

1 TO THE HONORABLE SENATE:

2 The Committee on Health and Welfare to which was referred House Bill
3 No. 711 entitled “An act relating to the creation of the Opioid Settlement
4 Advisory Committee and the Opioid Abatement Special Fund” respectfully
5 reports that it has considered the same and recommends that the Senate
6 propose to the House that the bill be amended in Sec. 1, 18 V.S.A. chapter 93,
7 in section 4774, in subdivision (a)(1), by striking out the second sentence in its
8 entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

9 The Opioid Abatement Special Fund shall consist of all abatement account
10 fund monies disbursed by the national settlement fund administrator to the
11 Department, the national opioid abatement trust, the supplemental opioid
12 abatement fund, or any other settlement funds that must be utilized exclusively
13 for opioid prevention, intervention, treatment, recovery, and harm reduction.

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17 (Committee vote: _____)

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Senator _____

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FOR THE COMMITTEE