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SHORT FORM

Introduced by Representatives Morrissey of Bennington, Bates of Bennington,  
Brownell of Pownal, Browning of Arlington, Carroll of  
Bennington, Corcoran of Bennington, Durfee of Shaftsbury,  
James of Manchester, and Sullivan of Dorset

Referred to Committee on

Date:

Subject: General provisions; Vermont 250th Commission

Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to create the  
Vermont 250th Commission. The commission will plan and sponsor  
commemorative events to mark the 250th anniversary, in 2027, of the Vermont  
Declaration of Independence, the adoption of the original Vermont  
Constitution, and the American victory at the Battle of Bennington. The  
Commission shall consist of members from geographically diverse parts of the  
State who are well known in their respective regions and who have a  
professional background or strong interest in Vermont history. The bill would  
include a small appropriation to meet FY 2020 expenses. On or before  
February 15, 2020, the Commission shall submit a written report to the House  
Committees on Appropriations and on Government Operations and the Senate  
Committees on Appropriations and on Government Operations, proposing a

1 long-term budget, including an allocation of State and private sector costs, and  
2 an initial description of events that the Commission may plan and sponsor.

3 An act relating to creating the Vermont 250th Commission

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

5 (TEXT OMITTED IN SHORT-FORM BILLS)