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Senate Republicans Defend Parents Rights (Again)

Concord, NH – Senator Sharon Carson (R-Londonderry) released the following Democratic attempts to strip parental rights over their children receiving medical care:

“Once again, Senate Democrats have voted to keep New Hampshire parents in the dark about their children’s medical care,” stated Senator Carson.

“Whether it’s in school or at the doctor’s office, parents need to know what is going on with their kids to make the best decisions for their families.”

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The Senate approved SB 238, which would expand the use of telemedicine for mental health. Senate Democrats moved to strip the right of parents to consent to such treatment but were defeated by Senate Republicans 13-10. SB 238 now goes to the New Hampshire House.