Bill as Introduced

HB 364 - AS INTRODUCED

2013 SESSION

13-0673 10/04

HOUSE BILL

364

AN ACT

requiring New Hampshire retirement system employers to notify prospective parttime employees who are retired members of the limitations on part-time

employment.

SPONSORS:

Rep. Copeland, Rock 19; Rep. Turcotte, Merr 22; Rep. St. James, Rock 13

COMMITTEE:

Executive Departments and Administration

ANALYSIS

This bill requires New Hampshire retirement system employers to notify prospective part-time employees who are retired members in the retirement system of the annual limitations on hours for part-time employment.

Explanation:

Matter added to current law appears in bold italics.

Matter removed from current law appears [in brackets and struckthrough.]

Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Thirteen

AN ACT

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Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

- 1 New Section; Retirement System; Part Time Employment; Notice to Prospective Employee.
 2 Amend RSA 100-A by inserting after section 7 the following new section:
 3 100-A:7-a Certain Part-time Employment; Notice by Employer Required. An employer shall provide written notice to a prospective employee who is a retired member of the retirement system of the hourly limitations on part-time employment as defined in RSA 100-A:1, XXXIV and the effect of exceeding such hourly limitations on the retired member's retirement benefits. The executive director may make copies of such a written notice available to employers.
 - 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

Amendments

Rep. Moffett, Merr. 9 Rep. Byron, Hills. 20 March 4, 2013 2013-0678h 10/03

Amendment to HB 364

1	Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:
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6	Amend the bill by replacing all after the enacting clause with the following:
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13	limitations could have on the retired member's retirement benefits because of restoration to service
14	as required in RSA 100-A:7, as follows:
15	(a) Prior to employment and as part of employment documentation, to any prospective
16	employee who is a retired member of the retirement system.
17	(b) Annually, to each existing part-time employee who is a retired member of the
18	retirement system.
19	II. The executive director shall provide employers the form of such notices required in
20	paragraph I.
21	III. An employer who provides the notices required in paragraph I shall not be held liable for
22	any consequences to the employee resulting from the employee's restoration of service due to
23	exceeding the hourly limitations on part-time employment as defined in RSA 100-A:1, XXXIV.
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25	the retirement system of the hourly limitations on part-time employment as defined in RSA 100-A:1,
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Speakers

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To Register Opinion If Not Speaking

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Hearing Minutes

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

PUBLIC HEARING ON HB 364

BILL TITLE:

requiring New Hampshire retirement system employers to notify prospective part-time employees who are retired members of the

limitations on part-time employment.

DATE:

2/12/13

LOB ROOM:

306

Time Public Hearing Called to Order:

11:10 am

Time Adjourned:

ll:40 am

(please circle if present)

Committee Members: Reps. Weber, Schueft P. Schmidt, D. Sullivan, Jeudy, Goley, Gagnon, Booras, Moffett M. Nelson, Hansberry C. McGuire, Pratt, Hansen, S. Sweeney Beaudoin, Bianca Rose Garcia, Sytel, Danais and Byron.

Bill Sponsors: Rep. Copeland, Rock 29; Rep. Turcotte, Merr 22; Rep. St. James, Rock 13

TESTIMONY

* Use asterisk if written testimony and/or amendments are submitted.

Rep. Tim Copeland, Prime Sponsor – Crucial that employers notify retirees of limits on hours worked.

Diana Lacey – State Employees Association – Supports the bill. There needs to be a mechanism in place to alert employees of hours worked, restrictions for retirees. Retiree should be notified of hour limitations prior to being hired. Currently there are court cases addressing paying back the retirement system by retirees who have exceeded the work hours limit.

Barbara Reid – N. H.Municipal Association – Opposed to the bill – Does believe retirees need to know restrictions regarding hours worked. Believes it is NHRS's responsibility to notify retirees, not employers.

Marty Karlon – P.I.O. for NHRS – NHRS orients new retirees if they come in to file for retirement regarding working restrictions after retirement. Not all retirees file to retire in person. Retiree is given information orally.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel Hansberry, Clerk

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

BILL TITLE:

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Sub-Committee Actions

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

SECOND SUBCOMMITTEE WORK SESSION ON HB 364

BILL TITLE:

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part-time employees who are retired members of the limitations on part-time

employment.

DATE:

3/4/13

Subcommittee Members:

Reps. Gagnor, Goley, McGuire, Schuett, Byron, Danais, Hansberry Moffett Hansen

<u>Comments and Recommendations</u>: Request Reps. Moffett and Byron to draft amendment with OLS for review by full committee.

Amendments:

Sponsor: Rep.

OLS Document #:

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Sponsor: Rep.

OLS Document #:

Motions:

OTP, OTP/A, ITL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep. Byron

Seconded by Rep. Hansen

Vote: 7-1

Motions:

OTP, OTP/A, ITL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote:

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. Ray Gagnon Subcommittee Chairman/Clerk

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3/4/13

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Motions:

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Moved by Rep. Byin

Seconded by Rep.

Vote:

Motions:

OTP, OTP/A, ITL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote:

Respectfully submitted,

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Rep. Subcommittee Chairman/Clerk

Sub-Committee Minutes

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

SUBCOMMITTEE WORK SESSION ON HB 364

BILL TITLE:

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DATE:

2/26/13

Subcommittee Members:

Reps. Gagnon, Goley, McGuire, Schuett, Byron, Danais, Hansberry,

Moffett, Hansen

<u>Comments and Recommendations</u>: Reps. Moffett & Byron will draft an amendment for consideration@next subcommittee meeting

Amendments:

Sponsor: Rep.

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Motions:

OTP, OTP/A, ITL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote:

Motions:

OTP, OTP/A, ITL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote:

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. Raymond Gagnon Subcommittee Chairman/Clerk

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

SUBCOMMITTEE WORK SESSION ON HB 364

BILL TITLE:

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Subcommittee Members:

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Motions:

OTP, OTP/A, ITL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote:

Motions:

OTP, OTP/A, ITL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote:

Respectfully submitted,

Rep.

Subcommittee Chairman/Clerk

Testimony

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2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

100-A:7-a. Certain Part-time Employment; Notice by Employer Required. An employer shall provide written notice—

- (a) Each Calendar year to existing part-time employees who are retired members of the retirement system, and
- (b) <u>upon application for employment (1)</u> to any prospective employee who is a retired member of the retirement

system-

of the hourly limitations on part-time employment specified in RSA 100-A:1, XXXIV, and the potential effect that exceeding such hourly limitations could have on the retired member's retirement benefits under [RSA 100-A: 7?]. The executive director shall provide to all employers the form of such a notice. Employers who provide the required notice to part-time and prospective applicants shall not be liable for any consequences to the employee resulting from the employee's exceeding the hourly limitations on part-time employment set forth in RSA 100-A:1, XXXIV.

1. I'll use the example of Litchfield which is a common town and is representative of the majority of smaller communities. When we went forward to hire a town administrator about 4 years ago. The

Board of Selectmen (BOS) got together and developed a job description and we hired NHMA to search for a candidate. NHMA did a couple of things. They posted the job on their web site and they posted the job opening on an Town Administrator/Town Manager forum. They then collected resumes. At no time did the candidate fill in an application. At a point, NHMA met with the BOS and we then went through the resumes. Based upon the grading of the resumes by the BOS, we then brought into the town offices for interviews the top 6 candidates. Out of the top 6 candidates, we brought back for a second interview the top 3 candidates. We then selected the candidate we hired. The other candidates who did not come in were simply sent a letter of regret. For other senior positions in the town like finance manager we don't use NHMA, but recruit through posting on the NHMA website and ads placed into the Union Leader or other large papers. For people like plow drivers (which are typically retired fire fighters who hold commercial driver's licenses) or workers at the recycling center, they don't submit a resume but are interviewed by the road agent and hired. Some people send in resumes just to see if the town has a job at odd times of the year. So if you can suggest some alternative wording to clarify that would be great. I hope you see my thinking.

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Town Manager

The Town of Lincoln, Maine is looking for a new Town Manager. Lincoln is located

in the north central part of Maine and has a population of 5,085.

The Lincoln Town Council is seeking an individual that is a leader, skilled in budgeting and finance, as well as personnel management, labor relations, with TIF and grant-writing experience. The person seeking to fill this position should have a positive attitude, can communicate and work with the town council, department heads, and the citizens on the street. Municipal management experience and a college degree would be a plus but individuals with comparable work experience and education are encouraged to apply.

Salary negotiable based on experience and training. Resume and cover letter along with salary requirements must be received by March 8, 2013 at 5:00 p.m. by email at towncouncil@lincolnmaine.org or by US mail with all correspondence directed to:

Stephen Clay, Lincoln Town Council Chairman

63 Main Street, Lincoln, ME 04457



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Voting Sheets

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

EXECUTIVE SESSION on HB 364

BILL TITLE: requiring New Hampshire retirement system employers to notify

prospective part-time employees who are retired members of the

limitations on part-time employment.

DATE:

3/5/13

LOB ROOM:

306

Amendments:

Sponsor: Rep. Moffett

OLS Document #:

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Sponsor: Rep.

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Motions:

OTR, OTP/A, ITL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep. Moffett

Seconded by Rep. Goley

Vote: 12-7 (Please attach record of roll call vote.)

Motions:

OTP, OTP/A, ITL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote:

(Please attach record of roll call vote.)

CONSENT CALENDAR VOTE:

(Vote to place on Consent Calendar must be unanimous.)

Statement of Intent:

Refer to Committee Report

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. Dianne Schuett, Acting Clerk

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

EXECUTIVE SESSION on HB 364

BILL TITLE: requiring New Hampshire retirement system employers to notify

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DATE:

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<u>Amendments:</u>

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Motions: OTP, (TP/A, ITL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep. W. Hett / Goley

Seconded by Rep.

Vote: 12-7 (Please attach record of roll call vote.)

Motions: OTP, OTP/A, ITL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote: (Please attach record of roll call vote.)

CONSENT CALENDAR VOTE:

(Vote to place on Consent Calendar must be unanimous.)

Refer to Committee Report Statement of Intent:

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. Daniel C. Hansberry, Clerk



STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE OFFICE OF THE HOUSE CLERK

1/10/2013 9:17:57 AM Roll Call Committee Registers Report

2013 SESSION

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Motion: OTP/PM	Amendment #:	
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Schmidt, Peter B	2	
Jeudy, Jean L	3	
Sullivan, Daniel J	4	
Goley, Jeffrey P	5	
Gagnon, Raymond G	6	
Nelson, Mary S	7	
Booras, Efstathia C	8	
Hansberry, Daniel C, Clerk	9	
Moffett, Howard M	10	·
McGuire, Carol M		
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Garcia, Bianca R O'CONNOR		6
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TOTAL VOTE:	1.0	7



STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE OFFICE OF THE HOUSE CLERK

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2013 SESSION

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PH Date: <u>& / / & / & D/ 3</u>	Exec Session Date:	5 13
Motion: AM	Amendment #:	<u> </u>
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Weber, Lucy M, Chairman	19	
Schuett, Dianne E, V Chairman	1	
Schmidt, Peter B	2	
Jeudy, Jean L	3	
Sullivan, Daniel J	4	
Goley, Jeffrey P	5	
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Nelson, Mary S	7	
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Hansberry, Daniel C, Clerk	9	
Moffett, Howard M	10	
McGuire, Carol M		
Sytek, John		
Pratt, Calvin D	12	
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Beaudoin, Steven P	14	
Byron, Frank A	15	
Danais, Romeo	16	
Garcia, Bianca R () CONNOR	17	
Sweeney, Shawn P	18	
TOTAL VOTE:	19	0

Committee Report

REGULAR CALENDAR

March 7, 2013

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

The Majority of the Committee on <u>EXECUTIVE</u>

<u>DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION</u> to which was referred HB364,

AN ACT requiring New Hampshire retirement system employers to notify prospective part-time employees who are retired members of the limitations on part-time employment. Having considered the same, report the same with the following amendment, and the recommendation that the bill OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT.

Rep. Howard M Moffett

FOR THE MAJORITY OF THE COMMITTEE

Original: House Clerk

MAJORITY COMMITTEE REPORT

Committee: EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND

ADMINISTRATION

Bill Number: HB364

Title: requiring New Hampshire retirement system

employers to notify prospective part-time employees who are retired members of the

limitations on part-time employment.

Date: March 7, 2013

Consent Calendar: NO

Recommendation: OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT

STATEMENT OF INTENT

This bill is intended to reduce confusion among retired members of the retirement system who work part-time or apply to work part-time for a town or other participating employer, but who may not realize that part-time work in excess of the hourly limitations in RSA 100-A:1, XXXIV (32 hours/week, or up to 1300 hours/year) will jeopardize their existing retirement system benefits under RSA 100-A:7. The bill requires participating employers to provide notice to applicants for part-time employment prior to employment, and to existing part-time employees annually, if they are retired members of the retirement system. The form of the notice is to be provided by the retirement system. Participating employers who provide the required notice may not be held liable for any consequences to an employee resulting from the employee's restoration of service on account of exceeding the hourly limits in RSA 100-A:1, XXXIV. The retirement system itself is also required to provide notice annually to all retired members of the retirement system.

Vote 12-7

Rep. Howard M Moffett FOR THE MAJORITY

Original: House Clerk

REGULAR CALENDAR

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

HB364, requiring New Hampshire retirement system employers to notify prospective part-time employees who are retired members of the limitations on part-time employment. OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT.

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Original: House Clerk

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Rep. Howard Moffett for the Committee

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Culberson, Kay

From: Lucy McVitty Weber [lwmcv@comcast.net]

Sent: Thursday, March 07, 2013 6:29 AM

To: Culberson, Kay Subject: NEW BLURBS!!!

Hi Kay,

Just as I was going out the door, I found these new blurbs from Howard Moffett--

Sorry for the confusion—I had thought, when they did not arrive yesterday, that I was doing them instead. I will definitely use Howard's blurb for 364—I might blend his and mine for 683.

Lucy

1. COMMITTEE REPORT: Executive Depts. & Administration

BILL NUMBER: HB 364

TITLE: An Act relative to notice required concerning employment of a retired member of the

New Hampshire retirement system of the limitations on part-time employment

DATE: March 5, 2013

CONSENT CALENDAR—No

X Ought to Pass w/Amendment

Amendment No. 2013-0678h

STATEMENT OF INTENT:

This bill is intended to reduce confusion among retired members of the retirement system who work part-time or apply to work part-time for a town or other participating employer, but who may not realize that part-time work in excess of the hourly limitations in RSA 100-A:1, XXXIV (32 hours/week, or up to 1300 hours/year) will jeopardize their existing retirement system benefits under RSA 100-A:7. The bill requires participating employers to provide notice to applicants for part-time employment prior to employment, and to existing part-time employees annually, if they are retired members of the retirement system. The form of the notice is to be provided by the retirement system. Participating employers who provide the required notice may not be held liable for any consequences to an employee resulting from the employee's restoration of service on account of exceeding the hourly limits in RSA 100-A:1, XXXIV. The retirement system itself is also required to provide notice annually to all retired members of the retirement system.

COMMITTEE VOTE: 12-7 Ought to Pass w/Amendment (Lucy—I'm not certain of this vote; my notes are at home. If I'm wrong about the vote, I'll e-mail you from home to correct this.)

Respectfully Submitted, Rep. Howard Moffett, For the Committee

2. COMMITTEE REPORT: Executive Depts. & Administration

BILL NUMBER: HB 683-FN

TITLE: An Act relative to the retirement system status of the director and assistant director of

the division of homeland security and emergency management.

DATE: March 5, 2013

Consent Calendar—No

REGULAR CALENDAR

March 7, 2013

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

The Minority of the Committee on <u>EXECUTIVE</u>

<u>DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION</u> to which was referred HB364,

AN ACT requiring New Hampshire retirement system employers to notify prospective part-time employees who are retired members of the limitations on part-time employment. Having considered the same, and being unable to agree with the Majority, report with the following Resolution: RESOLVED, That it is INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.

Rep. Frank A Byron
FOR THE MINORITY OF THE COMMITTEE

Original: House Clerk

MINORITY COMMITTEE REPORT

Committee:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND

ADMINISTRATION

Bill Number:

HB364

Title:

requiring New Hampshire retirement system

employers to notify prospective part-time employees who are retired members of the

limitations on part-time employment.

Date:

March 7, 2013

Consent Calendar:

NO

Recommendation:

INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE

STATEMENT OF INTENT

The majority, by recommending this bill, have placed additional obligations on municipalities to notify New Hampshire Retirement System (NHRA) retirees of their work hours limitations. By creating this municipal obligation there is a potential liability owned by the municipality should a retiree violate the work limit requirements. This municipal liability would not exist without this bill.

Rep. Frank A Byron FOR THE MINORITY

Original: House Clerk

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