## LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MINUTES

## HB1187

# Bill as Introduced

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### HB 1187 - AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

### 2022 SESSION

22-2148 08/11

HOUSE BILL *1187* 

AN ACT relative to milk pasteurization.

SPONSORS: Rep. Allard, Merr. 21; Rep. Woodcock, Carr. 2; Rep. Marsh, Carr. 8; Rep. Deshaies, Carr. 6; Rep. Merchant, Sull. 4; Rep. Aron, Sull. 7; Rep. A. Lekas, Hills. 37

COMMITTEE: Environment and Agriculture

### ANALYSIS

This bill allows for the sale of products made with raw milk in certain circumstances.

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removed from current law appears [in-brackets and struckthrough.]Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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### HB 1187 - AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

#### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Two

AN ACT relative to milk pasteurization.

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

1 1 License Required; Exemptions. Amend the introductory paragraph of RSA 184:84, V to read 2 as follows:

3 V. A milk producer-distributor who daily produces for sale less than 20 gallons of raw milk 4 or processes less than 20 gallons of raw milk into cheese aged at least 60 days, yogurt, cream, butter, 5 ice cream, frozen yogurt, or kefir shall not require a milk producer-distributor license, provided 6 these products are offered as direct sales from the producer-distributor's own farm, farm stand, or at a farmers' market to the food consumer within the state of New Hampshire only. Ice cream and 7 frozen yogurt produced and sold under this paragraph shall be packaged in containers no 8 9 larger than 6 fluid ounces and shall be marked with an expiration date 30 days from the 10 date of manufacture."

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2 Labeling of Raw Milk Products. Amend RSA 184:84, V(a) to read as follows:

12 (a) Any product containing raw milk from the milk producer-distributor's farm or farm 13 stand or at farmers' markets shall be clearly labeled. If the product is sold in containers provided by 14 the producer-distributor, the individual container shall have a label which contains the name, 15 address, and phone number of the milk producer-distributor's farm; the name of the product; and the 16 following statement: "This product is made with raw milk and is exempt from New Hampshire 17 licensing and inspection. *RAW MILK: consuming raw milk may increase your risk of* 18 *foodborne illness.*"

19 3 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

# Committee Minutes

### SENATE CALENDAR NOTICE Energy and Natural Resources

Sen Kevin Avard, Chair Sen Bob Giuda, Vice Chair Sen James Gray, Member Sen David Watters, Member Sen Rebecca Perkins Kwoka, Member

### Date: March 31, 2022

### HEARINGS

Tuesday 04/05/2022 (Day) (Date) State House 103 9:00 a.m. **Energy and Natural Resources** (Time) (Name of Committee) (Place) relative to permits for the siting of new landfills. 9:00 a.m. HB 1454-FN 9:20 a.m. HB 1599-FN relative to customer generators who sell renewable energy certificates. 9:40 a.m. HB 1629-FN relative to default service for net metering. 10:00 a.m. HB 1187 relative to milk pasteurization. 10:15 a.m. HB 241 repealing the definition of brook trout. EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW Sponsors: HB 1454-FN Rep. Tucker Rep. Massimilla Rep. Egan Rep. Thompson Rep. Hatch Rep. Merner Rep. Laflamme Rep. Myler Sen. Hennessey Sen. Sherman Rep. Deshaies HB 1599-FN Rep. Vose Rep. Notter HB 1629-FN Rep. Berezhny Rep. Lang Rep. Nunez HB 1187 Rep. Allard Rep. Woodcock Rep. Marsh Rep. Deshaies Rep. Merchant Rep. Aron Rep. A. Lekas

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HB 241 Rep. Avellani

> <u>Kevin A. Avard</u> Chairman

### Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee Daley Frenette 271-3042

HB 1187, relative to milk pasteurization.

Hearing Date: April 5, 2022

Members of the Committee Present: Senators Giuda, Gray and Watters

Members of the Committee Absent : Senators Avard and Perkins Kwoka

**Bill Analysis**: This bill allows for the sale of products made with raw milk in certain circumstances.

### Sponsors:

Rep. Allard Rep. Deshaies Rep. A. Lekas Rep. Woodcock Rep. Merchant

Rep. Marsh Rep. Aron

Who supports the bill: Alecia Lekas, Jennifer Smith MD, MPH, Curtis Howland, Jesse Medeiros, Deborah Glidden, Alvin See.

Who opposes the bill: None.

Who is neutral on the bill: None.

### Summary of testimony presented:

Senator Gray, Senate District 6

• Senator Gray introduced HB 1187 in place of the prime sponsor.

Jennifer Smith. MDMPH

• Mrs. Smith did not indicate her support or opposition for the bill. She noted that this bill may be in the wrong committee. Her concerns are that ice cream and frozen yogurt are substantially different than aged cheese, yogurt, cream, and butter in that they are very attractive to children and children are more susceptible to serious gastrointestinal bugs. The purpose of milk pasteurization is to prevent people whose gastrointestinal systems are not going to be immune competent from getting seriously ill. Small children can die from diarrhea, and it is a leading cause of death in other parts of the world.

- Ice cream, unlike butter or cream is going to contain a substantial portion of fluid where bacteria tend to reside.
- Senator Watters asked about RSA 11 which pertains to netting of minnow. He asked if this bill would affect the law around netting minnows in the presence of brook trout. Mrs. Timmons believes that falls under the rules of baiting. She said she would find out the answer to the question as she was unsure. Senator Watters was concerned that repealing the definition may impact the rules around it.

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Date Hearing Report completed: April 5, 2022

# Speakers

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## Senate Energy & Natural Resources Committee SIGN-IN SHEET

**Date:** 4/5/2022 **Time:** 10:00 a.m.

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AN ACT relative to milk pasteurization.

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NH Alicia Lekas Hills 37	Support	Oppose	Speaking?	Yes	No □
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## Senate Remote Testify

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### Energy and Natural Resources Committee Testify List for Bill HB1187 on 2022-0 Support: 4 Oppose: 0

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	Representing	<u>Position</u>
Howland, Curtis	A Member of the Public	Myself	Support
Medeiros, Jesse	A Member of the Public	Myself	Support
glidden, deborah	A Member of the Public	Myself	Support
See, Alvin	A Member of the Public	Myself	Support

# Voting Sheets

## Senate Energy & Natural Resources Committee EXECUTIVE SESSION RECORD

2021-2022 Session

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Executive Se	ssion Date: 4/12/2	<u>2</u>	
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# Committee Report

### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

### SENATE

### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 13, 2022

### THE COMMITTEE ON Energy and Natural Resources

to which was referred HB 1187

AN ACT

relative to milk pasteurization.

Having considered the same, the committee recommends that the Bill

OUGHT TO PASS

BY A VOTE OF: 5-0

### Senator David Watters For the Committee

HB 1187 allows for the sale of products made with raw milk in certain circumstances. The bill will allow a milk producer-distributer who produces less than twenty gallons of raw milk daily, or processes less than twenty gallons of raw milk into cheese aged at least sixty days, yogurt, cream, butter, ice cream, frozen yogurt, or kefir to not be required to have a milk producer-distributor license provided that the products are being sold from the producer-distributor's own farm, farm stand, or at a farmers' market to the consumer within the state of New Hampshire.

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### FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

### ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

HB 1187, relative to milk pasteurization. Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0. Senator David Watters for the committee.

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### **General Court of New Hampshire - Bill Status System**

## **Docket of HB1187**

**Docket Abbreviations** 

Bill Title: relative to milk pasteurization.

Official Docket of HB1187.:

Date	Body	Description
11/17/2021	Н	Introduced 01/05/2022 and referred to Environment and Agriculture
1/25/2022	Н	Public Hearing: 01/25/2022 10:30 a.m. LOB301-303
1/9/2022	Н	Executive Session: 01/25/2022 10:30 am LOB 301-303
2/8/2022	Н	Committee Report: Ought to Pass with Amendment #2022-0340h (Vote 17-0; CC)
2/16/2022	н	Ought to Pass with Amendment 2022-0340h: MA VV 02/16/2022 HJ 3
2/23/2022	Н	Amendment <b>#2022-0340h</b> : AA VV 02/16/2022 HJ 3
3/1/2022	S	Introduced 02/24/2022 and Referred to Energy and Natural Resources; SJ 5
3/31/2022	S	Hearing: 04/05/2022, Room 103, SH, 10:00 am; SC 14
4/13/2022	S	Committee Report: Ought to Pass, 04/21/2022; Vote 5-0; CC; SC 16
4/21/2022	S	Sen. Avard Moved to Remove HB 1187 from the Consent Calendar; 04/21/2022; <b>SJ 9</b>
4/21/2022	S	Sen. Avard Moved Laid on Table, MA, VV; 04/21/2022; SJ 9
4/21/2022	S	Pending Motion Ought to Pass; 04/21/2022; <b>SJ 9</b>

NH House

NH Senate

## Other Referrals

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### Senate Inventory Checklist for Archives

Senate Committee:

Please include all documents in the order listed below and indicate the documents which have been included with an "X" beside

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Final docket found on Bill Status

### **Bill Hearing Documents: {Legislative Aides}**

- $\underline{\propto}$ Bill version as it came to the committee
  - All Calendar Notices
- んと Hearing Sign-up sheet(s)
  - Prepared testimony, presentations, & other submissions handed in at the public hearing
- ĸ Hearing Report
- Revised/Amended Fiscal Notes provided by the Senate Clerk's Office

### Committee Action Documents: (Legislative Aides)

All amendments considered in committee (including those not adopted);

\_\_\_\_\_ - amendment # \_\_\_\_\_\_ - amendment # \_\_\_\_\_

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**Executive Session Sheet** 

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### Floor Action Documents: {Clerk's Office}

All floor amendments considered by the body during session (only if they are offered to the senate):

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### Post Floor Action: (if applicable) {Clerk's Office}

- Committee of Conference Report (if signed off by all members. Include any new language proposed by the committee of conference):
- Enrolled Bill Amendment(s)
- Governor's Veto Message

### All available versions of the bill: {Clerk's Office}

as amended by the senate

as amended by the house

final version

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Committee Aide

Senate Clerk's Office

<u>6/24/2</u> Date