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**First Year of the 165<sup>th</sup> Session of the  
New Hampshire General Court**

## SENATE CALENDAR

# MEETINGS

## *FRIDAY, AUGUST 25, 2017*

### **FISCAL COMMITTEE (RSA 14:30-a)**

10:00 a.m.	Rooms 210-211, LOB	Regular Business
10:30 a.m.	Rooms 210-211, LOB	Audit State of New Hampshire Community College System of New Hampshire Performance Audit Report August 2017

### **COMMISSION ON RURAL AFFAIRS (RSA 9-A:5)**

1:00 p.m.	Room 104, LOB	Organizational Meeting
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## *MONDAY, AUGUST 28, 2017*

### **OIL FUND DISBURSEMENT BOARD (RSA 146-D:4)**

9:00 a.m.	Room 305, LOB	Regular Meeting
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### **COMMISSION TO STUDY AND RECOMMEND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE NEW HAMPSHIRE HIKING TRAILS NETWORK (RSA 216-F:7)**

10:00 a.m.	Room 100, SH	Regular Meeting
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### **COMMITTEE TO STUDY EDUCATION FUNDING AND THE COST OF AN OPPORTUNITY FOR AN ADEQUATE EDUCATION (HB 356, Chapter 190:1, Laws of 2017)**

10:00 a.m.	Room 209, LOB	Organizational Meeting
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### **COMMISSION TO EVALUATE THE EFFECTIVENESS AND FUTURE OF THE PREMIUM ASSIS- TANCE PROGRAM (RSA 126-A:5-e)**

1:00 p.m.	Room 100, SH	Regular Meeting
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## *TUESDAY, AUGUST 29, 2017*

### **COMMISSION TO ADDRESS CHILD HUNGER IN NEW HAMPSHIRE (RSA 161:12)**

9:00 a.m.	Rooms 306-308, LOB	Regular Meeting
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### **COMMITTEE TO STUDY MENTAL HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICE BUSINESS PROCESS ALIGN- MENT AND INFORMATION SYSTEM INTEROPERABILITY (SB 147, Chapter 116:1, Laws of 2017)**

10:00 a.m.	Room 101, LOB	Organizational Meeting
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### **COMMITTEE TO STUDY REQUIRING PASSENGERS ON SCHOOL BUSES TO WEAR SEAT BELTS (HB 196, Chapter 21:1, Laws of 2017)**

10:00 a.m.	Room 203, LOB	Organizational Meeting
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### **COMMITTEE TO STUDY SUBSIDIES FOR ENERGY PROJECTS PROVIDED BY THE RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARD (SB 51, Chapter 81:1, Laws of 2017)**

10:30 a.m.	Room 103, SH	Organizational Meeting
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### **LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE (RSA 14-B:2)**

11:00 a.m.	Room 104, LOB	Regular Meeting
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### **COMMITTEE TO STUDY TRANSMISSION, DISTRIBUTION, GENERATION, AND OTHER COSTS IN THE STATE'S ELECTRICITY SYSTEM (SB 125, Chapter 83:1, Laws of 2017)**

1:00 p.m.	Room 103, SH	Organizational Meeting
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## *WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30, 2017*

### **COMMITTEE TO STUDY HELMET AND RESTRAINT LAWS FOR YOUTH OPERATORS AND PAS- SENGERS OF OHRVS AND SNOWMOBILES (HB 237, Chapter 236:1, Laws of 2017)**

10:00 a.m.	Room 203, LOB	Organizational Meeting
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**COMMISSION TO STUDY ISSUES RELATING TO PRE-EXISTING DISTRICTS WITHDRAWING FROM A COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT (RSA 195:32)**

10:00 a.m. Room 207, LOB Organizational Meeting

***THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 2017***

**DECENNIAL RETIREMENT COMMISSION (RSA 100-A:57)**

9:00 a.m. Rooms 210-211, LOB Organizational Meeting

**GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION, TREATMENT, AND RECOVERY (RSA 12-J:1)**

9:30 a.m. Rooms 301-303, LOB Regular Meeting

***TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2017***

**COMMITTEE TO STUDY GOLD STAR NUMBER PLATES (HB 81, Chapter 29:1, Laws of 2017)**

10:00 a.m. Room 203, LOB Organizational Meeting

**STATE VETERANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (RSA 115-A:2)**

5:00 p.m. NH National Guard Air Facility Regular Meeting  
26 Regional Drive  
Concord, NH

***WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2017***

**COMMISSION TO STUDY ENVIRONMENTALLY-TRIGGERED CHRONIC ILLNESS (RSA 126-A:73)**

10:00 a.m. Room 205, LOB Organizational Meeting

**COMMITTEE TO STUDY RSA 461-A, RELATIVE TO PARENTAL RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES (HB 378, Chapter 281:1, Laws of 2016)**

10:00 a.m. Room 307, LOB Regular Meeting

**COMMITTEE TO STUDY TEMPORARY SEASONAL DOCKS (HB 195, Chapter 161:1, Laws of 2017)**

10:00 a.m. Room 305, LOB Organizational Meeting

**DECENNIAL RETIREMENT COMMISSION (RSA 100-A:57)**

10:00 a.m. Rooms 210-211, LOB Regular Meeting

**PUBLIC SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION (RSA 198:15-z)**

10:00 a.m. Room 207, LOB Organizational Meeting

**SEACOAST COMMISSION ON LONG TERM GOALS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR DRINKING WATER (RSA 485-F:5)**

11:00 a.m. Room 305, LOB Organizational Meeting

***THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2017***

**NEW HAMPSHIRE DRINKING WATER AND GROUNDWATER ADVISORY COMMISSION (RSA 485-F:4)**

9:00 a.m. Rooms 210-211, LOB Organizational Meeting

**COMMITTEE TO STUDY MEDICATION SYNCHRONIZATION (SB 64, Chapter 81:1, Laws of 2017)**

10:00 a.m. Room 100, SH Regular Meeting

**COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE RESCHEDULING OF ELECTIONS (SB 248, Chapter 216:1, Laws of 2017)**

10:00 a.m. Room 103, SH Organizational Meeting

**COMMISSION TO STUDY PROCESSES TO RESOLVE RIGHT-TO-KNOW COMPLAINTS (RSA 91-A:8-a)**

1:30 p.m. Room 208, LOB Organizational Meeting

## ***FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2017***

### **STATE SUGGESTION AND EXTRAORDINARY SERVICE AWARD EVALUATION COMMITTEE (RSA 99-E:1, I)**

9:30 a.m.                      Room 101, LOB                      Regular Meeting

### **NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE HOUSE BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION (RSA 17-R:1)**

10:00 a.m.                      Room 308, LOB                      Regular Meeting

## ***SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2017***

### **LEGISLATIVE YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 19-K:1)**

1:00 p.m.                      NHTI Community College                      Regular Meeting  
                                  Crocker Sweeney Building  
                                  Room 225  
                                  Concord, NH

## ***MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2017***

### **COASTAL MARINE NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION (RSA 485-G:1)**

9:00 a.m.                      Fish and Game Office                      Regular Meeting  
                                  225 Main Street  
                                  Durham, NH

### **NEW HAMPSHIRE COMMISSION ON DEAFNESS AND HEARING LOSS (RSA 125-Q)**

1:30 p.m.                      Rooms 205-207, LOB                      Regular Meeting

### **NH BRAIN AND SPINAL CORD INJURY ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 137-K:2)**

2:00 p.m.                      Brain Injury Association of NH                      Regular Meeting  
                                  52 Pleasant Street  
                                  Concord, NH

## ***TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2017***

### **ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5)**

10:00 a.m.                      Room 304, LOB                      Regular Meeting

## ***WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2017***

### **WELLNESS AND PRIMARY PREVENTION COUNCIL (RSA 126-M:3)**

9:30 a.m.                      Room 205, LOB                      Regular Meeting

### **COMMISSION TO STUDY CURRENT MENTAL HEALTH PROCEDURES FOR INVOLUNTARY COMMITMENT (RSA 135-C:63-c)**

10:00 a.m.                      Room 206, LOB                      Organizational Meeting

### **COMMITTEE TO STUDY BALANCE BILLING BY HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS (HB 329, Chapter 20:1, Laws of 2017)**

10:00 a.m.                      Room 212, LOB                      Organizational Meeting

## ***THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2017***

### **COMMISSION TO STUDY ALLOWING PHARMACISTS TO PRESCRIBE OR MAKE AVAILABLE VIA PROTOCOL ORAL CONTRACEPTIVES AND CERTAIN RELATED MEDICATIONS (RSA 318:47-k)**

10:00 a.m.                      Room 306, LOB                      Organizational Meeting

### **JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TO EXAMINE THE INDEPENDENT REVIEW OF THE DIVISION FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES (HB 517, Chapter 156:244, Laws of 2017)**

10:00 a.m.                      Room 205, LOB                      Organizational Meeting

## ***FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2017***

### **ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND SUSTAINABLE ENERGY BOARD (RSA 125-O:5-a)**

9:00 a.m.                      NH PUC, Suite 10                      Regular Meeting  
                                      21 South Fruit Street  
                                      Concord, NH

### **COMMISSION TO STUDY GRANDFAMILIES IN NEW HAMPSHIRE (RSA 170-G:17)**

9:30 a.m.                      Rooms 306-308, LOB                      Organizational Meeting

### **NEW HAMPSHIRE RAIL TRANSIT AUTHORITY (RSA 238-A:2)**

10:00 a.m.                      Room 203, LOB                      Regular Meeting

### **PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE OVERSIGHT COMMISSION (RSA 228:107)**

10:00 a.m.                      NH DOT, Room 114                      Organizational Meeting  
                                      7 Hazen Drive  
                                      Concord, NH

## ***MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2017***

### **COMMISSION TO STUDY THE APPORTIONMENT OF GROSS BUSINESS PROFITS UNDER THE BUSINESS PROFITS TAX (RSA 77-A:23)**

10:00 a.m.                      Room 100, SH                      Regular Meeting

### **NEW HAMPSHIRE VETERANS HOME BOARD OF MANAGERS (RSA 119:3-a)**

12:00 p.m.                      NH Veterans Home                      Regular Meeting  
                                      Tarr South Conference Room  
                                      139 Winter Street  
                                      Tilton, NH

## ***TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2017***

### **PUBLIC HIGHER EDUCATION STUDY COMMITTEE (RSA 187-A:28-a)**

10:00 a.m.                      Room 103, LOB                      Regular Meeting

### **COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND THE DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (HB 356, Chapter 190:2, Laws of 2017)**

1:00 p.m.                      Room 103, LOB                      Organizational Meeting

## ***WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2017***

### **CHILDHOOD LEAD POISONING PREVENTION AND SCREENING COMMISSION (RSA 130-A:19)**

10:00 a.m.                      Room 307, LOB                      Regular Meeting

### **STATEWIDE EDUCATION IMPROVEMENT & ASSESSMENT PROGRAM LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT (RSA 193-C:7)**

12:00 p.m.                      Room 100, SH                      Regular Meeting

## ***THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2017***

### **ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2)**

9:00 a.m.                      Rooms 306-308, LOB                      Regular Meeting

### **NH COLLEGE TUITION SAVINGS PLAN ADVISORY COMMISSION (RSA 195-H:2)**

2:00 p.m.                      NH Higher Education Assistance Foundation Special Meeting  
                                      4 Barrell Court  
                                      Concord, NH

**COMMISSION ON POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER AND TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY  
(RSA 115-D)**

2:30 p.m. Walker Building, Room 100 Regular Meeting  
21 South Fruit Street  
Concord, NH

***FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2017***

**WORKERS' COMPENSATION ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 281-A:62)**

9:00 a.m. Room 307, LOB Regular Meeting

***MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2017***

**OIL FUND DISBURSEMENT BOARD (RSA 146-D:4)**

9:00 a.m. Room 305, LOB Regular Meeting

**COMMITTEE TO STUDY EXOTIC AQUATIC WEEDS AND EXOTIC AQUATIC SPECIES OF WILDLIFE  
IN THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE (RSA 487:30)**

11:00 a.m. Room 307, LOB Regular Meeting

**COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE LAWS RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM AND HOMEOWNERS'  
ASSOCIATIONS (RSA 356-B:70)**

1:30 p.m. Room 202, LOB Regular Meeting

**INTERBRANCH CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE COUNCIL (RSA 651-E:2)**

2:00 p.m. Room 204, LOB Regular Meeting

***THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2017***

**COMMISSION ON PRIMARY CARE WORKFORCE ISSUES (RSA 126-T)**

2:00 p.m. NH Medical Society Regular Meeting  
7 North State Street  
Concord, NH

***TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2017***

**COMMISSION TO STUDY NARCAN (RSA 126-A:69)**

10:00 a.m. Room 103, SH Regular Meeting

***FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2017***

**STATE SUGGESTION AND EXTRAORDINARY SERVICE AWARD EVALUATION COMMITTEE  
(RSA 99-E:1, I)**

9:30 a.m. Room 101, LOB Regular Meeting

***THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2017***

**COMMISSION ON POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER AND TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY  
(RSA 115-D)**

2:30 p.m. Walker Building, Room 100 Regular Meeting  
21 South Fruit Street  
Concord, NH

***FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2017***

**ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND SUSTAINABLE ENERGY BOARD (RSA 125-O:5-a)**

9:00 a.m. NH PUC, Suite 10 Regular Meeting  
21 South Fruit Street  
Concord, NH

**WORKERS' COMPENSATION ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 281-A:62)**

9:00 a.m.

Room 307, LOB

Regular Meeting

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**2017 BILLS REREFERRED TO COMMITTEE:****SENATE BILLS: 1, 47, 49, 55, 63, 75, 76, 84, 87, 91, 92, 98, 106, 112, 136, 151, 154, 164, 165, 169, 170, 172, 178, 183, 189, 195, 199, 214, 219, 220, 240****HOUSE BILLS: 79, 121, 122, 143, 151, 173, 225, 296, 305, 337, 342, 372, 390, 472, 549, 557, 560, 561, 574, 614**

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**2017 BILLS REMAINING ON THE TABLE:****SENATE BILLS: 28, 41, 77, 94, 99, 105, 117, 145, 146, 149, 153, 174, 196, 203, 207, 223, 227, 228, 236, 244****HOUSE BILLS: 538, 649**

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**ENROLLED BILL AMENDMENTS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE SENATE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR 2017 BILLS:****SENATE BILLS: 8, 10, 13, 20, 30, 31, 51, 58, 59, 64, 65, 66, 86, 89, 104, 121, 125, 127, 129, 131, 148, 161, 167, 185, 200, 206, 212, 225, 230, 234, 248****HOUSE BILLS: 25, 154, 164, 170, 178, 210, 220, 230, 246, 251, 303, 316, 332, 334, 355, 362, 397, 400, 405, 420, 458, 474, 475, 484, 488, 517, 536, 556, 575, 580, 595, 629, 640, 650, 654**

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## NOTICES

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2017**

The 43rd Annual Bill White & Junie Blaisdell Ceremonial & Memorial Legislative Golf Tournament for the benefit of Veterans Count, the philanthropic arm of Easter Seals NH Military & Veterans Services, is scheduled for Friday, September 8, 2017 at Beaver Meadow Golf Club located in Concord, NH. The entry fee for this annual tournament is \$85 per legislator and legislative staff and \$100 for all others. Entry fees must be received by Friday, September 1, 2017.

Registration begins at 7:15 a.m. and the shotgun start is scheduled for 8:30 a.m. The format is a "Scramble".

Sign-up as a foursome or sign-up by yourself in order to be placed in a foursome (subject to availability of open slots).

Please return your completed entry form and payment no later than Friday, September 1st. (Please note that, for planning purposes, payment must be made no later than Friday, September 1st. All entry forms received after Friday, September 1st will be assessed a \$25 late admittance fee per player. Cancellation must occur two weeks prior to the tournament date to receive a refund)

Checks should be made payable to: NH Legislative Golf Committee.

Mailed to: Demers, Blaisdell & Prasol Inc., Attention to Bob Blaisdell, 72 North Main Street, Suite 301, Concord, NH 03301.

Contact Bob Blaisdell with any questions: 603-228-1498 or [Robert.Blaisdell@Demers-Blaisdell.com](mailto:Robert.Blaisdell@Demers-Blaisdell.com)



**43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Bill White & Clesson "Junie" Blaisdell  
 Ceremonial & Memorial Legislative Golf Tournament  
 Beaver Meadow Golf Course  
 Concord, NH**

Names of Players:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Senator Chuck Morse, Senate President

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**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2017**

The NH Insurance Department is holding a public hearing on the new Workers' Compensation Rate Filings on September 21<sup>st</sup>, at 10:00 a.m., at the offices of the NH Insurance Department, 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 14, Concord. Any interested parties are welcome to attend. For more information, or if you have any questions about the workers' compensation filing, please contact Sally MacFadden, Property & Casualty Actuary, at [sally.macfadden@ins.nh.gov](mailto:sally.macfadden@ins.nh.gov), or by telephone at 603-271-2399.

Senator Donna M. Soucy

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## SENATE CALENDAR SUMMER SCHEDULE

The Senate Calendar will begin its summer schedule of being published every two weeks.

The schedule for the Senate Calendar is as follows:

Thursday, September 7, 2017

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## SENATE SCHEDULE

Monday, September 4, 2017	Labor Day (State Holiday)
Thursday, October 12, 2017	First day to file legislation for 2018 Senate Session.
Thursday, November 2, 2017	Deadline for the Office of Legislative Services to accept drafting of a Senate Bill, Senate Concurrent Resolution, or Senate Joint Resolution with complete information for the 2018 Session.
Friday, November 10, 2017	Veteran's Day (State Holiday)
Thursday, November 23, 2017	Thanksgiving Day (State Holiday)
Friday, November 24, 2017	Day after Thanksgiving (State Holiday)
Thursday, November 30, 2017	Deadline for prime sponsors to sign off on legislation.
Thursday, December 7, 2017	Deadline for co-sponsors to sign off on legislation.
Thursday, December 14, 2017	Deadline to REPORT rereferred bills out of committee.



Monday, December 25, 2017  
Monday, January 1, 2018  
Wednesday, January 3, 2018  
Monday, January 15, 2018  
Monday, February 19, 2017  
Monday, February 26, 2018 –  
Friday, March 02, 2018  
Thursday, March 8, 2018  
  
Thursday, March 22, 2018  
Thursday, April, 19, 2018  
  
Thursday, May 3, 2018  
Thursday, May 10, 2018  
Thursday, May 17, 2018  
Thursday, May 24, 2018  
Monday, May 28, 2018  
Wednesday, July 4, 2018  
Monday, September 3, 2018  
Monday, November 12, 2018  
Thursday, November 22, 2018  
Friday, November 23, 2018  
Tuesday, December 25, 2018

Christmas Day (State Holiday)  
New Year's Day (State Holiday)  
Convening Day.  
Martin Luther King Jr./Civil Rights Day (State Holiday)  
President's Day (State Holiday)

#### SENATE BREAK

Deadline for Policy Committees to ACT on all Senate bills with a fiscal impact, except bills exempted pursuant to Senate Rule 4-5.

CROSSOVER – Deadline to ACT on all Senate bills.

Deadline for Policy Committees to ACT on all House bills with a fiscal impact, except bills exempted pursuant to Senate Rule 4-5.

Deadline to ACT on all House bills.

Deadline to FORM Committees of Conference.

Deadline to SIGN Committee of Conference Reports.

Deadline to ACT on Committee of Conference Reports.

Memorial Day (State Holiday)

Independence Day (State Holiday)

Labor Day (State Holiday)

Veterans' Day (State Holiday)

Thanksgiving Day (State Holiday)

Day after Thanksgiving (State Holiday)

Christmas Day (State Holiday)