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Introduced by Representative Harrison of Chittenden

Referred to Committee on

Date:

Subject: General Assembly; legislative system; information technology;
electronic roll-call system

Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to require the
Joint Fiscal Office to contract for an electronic roll-call system for the
Vermont House of Representatives by the start of the 2019 legislative session.

An act relating to the implementation of an electronic roll-call system in the
Vermont House of Representatives

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

Sec. 1. ELECTRONIC ROLL-CALL SYSTEM; VERMONT HOUSE

(a) On or before June 1, 2018, the Joint Fiscal Office (JFO), in consultation
with the Office of Legislative Council's Deputy Director for Information
Technology and the House Clerk, shall issue a request for proposal (RFP) to
install and implement an electronic roll-call system for the Vermont House of
Representatives. The RFP shall require the vendor to install the electronic roll-
call system by the start of the 2019 legislative session.

1 (b) On or before August 15, 2018, the JFO shall enter into a contract with a
2 vendor based on the bids received from the RFP described in subsection (a) of
3 this section.

4 (c) The JFO shall be appropriated funding from the FY19 Capital Budget
5 Adjustment Act to enter into the contract described in subsection (b) of this
6 section.

7 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

8 This act shall take effect on passage.