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2 Introduced by Senator Sears

3 Referred to Committee on

4 Date:

5 Subject: Crimes and criminal procedure; lewdness and prostitution; bail and
6 recognizances

7 Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to categorize
8 conduct constituting the offense of lewd and lascivious conduct with a child as
9 a violent offense for the purpose of determining bail.

10 An act relating to bail determinations concerning a defendant charged with
11 lewd and lascivious conduct with a child

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

13 Sec. 1. 13 V.S.A. § 2602(f) is added to read:

14 (f) Conduct constituting the offense of lewd and lascivious conduct with a
15 child under this section shall be considered a violent act for the purpose of
16 determining bail under chapter 229 of this title.

17 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

18 This act shall take effect on passage.