process is served on the secretary Secretary
6	under this chapter. The party to a proceeding causing service of process is
7	entitled to recover this fee as costs if he or she prevails in the proceeding; and
8	(2) $\$1.00$ per page for copying and $\$5.00$ $\$25.00$ for the certificate
9	certifying the copy of any filed document related to a partnership, limited
10	liability partnership or a foreign limited liability partnership.
11	* * * Limited Partnerships * * *
12	Sec. 8. 11 V.S.A. § 3420 is amended to read:
13	§ 3420. FEES
14	(a) The secretary of state Secretary of State shall collect the following fees
15	when a document described in this section is delivered to the office of the
16	secretary of state Office of the Secretary of State for filing:
17	(1) Certificate of Limited Partnership \$50.00 \$125.00
18	(2) Registration of Foreign Limited Partnership 50.00 <u>125.00</u>
19	(3) Amendment 25.00
20	(4) Cancellation No fee
21	(5) Merger 50.00

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1	(6) <u>Statement of change of designated agent or designated office, or</u>
2	<u>both</u> <u>25.00,</u>
3	not to exceed
4	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
5	per filer per
6	<u>calendar year</u>
7	(7) Application for certificate of good standing 25.00
8	(8) Any other document permitted or required to
9	be filed by this chapter $5.00 \ \underline{20.00}$
10	(b) The secretary of state Secretary of State shall collect the following fees:
11	(1) \$10.00 \$25.00 each time process is served on the secretary Secretary
12	under this chapter. The party to a proceeding causing service of process is
13	entitled to recover this fee as costs if he or she prevails in the proceeding; and
14	(2) $\$1.00$ per page for copying and $\$5.00$ $\$25.00$ for the certificate
15	certifying the copy of any filed document related to a partnership, limited
16	liability partnership, or a foreign limited liability partnership.

1	<pre>* * * Vermont Business Corporations * * *</pre>
2	Sec. 9. 11A V.S.A. § 1.22 is amended to read:
3	§ 1.22. FILING; SERVICE AND COPYING FEES
4	(a) The secretary of state Secretary of State shall collect the following fees
5	when the documents described in this section are delivered to the office of the
6	secretary of state Office of the Secretary of State for filing:
7	(1) Articles of incorporation $\$-75.00$ $\$125.00$
8	* * *
9	(6) Statement of change of registered agents or registered office, or both
10	20.00 <u>\$25.00,</u>
11	and not to exceed
12	\$1,000.00 per filer
13	per calendar year
14	* * *
15	(13) Application for certificate of authority $100.00 \$125.00$
16	* * *
17	(16) Annual report of a foreign corporation 175.00 ± 200.00
18	(17) Annual report of a domestic corporation 35.00 ± 45.00
19	(18) Application for certificate of good standing $\frac{20.00 \$25.00}{ \$25.00}$
20	* * *

 \$25.00 each time process is served on him or her under this title. The party to a proceeding causing service of process is entitled to recover this fee as costs if he or she prevails in the proceeding. (c) The secretary of state Secretary of State shall collect the following fees a fee of \$25.00 for copying and certifying the copy of any filed document relating to a domestic or foreign corporation: (1) \$1.00 a page for copying; and (2) \$20.00 for the certificate. *** *** \$ec. 10. 11B V.S.A. § 1.22 is amended to read: § 1.22. FILING; SERVICE AND COPYING FEES The secretary of state Secretary of State shall collect the following fees
 he or she prevails in the proceeding. (c) The secretary of state Secretary of State shall collect the following fees <u>a fee of \$25.00</u> for copying and certifying the copy of any filed document relating to a domestic or foreign corporation: (1) \$1.00 a page for copying; and (2) \$20.00 for the certificate. *** *** *** \$ sec. 10. 11B V.S.A. \$ 1.22 is amended to read: \$ 1.22. FILING; SERVICE AND COPYING FEES
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 relating to a domestic or foreign corporation: (1) \$1.00 a page for copying; and (2) \$20.00 for the certificate. *** *** *** *** Nonprofit Corporations *** Sec. 10. 11B V.S.A. § 1.22 is amended to read: § 1.22. FILING; SERVICE AND COPYING FEES
 8 (1) \$1.00 a page for copying; and 9 (2) \$20.00 for the certificate. 10 *** 11 *** Nonprofit Corporations *** 12 Sec. 10. 11B V.S.A. § 1.22 is amended to read: 13 § 1.22. FILING; SERVICE AND COPYING FEES
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14 The secretary of state Secretary of State shall collect the following fees
15 when the documents described in this section are delivered to the office of the
16 secretary of state Office of the Secretary of State for filing:
17 (1) Articles of incorporation $\$75.00 \125.00
18 ***
19 (6) Change of registered agent, registered office, or both 5.00 \$25.00,
20 not to exceed

1	pe	r calendar year.
2	* * *	
3	(17) Biennial report	15.00 <u>\$20.00</u>
4	except that a corporation which certifies to the secretary of state	Secretary of
5	State, on a form approved by the secretary Secretary, that it did	not compensate
6	its officers, directors, or employees during the prior calendar ye	ar shall be
7	exempt from the fee required by this subdivision.	
8	* * *	
9	(19) Application for certificate of good standing	5.00 <u>\$25.00</u>
10	(20) Certified copy of any filed document	<u>\$25.00</u>
11	* * * Service of Process * * *	
12	Sec. 11. 12 V.S.A. § 856 is amended to read:	
13	§ 856. SERVICE OF PROCESS	
14	Service of process by virtue of section 855 of this title shall l	be made by
15	delivering to the secretary of state Secretary of State duplicate c	opies of the
16	process, with the officer's return of service thereon, and a fee of	f \$5.00 <u>\$25.00</u> ,
17	to be taxed in the plaintiff's costs if he or she prevails. The second	retary Secretary
18	shall forthwith forward one of the duplicate copies by registered	l mail prepaid
19	to the corporation at its principal place of business in the state of	r country
20	where it is incorporated, which principal place of business shall	be stated in the
21	process. The service shall be sufficient if a copy of the process.	, with the

1	officer's return thereon showing the service upon the secretary of state
2	Secretary of State, is sent by the plaintiff to the foreign corporation by
3	registered mail, and if the plaintiff's affidavit of compliance herewith is filed
4	with the process in court. The secretary Secretary shall file one of the copies
5	and endorse upon each copy the day and hour of service.
6	* * * Center for Crime Victims' Services * * *
7	Sec. 12. 13 V.S.A. § 7282 is amended to read:
8	§ 7282. SURCHARGE
9	(a) In addition to any penalty or fine imposed by the court or judicial
10	bureau for a criminal offense or any civil penalty imposed for a traffic
11	violation, including any violation of a fish and wildlife statute or regulation,
12	violation of a motor vehicle statute, or violation of any local ordinance relating
13	to the operation of a motor vehicle, except violations relating to seat belts and
14	child restraints and ordinances relating to parking violations, the clerk of the
15	court or judicial bureau shall levy an additional surcharge of:
16	* * *
17	(8)(A) For any offense or violation committed after June 30, 2006, but
18	before July 1, 2008, \$26.00, of which \$18.75 shall be deposited in the victims'
19	compensation special fund Victims' Compensation Special Fund.

1	(B) For any offense or violation committed after June 30, 2008, <u>but</u>
2	before July 1, 2009, \$36.00, of which \$28.75 shall be deposited in the victims'
3	compensation special fund Victims' Compensation Special Fund.
4	(C) For any offense or violation committed after June 30, 2009, <u>but</u>
5	before July 1, 2013, \$41.00, of which \$23.75 shall be deposited in the victims'
6	compensation special fund Victims' Compensation Special Fund created by
7	section 5359 of this title, and of which \$10.00 shall be deposited in the
8	domestic and sexual violence special fund Domestic and Sexual Violence
9	Special Fund created by section 5360 of this title.
10	(D) For any offense or violation committed after June 30, 2013,
11	\$47.00, of which \$29.75 shall be deposited in the Victims' Compensation
12	Special Fund created by section 5359 of this title, and of which \$10.00 shall be
13	deposited in the Domestic and Sexual Violence Special Fund created by
14	section 5360 of this title.
15	* * *
16	Sec. 13. REPEALS
17	The following are repealed:
18	(1) 2007 Acts and Resolves No. 40, Sec. 9 (repeal of surcharge for the
19	Crime Victims' Restitution Special Fund).

1	(2) 2007 Acts and Resolves No. 40, Sec. 13, as amended by 2011 Acts
2	and Resolves No. 55, Sec. 19 (effective date for repeal of surcharge for the
3	Crime Victims' Restitution Special Fund).
4	* * * Department of Taxes * * *
5	Sec. 14. 32 V.S.A. § 3777 is added to read:
6	<u>§ 3777. LIEN SUBORDINATION</u>
7	The Commissioner in his or her discretion may subordinate the lien
8	provided for in subsection 3757(f) of this title to a lender's mortgage interest in
9	enrolled land to the extent that the Commissioner is satisfied that the
10	landowner will maintain sufficient equity in the enrolled land to satisfy both
11	the lender and any potential land use change tax that would arise upon
12	development of the enrolled land. In order for subordination to be considered,
13	the lender must complete an application form as prescribed by the
14	Commissioner and pay a fee of \$179.00. The application shall provide all
15	information deemed necessary by the Commissioner to determine the extent to
16	which the State's lien can be subordinated to the lender's interest without
17	adversely affecting the interest of the State.

1	* * * Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets * * *
2	* * * Market Vermont * * *
3	Sec. 15. 3 V.S.A. § 2504 is amended to read:
4	§ 2504. MARKET VERMONT LOGO
5	* * *
6	(c) Persons wishing to apply for the identification logo shall be provided
7	with application forms by the secretary of the agency of commerce and
8	community development or the secretary of the agency of agriculture, food and
9	markets Secretary of the Agriculture, Food and Markets or the Secretary of
10	Commerce and Community Development. The secretary of the agency of
11	agriculture, food and markets and the secretary of the agency of commerce and
12	community development Secretary of the Agriculture, Food and Markets and
13	the Secretary of Commerce and Community Development shall establish a jury
14	process for reviewing the applications to determine if the applicant meets the
15	standards established for that particular category of goods, services, or
16	experiences. No person participating in the jury process may be held liable for
17	any decision or recommendation made about the granting or denial of the use
18	of the market Vermont logo. In the event that an application is rejected, the
19	applicant may request that the secretary of the agency of agriculture, food and
20	markets and the secretary of the agency of commerce and community
21	development Secretary of the Agriculture, Food and Markets and the Secretary

1	of Commerce and Community Development reconsider. If the application is
2	again denied, the decision shall be final, unless the applicant can demonstrate
3	that the goods, service, or experience has been altered in order to bring it in
4	line with the standards established for that product.
5	* * *
6	(e) Fees. The secretary may require transactional charges, commissions, or
7	other fees, which are based upon the actual costs to the department, to be paid
8	by persons participating in the program, and to be applied toward
9	administration and promotion of the program.
10	* * * Feed, Fertilizer, Livestock, and Pesticides * * *
11	Sec. 16. 6 V.S.A. § 324 is amended to read:
12	§ 324. REGISTRATION AND FEES
13	* * *
14	(b) No <u>A</u> person shall <u>not</u> distribute in this state <u>State</u> a commercial feed
15	that has not been registered pursuant to the provisions of this chapter.
16	Application shall be in a form and manner to be prescribed by rule of the
17	secretary Secretary. The application for registration of a commercial feed shall
18	be accompanied by a registration fee of $\frac{575.00}{500}$ per product. The
19	registration fees, along with any surcharges collected under subsection (c) of
20	this section, shall be deposited in the special fund created by subsection 364(e)
21	of this title. Funds deposited in this account shall be restricted to

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1	implementing and administering the provisions of this title and any other
2	provisions of the law relating to fertilizer, lime, or seeds. If the secretary
3	Secretary so requests, the application for registration shall be accompanied by
4	a label or other printed matter describing the product.
5	* * *
6	Sec. 17. 6 V.S.A. § 364 is amended to read:
7	§ 364. REGISTRATION
8	(a) Each brand or grade of fertilizer shall be registered in the name of the
9	person whose name appears upon the label before being distributed in this state
10	State. The application for registration shall be submitted to the secretary
11	Secretary on a form furnished by the agency of agriculture, food and markets
12	Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets and shall be accompanied by a fee
13	of \$15.00 \$20.00 per nutrient or recognized plant food element to a maximum
14	of $\frac{105.00}{140.00}$ per brand or grade. Upon approval by the secretary
15	Secretary, a copy of the registration shall be furnished to the applicant. All
16	registrations expire on December 31 of each year. The application shall
17	include the following information:
18	(1) the brand and grade;
19	(2) the guaranteed analysis; and
20	(3) the name and address of the registrant.
21	* * *

Sec. 18. 6 V.S.A. § 762 is amended to read:

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2 § 762. LICENSE; FEE (a) A person shall not carry on the business of a livestock dealer without 3 4 first obtaining a license from the secretary of agriculture, food and markets 5 Secretary of Agriculture, Food and Markets. Before the issuance of such 6 license, such dealer shall file with the secretary of agriculture, food and 7 markets Secretary an application for such license on forms provided by the 8 agency Agency. Each application shall be accompanied by a fee of \$100.00 9 \$150.00 for persons who buy and sell or auction livestock, and \$30.00 \$75.00 10 for persons who only transport livestock commercially. * * * 11 12 Sec. 19. 6 V.S.A. § 918 is amended to read: 13 § 918. REGISTRATION * * * 14 15 (b) The registrant shall pay an annual fee of \$100.00 \$110.00 for each 16 product registered, and that amount shall be deposited in the special fund 17 created in section 929 of this title, of which \$5.00 from each product 18 registration shall be used for an educational program related to the proper 19 purchase, application, and disposal of household pesticides, and \$5.00 from 20 each product registration shall be used to collect and dispose of obsolete and

1	unwanted pesticides. The annual registration year shall be from December 1 to
2	November 30 of the following year.
3	* * *
4	Sec. 20. 6 V.S.A. § 4031 is amended to read:
5	§ 4031. PLANTS TAKEN FROM THE WILD
6	(a) The secretary Secretary may adopt procedural rules pursuant to the
7	Administrative Procedure Act as set forth in 3 V.S.A. chapter 25, for the
8	collection, sale, or distribution of plants taken from the wild, on the list of
9	Convention on International Trade on Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and
10	Flora, as amended, provided that the plants are not on the Vermont endangered
11	species list. He or she may authorize surveys or other actions to determine the
12	extent that plant collections may be undertaken without jeopardizing the
13	survival of a plant species. He or she may classify plant species based on their
14	populations or chances for survival and may restrict what amount, if any, of a
15	particular species may be removed from the wild.
16	* * *
17	(d) The Secretary may collect a fee of \$60.00 for a three-year permit to
18	engage in commerce with plants described in subsection (a) of this section.
19	The fee shall be credited to a special fund established and managed pursuant to
20	32 V.S.A. chapter 7, subchapter 5, and shall be available to the Agency to
21	offset the costs of implementing this section.

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1	* * * Weights and Measures * * *
2	Sec. 21. 9 V.S.A. § 2730 is amended to read:
3	§ 2730. LICENSING FOR OPERATION OF WEIGHING AND
4	MEASURING DEVICES
5	* * *
6	(f)(1) The secretary Secretary shall charge, per unit, the following annual
7	license fees:
8	(A) Retail motor fuel dispenser meter: \$15.00.
9	(B) Vehicle tank meter: <u>\$50.00</u> <u>\$100.00</u> .
10	(C) Scales: \$10.00.
11	(D) Vehicle and heavy duty scales: \$150.00.
12	(E) Taxi meter: \$10.00.
13	(F) Meter: $\$5.00 \15.00 .
14	(G) Bulk plant meter: \$100.00.
15	(H) Truck mounted propane meter: \$150.00.
16	(I) Hopper scales: \$100.00.
17	(J) Propane fill station: \$50.00.
18	(K) Medium duty scales:
19	portable platform scales: \$10.00 \$30.00.
20	all others: \$30.00.
21	* * *

1	* * * Department of Liquor Control * * *
2	Sec. 22. 7 V.S.A. § 2 is amended to read:
3	§ 2. DEFINITIONS
4	The following words as used in this title, unless a contrary meaning is
5	required by the context, shall have the following meaning:
6	* * *
7	(34) "Request to cater permit": a permit granted by the Liquor Control
8	Board authorizing a first or first and third class licensed caterer or commercial
9	caterer to cater individual events.
10	(35) "Industrial alcohol distributors license": a license granted by the
11	Liquor Control Board that allows holders to sell pure ethyl or grain alcohol of
12	at least 190 proof in quantities of five gallons or more directly to
13	manufacturers, industrial users, hospitals, druggists, and institutions of
14	learning. Alcohol sold under the industrial alcohol distributors license may
15	only be used for manufacturing, mechanical, medicinal, and scientific
16	purposes.
17	(36) "Outside consumption permit": a permit granted by the Liquor
18	Control Board allowing a first class or first and third class license holder and
19	fourth class license holder to allow for consumption of alcohol in a delineated
20	outside area.

- 1 Sec. 23. 7 V.S.A. § 61 is amended to read:
- 2 § 61. RESTRICTIONS; EXCEPTIONS

A person, partnership, association, or corporation shall not furnish or sell, or 3 4 expose or keep with intent to sell, any malt or vinous beverage, or spirits, or 5 manufacture, sell, barter, transport, import, export, deliver, prescribe, furnish, 6 or possess any alcohol, except as authorized by this title. However, this 7 chapter shall not apply to the furnishing of such beverages or spirits by a 8 person in his or her private dwelling, unless to an habitual drunkard, or unless 9 such dwelling becomes a place of public resort, nor to the sale of fermented 10 cider by the barrel or cask of not less than 32 liquid gallons capacity, provided 11 the same is delivered and removed from the vendor's premises in such barrel 12 or cask at the time of such sale, nor to the use of sacramental wine, nor to the 13 furnishing, purchase, sale, barter, transportation, importation, exportation, 14 delivery, prescription, or possession of alcohol for manufacturing, mechanical, 15 medicinal, and scientific purposes, provided the same is done under and in 16 accordance with rules and regulations made and licenses and permits issued by 17 the liquor control board Liquor Control Board as hereinafter provided.

1	Sec. 24. 7 V.S.A. § 63 is amended to read:
2	§ 63. IMPORTATION OR TRANSPORTATION OF LIQUORS;
3	PROHIBITIONS; PERSONAL IMPORT LIMIT; PENALTY
4	(a) All spirituous liquors imported or transported into this state State shall
5	be imported or transported by and through the liquor control board Liquor
6	Control Board. A person importing or transporting or causing to be imported
7	or transported into this state State any spirituous liquors shall be imprisoned
8	not more than one year or fined not more than \$1,000.00, or both. However, a
9	person may import or transport not more than eight quarts of spirituous liquors
10	into this state State in his or her own private vehicle or in his or her actual
11	possession at the time of importation without license or permit.
12	(b) Except as provided in sections 66 and 68 of this title, all malt or vinous
13	beverages, or both, imported or transported into this state State shall be
14	imported or transported by and through a wholesale dealer holding a wholesale
15	dealer's license issued by the liquor control board Liquor Control Board. A
16	person importing or transporting or causing to be imported or transported into
17	this state State any malt or vinous beverages, or both, shall be imprisoned not
18	more than one year or fined not more than \$1,000.00, or both. Provided,
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	however, a person may import or transport not more than six gallons of malt or

1	or in his or her actual possession at the time of importation without license or
2	permit, providing it is not for resale.
3	Sec. 25. 7 V.S.A. § 230 is amended to read:
4	§ 230. RESTRICTIONS; FINANCIAL INTERESTS; DISPLAY OF
5	LICENSE; EMPLOYEES
6	* * *
7	(b) An individual who is an employee of a wholesale dealer that does not
8	hold a solicitor's permit license may also be employed by a second class
9	licensee on a paid or voluntary basis, provided that the employee does not
10	exercise any control over, or participate in, the management of the second class
11	licensee's business or business decisions, and that either employment
12	relationship does not result in the exclusion of any competitor wholesale dealer
13	or any brand of alcoholic beverages of a competitor wholesale dealer.
14	Sec. 26. 7 V.S.A. § 231 is amended to read:
15	§ 231. FEES FOR LICENSES AND PERMITS; DISPOSITION OF FEES
16	(a) The following fees shall be paid:
17	(1) For a manufacturer's or rectifier's license to manufacture or rectify
18	malt beverages and vinous beverages or to manufacture or rectify spirituous
19	liquors, <u>\$250.00</u> for either license.
20	(2) For a bottler's license, $\frac{1,500.00}{1,705.00}$.

1	(3) For a wholesale dealer's license, $\frac{1,000.00}{1,140.00}$ for each
2	location.
3	(4) For a first class license, <u>\$200.00</u> <u>\$230.00</u> .
4	(5) For a second class license, $\frac{100.00}{130.00}$.
5	(6) For a third class license, $\$880.00 \$1,000.00$ for an annual license and
6	\$440.00 <u>\$500.00</u> for a six-month license.
7	(7) For a shipping license for vinous beverages:
8	(A) In-state consumer shipping license, initial and renewal, \$300.00.
9	(B) Out-of-state consumer shipping license, initial and renewal,
10	\$300.00.
11	(C) Retail shipping license, initial and renewal, \$200.00 \$230.00.
12	(8)(A) For a caterer's license, $\frac{200.00}{230.00}$.
13	(B) For a commercial catering license, \$200.00.
14	(C) For a request to cater permit, \$20.00.
15	(9) For a first class cabaret license, \$200.00. [Repealed.]
16	(10) For a third class cabaret license, \$880.00 for an annual license and
17	\$440.00 for a six month license. [Repealed.]
18	(11) For up to ten fourth class vinous licenses, $\frac{50.00}{50.00}$.
19	(12) [Deleted.] For an industrial alcohol distributors license, \$200.00.
20	(13) For a special events permit, $\frac{25.00}{535.00}$.
21	(14) For a festival permit, \$100.00 <u>\$115.00</u> .

1	(15) For a wine tasting permit, $\frac{15.00}{25.00}$.
2	(16) For an educational sampling event permit, $\frac{200.00}{230.00}$.
3	(17) [Deleted.] For an outside consumption permit, \$20.00.
4	(18) For a certificate of approval:
5	(A) For malt beverages, \$2,000.00 per year <u>\$2,275.00</u> .
6	(B) For vinous beverages, \$440.00 per year \$900.00.
7	(19) For a solicitor's permit license, \$50.00 per year \$65.00.
8	(20) For a vinous beverages storage license, $\frac{200.00}{2000}$ per year $\frac{215.00}{2000}$.
9	(21) For a promotional tasting permit for a railroad, $\frac{15.00}{20.00}$.
10	(22) For an art gallery or bookstore permit, $\$15.00$ $\$20.00$.
11	(b) Except for fees collected for first, second, and third class licenses, the
12	fees collected pursuant to subsection (a) of this section shall be deposited in the
13	liquor control enterprise fund Liquor Control Enterprise Fund. The other fees
14	shall be distributed as follows:
15	(1) Third class license fees: 55 percent shall go to the liquor control
16	enterprise fund Liquor Control Enterprise Fund, and 45 percent shall go to the
17	general fund General Fund and shall be used to fund the DETER program in
18	fiscal year 2007 fund alcohol abuse prevention and treatment programs.
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1	Sec. 27. 7 V.S.A. § 232 is amended to read:			
2	§ 232. TERMS OF PERMITS AND LICENSES			
3	All permits and licenses shall expire midnight, April 30, of each year and,			
4	upon of each year, except that licenses issued beginning July 1, 2013 shall			
5	expire midnight one year from the date of issuance. Upon the payment of a			
6	new fee, licenses may be renewed by the control commissioners Control			
7	Commissioners with the approval of the liquor control board as provided in			
8	section 222 of this title Liquor Control Board, provided the licensee is entitled			
9	thereto.			
10	Sec. 28. 7 V.S.A. § 303 is amended to read:			
11	§ 303. FEE			
12	The fee for a certificate of approval for malt beverages or for vinous			
13	beverages shall be as provided in section 231 of this title and shall be collected			
14	by the department of liquor control Department of Liquor Control. Such			
15	certificate shall expire at midnight April 30 of each year and shall be			
16	renewable on application therefor and payment of the fee. A certified check			
17	payable to the state State of Vermont shall accompany the application, and			
18	shall be returned to the applicant in case the board Board fails to grant the			
19	certificate.			

1	Sec. 29. 7 V.S.A. chapter 13 is amended to read:			
2	CHAPTER 13. SOLICITIOR'S PERMIT-LICENSE			
3	§ 361. GRANTING OF PERMIT LICENSE; SOLICITATION OF ORDERS			
4	The liquor control board Liquor Control Board may grant to a natural			
5	person a solicitor's permit license, which shall authorize such person to solicit			
6	orders for and promote the sale of malt or vinous beverages by canvassing or			
7	interviewing holders of licenses issued under the provisions of this title.			
8	§ 362. APPLICATION; UNDERTAKING; RECOMMENDATION			
9	Application for such permit <u>a license</u> shall be made in writing, signed by the			
10	applicant, to the liquor control board Liquor Control Board on a form			
11	prescribed by the board Board, containing the name, residence, and business			
12	address of the applicant, the name and address of the vendor to be represented			
13	by the applicant, and an undertaking by the applicant to comply with the			
14	regulations of the board Board. Such The application shall have appended			
15	thereto a recommendation of the applicant as being qualified to hold such			
16	permit the license, signed by such vendor.			
17	§ 363. FEE			
18	The fee for a solicitor's permit license shall be as provided in section 231 of			
19	this title and shall be collected by the department of liquor control Department			
20	of Liquor Control. Such permit shall expire at midnight April 30 of each year			
21	and shall be renewable on application therefor and payment of the fee. A			

1	certified check payable to the state State of Vermont shall accompany the		
2	application and shall be returned to the applicant in case the board Board fails		
3	to grant the permit license.		
4	§ 364. SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION		
5	The liquor control board Liquor Control Board shall have power to suspend		
6	or revoke any such solicitor's permit license for failure to comply with any		
7	regulation of the board Board or for other cause. No such The certificate shall		
8	not be revoked unless the holder thereof shall have had an opportunity to be		
9	heard after reasonable notice.		
10	§ 365. PENALTY		
11	A person who solicits orders for, or promotes the sale of malt or vinous		
12	beverages, or attempts so to solicit or promote, by canvassing or interviewing a		
13	holder of a license issued under the provisions of this title, without having first		
14	obtained a solicitor's permit license as provided for in this chapter, or who		
15	makes a false or fraudulent statement or representation in an application for		
16	such permit the license or in connection therewith shall be imprisoned not		
17	more than six months or be fined not more than \$500.00, or both.		
18	Sec. 30. 7 V.S.A. § 1002 is amended to read:		
19	§ 1002. LICENSE REQUIRED; APPLICATION; FEE; ISSUANCE		
20	(a) No <u>A</u> person shall <u>not</u> engage in the retail sale of tobacco products or		
21	provide a vending machine for their sale in his or her place of business without		

1	a tobacco license obtained from the department of liquor control Department of			
2	Liquor Control. Tobacco licenses shall expire midnight, April 30, of each			
3	year, except that licenses issued beginning July 1, 2013 shall expire midnight			
4	one year from the date of issuance.			
5	* * *			
6	(d) A person applying simultaneously for a tobacco license and a liquor			
7	license shall apply to the legislative body of the municipality Department and			
8	shall pay to the department Department only the fee required to obtain the			
9	liquor license. A person applying only for a tobacco license shall submit a fee			
10	of $\$10.00$ to the legislative body of the municipality $\$50.00$ for each tobacco			
11	license or renewal. The municipal clerk shall forward the application to the			
12	department The application and fee shall be sent to the Department, and the			
13	department Department shall issue the tobacco license. The municipal clerk			
14	shall retain \$5.00 of this fee, and the remainder shall be deposited in the			
15	treasury of the municipality. The tobacco license fee shall be deposited in the			
16	Liquor Control Enterprise Fund.			
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1	* * * Department of Labor * * *			
2	* * * Workers' Compensation Fund * * *			
3	Sec. 31. WORKERS' COMPENSATION RATE OF CONTRIBUTION			
4	Pursuant to 21 V.S.A. § 711(b), for fiscal year 2014, the General Assembly			
5	has established that the rate of contribution for the direct calendar year			
6	premium for workers' compensation insurance shall be set at the rate of			
7	1.45 percent established in 21 V.S.A. § 711(a). The contribution rate for			
8	self-insured workers' compensation losses and workers' compensation losses			
9	of corporations approved under 21 V.S.A. chapter 9 shall remain at one			
10	percent.			
11	* * * Surcharges and Assessments * * *			
12	Sec. 32. WORKERS' COMPENSATION ASSESSMENT			
13	A surcharge on the direct calendar year premium for workers' compensation			
14	insurance shall be assessed at a rate of 0.16 and a surcharge on self-insured			
15	workers' compensation losses and workers' compensation losses of			
16	corporations shall be assessed at a rate of 0.25 for fiscal years 2014 and 2015			
17	in order to enable the Department of Labor to complete a technological			
18	upgrade of its computer system.			
19	Sec. 33. 32 V.S.A. § 602 is amended to read:			
20	§ 602. DEFINITIONS			
21	For purposes of As used in this subchapter:			

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2	(2) "Fee":	
3	(A) Means a monetary charge by an agency or the judiciary for a	
4	service or product provided to, or the regulation of, specified classes of	
5	individuals or entities.	
6	(B) The following charges are exempt from the provisions of this	
7	subchapter, except as provided in subsection 605(f) of this subchapter:	
8	* * *	
9	* * * Attorney General * * *	
10	Sec. 34. 9 V.S.A. § 2473 is amended to read:	
11	§ 2473. NOTICE OF SOLICITATION	
12	* * *	
13	(f)(1) In each calendar year in which a paid fundraiser solicits on behalf of	
14	a charitable organization, the paid fundraiser shall pay an annual registration	
15	fee of \$500.00 to the Attorney General with its first notice of solicitation.	
16	(2) Each notice of solicitation filed in accordance with this section shall	
17	be accompanied by a fee of \$200.00.	
18	(3) Fees paid under this subsection shall be deposited in a special fund	
19	managed pursuant to 32 V.S.A. chapter 7, subchapter 5, and shall be available	
20	to the Attorney General for the costs of administering sections 2471-2479 of	
21	this title.	

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1	* * * Repeal * * *	
2	Sec. 35. REPEAL	
3	32 V.S.A. § 605(f)(relating to report of surcharges and	assessments) is
4	repealed.	
5	* * * Effective Date * * *	
6	Sec. 36. EFFECTIVE DATE	
7	This act shall take effect on July 1, 2013.	