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**First Year of the 165th Session of the
New Hampshire General Court**

SENATE CALENDAR

EXECUTIVE SESSIONS

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2017

PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS, Room 101, LOB

Sen. Gray (C), Sen. Ward (VC), Sen. Birdsell, Sen. Kahn, Sen. Woodburn

10:00 a.m. **EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION**

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2017

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, Room 101, LOB

Sen. Bradley (C), Sen. Avard (VC), Sen. Gray, Sen. Fuller Clark, Sen. Hennessey

1:00 p.m. **EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION**

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2017

ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES, Room 103, SH

Sen. Avard (C), Sen. Bradley (VC), Sen. Innis, Sen. Fuller Clark, Sen. Feltes

9:15 a.m. **EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION**

MEETINGS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2017

CURRENT USE BOARD (RSA 79-A:3)

9:30 a.m.	NH Department of Revenue 109 Pleasant Street Concord, NH	Regular Meeting
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HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 126-A:13)

10:00 a.m.	Room 205, LOB	Regular Meeting
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NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE HOUSE BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION (RSA 17-R:1)

10:00 a.m.	Room 308, LOB	Regular Meeting
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2017

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

1:00 p.m.	NHTI Community College Crocker Sweeney Building Room 225 Concord, NH	Regular Meeting
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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2017

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

9:00 a.m.	Fish and Game Office 225 Main Street Durham, NH	Regular Meeting
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NEW HAMPSHIRE COMMISSION ON DEAFNESS AND HEARING LOSS (RSA 125-Q)

1:30 p.m.	Rooms 205-207, LOB	Regular Meeting
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NH BRAIN AND SPINAL CORD INJURY ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 137-K:2)

2:00 p.m.	Brain Injury Association of NH 52 Pleasant Street Concord, NH	Regular Meeting
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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2017

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

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

NEW HAMPSHIRE CANADIAN TRADE COUNCIL (RSA 12-O:22)

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

DEMOGRAPHIC STUDY COMMITTEE (HB 219, Chapter 99:1, Laws of 2017)

1:00 p.m. Room 202, LOB Regular Meeting

COMMITTEE TO STUDY TRANSMISSION, DISTRIBUTION, GENERATION, AND OTHER COSTS IN THE STATE'S ELECTRICITY SYSTEM (SB 125, Chapter 83:1, Laws of 2017)

2:00 p.m. Room 103, SH Regular Meeting

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2017

COMMITTEE TO STUDY SUBSIDIES FOR ENERGY PROJECTS PROVIDED BY THE RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARD (SB 51, Chapter 81:1, Laws of 2017)

9:30 a.m. Room 103, SH Regular Meeting

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

ADVISORY COUNCIL ON LACTATION (RSA 275:76)

11:00 a.m. Room 102, LOB Regular Meeting

COMMISSION TO EVALUATE THE EFFECTIVENESS AND FUTURE OF THE PREMIUM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (RSA 126-A:5-e)

1:00 p.m. Room 100, SH Regular Meeting

LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE (RSA 14-B:2)

2:30 p.m. Room 104, LOB Regular 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

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

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

COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE PROCESS BY WHICH BUSINESS NAMES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE (SB 16, Chapter 106:3, Laws of 2017)

11:00 a.m. Room 103, SH Regular Meeting

NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM STUDY COMMISSION (RSA 483-B:7-a)

11:00 a.m. Room 100, SH Organizational Meeting

DEMOGRAPHIC STUDY COMMITTEE (HB 219, Chapter 99:1, Laws of 2017)

1:00 p.m. Room 202, LOB Regular 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

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

10:00 a.m. Room 205, LOB Regular 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

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

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

NEW HAMPSHIRE CANADIAN TRADE COUNCIL (RSA 12-O:22)

2:00 p.m. Room 100, SH Regular Meeting

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2017**ADVISORY COUNCIL ON CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION (RSA 188-E:10-b)**

9:00 a.m. Room 101, LOB Regular Meeting

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

COMMITTEE TO STUDY EDUCATION FUNDING AND THE COST OF AN OPPORTUNITY FOR AN ADEQUATE EDUCATION (HB 356, Chapter 190:1, Laws of 2017)

1:00 p.m. Room 209, LOB Regular Meeting

NH COURT ACCREDITATION COMMISSION (RSA 490:5-a)

1:00 p.m. NH Supreme Court Regular Meeting
1 Charles Doe
Concord, NH

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2017**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 Regular Meeting

LONG RANGE CAPITAL PLANNING AND UTILIZATION COMMITTEE (RSA 17-M:1)

10:00 a.m. Room 201, LOB Regular Meeting

OVERSIGHT COMMISSION ON CHILDREN'S SERVICES (RSA 170-G:19)

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

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

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

CAPITAL BUDGET OVERVIEW COMMITTEE (RSA 17-J:2)

11:00 a.m. Room 201, 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**COMMITTEE TO STUDY TRANSMISSION, DISTRIBUTION, GENERATION, AND OTHER COSTS IN THE STATE'S ELECTRICITY SYSTEM (SB 125, Chapter 83:1, Laws of 2017)**

9:00 a.m. Room 103, SH Regular Meeting

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

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

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 Regular Meeting

COMMITTEE TO STUDY MENTAL HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICE BUSINESS PROCESS ALIGNMENT AND INFORMATION SYSTEM INTEROPERABILITY (SB 147, Chapter 116:1, Laws of 2017)

10:00 a.m. Room 101, LOB Regular Meeting

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

12:00 p.m. Room 103, SH Regular Meeting

COMMISSION TO EVALUATE THE EFFECTIVENESS AND FUTURE OF THE PREMIUM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (RSA 126-A:5-e)

1:00 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

DECENNIAL RETIREMENT COMMISSION (RSA 100-A:57)

10:00 a.m. Rooms 210-211, 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

ASSESSING STANDARDS BOARD (RSA 21-J:14-a)

9:30 a.m.	NH Department of Revenue 109 Pleasant Street Concord, NH	Regular Meeting
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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2017

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

9:00 a.m.	Room 305, LOB	Regular Meeting
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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
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COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE LAWS RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM AND HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATIONS (RSA 356-B:70)

1:30 p.m.	Room 202, LOB	Regular Meeting
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INTERBRANCH CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE COUNCIL (RSA 651-E:2)

2:00 p.m.	Room 204, LOB	Regular Meeting
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NH LAND AND COMMUNITY HERITAGE AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS (RSA 227-M:4)

3:00 p.m.	Sanborn Mills Farm 7097 Sanborn Road Loudon, NH	Regular Meeting
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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2017

COMMITTEE TO STUDY MENTAL HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICE BUSINESS PROCESS ALIGNMENT AND INFORMATION SYSTEM INTEROPERABILITY (SB 147, Chapter 116:1, Laws of 2017)

10:00 a.m.	Room 101, LOB	Regular Meeting
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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2017

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

10:00 a.m.	Room 100, SH	Regular Meeting
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COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE RESCHEDULING OF ELECTIONS (SB 248, Chapter 216:1, Laws of 2017)

10:00 a.m.	Room 103, SH	Regular Meeting
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COMMISSION ON PRIMARY CARE WORKFORCE ISSUES (RSA 126-T)

2:00 p.m.	NH Medical Society 7 North State Street Concord, NH	Regular Meeting
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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2017

FISCAL COMMITTEE (RSA 14:30-a)

10:00 a.m.	Rooms 210-211, LOB	Regular Business
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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2017

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

10:00 a.m.	Room 103, SH	Regular Meeting
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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2017

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

11:00 a.m.	Room 209, LOB	Regular Meeting
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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2017

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

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

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2017

COMMITTEE TO STUDY MENTAL HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICE BUSINESS PROCESS ALIGNMENT AND INFORMATION SYSTEM INTEROPERABILITY (SB 147, Chapter 116:1, Laws of 2017)

10:00 a.m. Room 101, LOB 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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2017

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

10:00 a.m. Room 103, SH 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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FISCAL NOTE ADDITIONS AND UPDATES HAVE BEEN AMENDED TO THE BILLS ON THE WEB SITE AND ARE AVAILABLE IN THE SENATE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR THE FOLLOWING 2017-2018 BILLS:

SENATE BILLS: 2, 7, 88, 129, 132, 197, 205, 224, 240, 247

HOUSE BILLS: 79, 225, 549, 560, 561, 574

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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

LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE

The Legislative Ethics Committee has voted to issue the following interpretive ruling, which is printed below in its entirety.

INTERPRETIVE RULING 2017-2 (September 6, 2017)

The Committee has received an inquiry regarding whether legislative employees are required to report reimbursement received from the General Court to cover expenses related to completing continuing education courses related to their position with the legislature. Examples of such continuing education courses include programs related to maintaining a registered nurse license for a position as State House Nurse and continuing legal education courses (CLE's) required to maintain active member status in the NH Bar for an employee who is an attorney with the legislature. The Committee adopts the following Interpretive Ruling pursuant to RSA 14-B:3, I (b).

Relevant Provision of Applicable Ethics Guidelines

Ethics Guidelines, Section 8, III Permitted Activities. The activities listed in this paragraph are permitted.

(c) Acceptance of expense reimbursement for the reasonable expenses for attendance, registration, travel, meals, and lodging related to a bona fide conference, meeting, seminar, or educational, cultural, or informational program related to the legislative employee's or officer's employment so long as disclosure of any such reimbursement is made no later than the last day of the month following the month during which the expense reimbursement was received. This disclosure shall be filed in the Office of the Secretary of State and shall be in a form prescribed in RSA 14-C. (Emphasis added)

The Committee Responds as follows:

A legislative employee who receives reimbursement from the General Court for expenses related to completion of continuing education programs which are related to the employee's position with the legislature must report receipt of the reimbursement on the "Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement Report," as prescribed by RSA 14-C:4.

Honorable Donna Sytek, Chairman
Senator Sharon M. Carson, Vice Chairman
Representative Janet G. Wall
Senator Martha Fuller Clark
Representative David A. Welch
Attorney David H. Bradley
Honorable David W. Hess

For the Committee,
Donna Sytek
Chairman

[Vote: 7-0]

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LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE

As a result of recent changes to RSA 14-C -- the ethics law which establishes requirements for legislators, legislative officers, and staff to report acceptance of honorariums, expense reimbursements, and free admission to certain events -- legislators, legislative officers, and staff are now required to report attendance at conferences if they received anything with a value over \$50 in connection with their attendance that was prepaid, free, or reimbursed from any source, including the General Court, NCSL, or CSG, which were formerly exempt.

If you have received stipends or are being reimbursed from the state or organizations like NCSL or CSG for registration, hotel, travel, etc., please be aware that you are required to file the "Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement" form. The deadline for this filing is the end of the month following the month during which the honorarium or expense reimbursement was received. A conference agenda must also be attached. Forms can be picked up at the Secretary of State's Office or may be downloaded from the Legislative Ethics Committee's website at: <http://gencourt.state.nh.us/ethics/default.htm>

Senator Sharon M. Carson

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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

**43rd 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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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2017

The non-partisan Legislative Children's Caucus will meet Wednesday, September 13th at 1:00 p.m. in LOB 206. All legislators are welcome to participate. For more information contact Rep. Skip Berrien at fberrien@gmail.com.

Senator Martha Hennessey

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2017 – SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2017

The 2017 Big E (Eastern States Exposition) opens on September 15th in West Springfield, Massachusetts and runs through October 1st. Each of the New England states operates a state pavilion on the grounds, featuring the arts, tourism, agriculture and small businesses from the state. The NH Building is managed by the NH Department of Agriculture, Markets & Food. You are invited to join us at the Big E and one complimentary ticket is available per legislator. The ticket may be picked up at the NH Department of Agriculture, Markets & Food office at 25 Capitol Street, Concord. The ticket is valid for any day of the fair. New Hampshire Day is September 22nd, with added entertainment and activities throughout the day. Visit www.thebige.com for more information about the Big E.

Senator Jeff Woodburn, Senate Minority Leader

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2017

All Senators are invited to attend a program on Pension Solutions, presented by Robert Williams who crafted a solution to address the pension deficit in the State of Washington. The event is hosted by ALEC-NH and reservations are requested to repulery@comcast.net as a light lunch will be provided.

The event will take place on Wednesday, September 20th at 1:00 p.m. in the Capitol Room of the Holiday Inn.

Senator Gary L. Daniels

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2017 & THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2017

Health Services is inviting you to be trained or recertified in CPR for adult, child and infant; use of automated external defibrillator (AED) for adult and child; and basic first aid. Classes will be held at the Upham-Walker House on Wednesday September 20th and Thursday September 21st with two sessions available each day, one at 8:30 – 12noon and one at 12:30 – 4pm.

Please contact our office at 271-2757 to reserve a spot. Thank you.

Senator Jeb Bradley, Senate Majority Leader

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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 21st, 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, or by telephone at 603-271-2399.

Senator Donna M. Soucy

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

On behalf of the New Hampshire Tree Farm Program and its co-sponsors — UNH Cooperative Extension, the N.H. Division of Forest and Lands, Society For the Protection of New Hampshire Forests, Granite State Division - Society of American Foresters, and the New Hampshire Timberland Owners Association (NHTOA) — we are extending you and a guest a complimentary invitation to the 2017 New Hampshire Tree Farm Field Day. This year's field day is Saturday, September 30, at the Tomapo Tree Farm, located at 110 Storrs Hill Road, Lebanon, N.H.

The following is a highlight of the day's activities (you are invited to attend any one or all of these):

- Forest Management and Maple Sugaring Tours (9:15 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.)
- Hay wagon tour of invasive species control work and county champion Butternut tree (11:30)
- Complimentary pig roast and chicken BBQ lunch (12:30 p.m.)
- Awards Presentation
- Silent Auction and Raffle

Come to the Field Day and learn more about the New Hampshire Tree Farm Program. To register call or email Debbie Park at the NHTOA at dpark@nhtoa.org or (603) 224-9699.

Senator Jeb Bradley, Senate Majority Leader
Senator Jeff Woodburn, Senate Minority Leader

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SENATE SCHEDULE

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	Christmas Day (State Holiday)
Monday, January 1, 2018	New Year's Day (State Holiday)
Wednesday, January 3, 2018	Convening Day.
Monday, January 15, 2018	Martin Luther King Jr./Civil Rights Day (State Holiday)
Monday, February 19, 2017	President's Day (State Holiday)
Monday, February 26, 2018 –	
Friday, March 02, 2018	SENATE BREAK
Thursday, March 8, 2018	Deadline for Policy Committees to ACT on all Senate bills with a fiscal impact, except bills exempted pursuant to Senate Rule 4-5.
Thursday, March 22, 2018	CROSSOVER – Deadline to ACT on all Senate bills.
Thursday, April, 19, 2018	Deadline for Policy Committees to ACT on all House bills with a fiscal impact, except bills exempted pursuant to Senate Rule 4-5.
Thursday, May 3, 2018	Deadline to ACT on all House bills.
Thursday, May 10, 2018	Deadline to FORM Committees of Conference.
Thursday, May 17, 2018	Deadline to SIGN Committee of Conference Reports.

Thursday, May 24, 2018	Deadline to ACT on Committee of Conference Reports.
Monday, May 28, 2018	Memorial Day (State Holiday)
Wednesday, July 4, 2018	Independence Day (State Holiday)
Monday, September 3, 2018	Labor Day (State Holiday)
Monday, November 12, 2018	Veterans' Day (State Holiday)
Thursday, November 22, 2018	Thanksgiving Day (State Holiday)
Friday, November 23, 2018	Day after Thanksgiving (State Holiday)
Tuesday, December 25, 2018	Christmas Day (State Holiday)