

1 H.617

2 Introduced by Representative Zagar of Barnard

3 Referred to Committee on

4 Date:

5 Subject: Public safety; reporting of federal grants

6 Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to require the
7 Department of Public Safety to report to the Joint Fiscal Committee and the
8 House and Senate Committees on Judiciary any grants or equipment the
9 Department receives from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security or any
10 other federal agency.

11 An act relating to requiring the Department of Public Safety to report the
12 receipt of federal grants to the General Assembly

13 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

14 Sec. 1. 20 V.S.A. § 1818 is added to read:

15 § 1818. ACCEPTANCE OF FUNDS

16 The Commissioner of Public Safety shall report to the Joint Fiscal
17 Committee and the House and Senate Committees on Judiciary any grants or
18 equipment the Department receives from the U.S. Department of Homeland
19 Security or any other federal agency. A report required by this section shall be
20 made within 60 days after the Department receives the grant or equipment.

- 1 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE
- 2 This act shall take effect on passage.