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New Hampshire General Court**

SENATE CALENDAR

**THE SENATE WILL MEET IN SESSION ON
THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 2018 AT 10:00 A.M.**

LAI D ON THE TABLE

SB 331, prohibiting Medicaid from paying for sex reassignment drug or hormone therapy or surgery.**03/15/2018, No Pending Motion, Finance, SJ 8**

SB 337, relative to the human rights commission.**02/22/2018, Pending Motion Interim Study, Judiciary, SJ 5**

SB 344-FN, authorizing New England Donor Services, Inc. to issue decals for multi-use decal number plates.**01/18/2018, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Transportation, SJ 2**

SB 353-FN, relative to direct shippers of alcohol.**02/15/2018, Pending Motion Inexpedient to Legislate, Commerce, SJ 4**

SB 355-FN, relative to the names of the colleges in the community college system and making an appropriation therefor.**02/01/2018, Pending Motion Refer to Finance Rule 4-5, Education, SJ 3**

SB 361, relative to dual and concurrent enrollment agreements between high schools and colleges and universities.**02/22/2018, Pending Motion Inexpedient to Legislate, Finance, SJ 5**

SB 371, establishing the Meldrim Thomson, Jr. Memorial Commission.**02/01/2018, Pending Motion Committee Amendment # 2018-0106s, Executive Departments and Administration, SJ 3**

SB 375, requiring gross expenditures and funding in the state operating budget.**01/18/2018, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 2**

SB 397-FN, authorizing the university system of New Hampshire to issue decals for multi-use decal plates.**01/18/2018, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Transportation, SJ 2**

SB 404-FN-A, phasing out the tax on interest and dividends.**03/15/2018, No Pending Motion, Finance, SJ 8**

SB 405, enabling municipalities to adopt a separate exemption against the statewide property tax for certain long-term residents.**03/15/2018, Pending Motion Sen. Giuda Floor Amendment # 2018-1094s, Ways and Means, SJ 8**

SB 419, relative to votes by condominium unit owners.**02/15/2018, Pending Motion Inexpedient to Legislate, Commerce, SJ 4**

SB 422, relative to advance notice of work schedules.**03/08/2018, Pending Motion Ought to Pass, Commerce, SJ 6**

SB 454, relative to ambient water quality standards and maximum contaminant levels for certain perflourinated chemicals.**03/21/2018, Pending Motion Interim Study, Energy and Natural Resources, SJ 9**

SB 465-FN, relative to documentation requirements for the department of labor.**02/01/2018, Pending Motion Inexpedient to Legislate, Executive Departments and Administration, SJ 3**

SB 472, establishing a committee to study the creation of an economic improvement fund.**02/01/2018, Pending Motion Inexpedient to Legislate, Finance, SJ 3**

SB 521-FN, authorizing Sophia's Fund to issue decals for multi-use decal plates.**02/01/2018, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Transportation, SJ 3**

SB 526-FN, relative to school food and nutrition programs.**03/22/2018, Pending Motion Inexpedient to Legislate, Finance, SJ 10**

SB 545-FN, increasing the age for sales and possession of tobacco products.**02/15/2018, Pending Motion Ought to Pass, Health and Human Services, SJ 4**

SB 568-FN, relative to criminal history record checks for school employees and certain volunteers.**03/14/2018, Pending Motion Ought to Pass, Education, SJ 7**

SB 585-FN, authorizing the New Hampshire Breast Cancer Coalition to issue decals for multi-use decal plates.**03/08/2018, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Transportation, SJ 6**

SB 586-FN-A-LOCAL, relative to casino gambling.**04/05/2018, No Pending Motion, Ways and Means, SJ 12**

HB 1741, relative to a definition of “contracted copayment” for purposes of the managed care law.**04/05/2018, Pending Motion Ought to Pass, Health and Human Services, SJ 11**

CACR 20, relating to the retirement age of judges. Providing that the retirement age of judges be increased.**01/18/2018, No Pending Motion, Judiciary, SJ 2**

CONSENT CALENDAR REPORTS

ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

HB 1474, designating the New Hampshire Red as the official state poultry.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Avarð for the committee.

This bill will designate the New Hampshire Red as the official state poultry. A fourth grade class at Canaan Elementary School researched the chicken and found that it has a rich history in our state and has qualities worthy of recognition. The New Hampshire Red is noted for its intelligence, resilience, and ability to withstand cold winters. Such qualities are representative of New Hampshire residents, making the chicken a good choice for the state’s official poultry.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

HB 1415-FN-A, establishing a death benefit for a school employee killed in the line of duty.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Soucy for the committee.

This bill establishes a \$100,000 death benefit for the family of a school employee killed in the line of duty. The Governor, with the consent of the Executive Council, is authorized to draw a warrant for said sum out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

HB 1571, authorizing an alternative recovery monitoring program for nurses licensed by the board of nursing.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Cavanaugh for the committee.

This legislation authorizes the Board of Nursing to operate or contract for an Alternative Recovery Monitoring Program for nurses impaired by substance use disorders or mental or physical illness. This program is similar to those already in existence for doctors and dentists.

HB 1664, relative to terms of appointment of members of governing boards for allied health professionals.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Gannon for the committee.

This bill clarifies the eligibility to reappoint a member of a governing board of an allied health profession to an additional full term. This change will allow an individual who serves a partial term on the Board, less than one-half of that three year term, to be able to serve the partial term plus two full terms.

HB 1665, relative to the authority of the governing boards of allied health professionals.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Reagan for the committee.

This bill clarifies the authority of the governing boards of allied health professionals concerning individuals who are certified by such boards. This will give the board clear guidelines in addition to clarifying authority to what they can or to what they are allowed to do.

JUDICIARY

HB 252, relative to pro se litigants under the right-to-know law.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.
Senator Gannon for the committee.

This bill clarifies the procedures for pro se litigants under the right-to-know law. With this bill, all documents filed with a petition and any responses will automatically be considered evidence in the case, and all documents submitted shall be provided to the opposing party prior to a hearing on the merits. The Committee amended the bill to clarify the language.

HB 1420-FN, relative to a criminal penalty for driving after certification as an habitual offender.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Hennessey for the committee.

This bill reinstates the misdemeanor offense for driving after certification as a habitual offender. That offense had been inadvertently repealed during the amending of the mandatory minimum sentences statute and this bill will appropriately reinstate it.

HB 1564-FN, relative to sexual assault of a victim who is incarcerated in a correctional institution by a person with supervisory or disciplinary authority over the victim.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.
Senator Lasky for the committee.

This bill amends the definition of aggravated felonious sexual assault when a victim is incarcerated in a correctional facility. These changes affirm the Legislature's established policy on recognizing that sexual relations between someone in a position of power and authority over someone in custody or detention, including during transportation, constitutes as sexual assault.

HB 1739-FN, prohibiting female genital mutilation.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.
Senator Carson for the committee.

This bill would impose criminal penalties on those involved in female genital mutilation. The Committee amended the bill to include female genital mutilation within the definition of 'abused child' in order to ensure proper reporting occurs.

PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

HB 1215, relative to voting on variances.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.
Senator Birdsell for the committee.

This bill as amended will require that a municipal zoning board shall use one method consistently for all applications until the board formally votes to change the voting method. This legislation will provide protection from discrimination against applicants.

HB 1304, relative to the authorization for forensic audits by a county convention.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Kahn for the committee.

This bill clarifies that a county delegation has the authority to appropriate a contingency fund for the purpose of forensic audits of county financial matters. Further it provides that the county commissioners shall approve the expenditure for the forensic audits.

HB 1533, relative to termination of variances and special exceptions.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Gray for the committee.

This bill clarifies the process for termination of variances and special exceptions that were authorized before August 19, 2013. It allows for enough notice before termination, that property owners may exercise the variance or special exception should they wish.

HB 1593, authorizing a school district meeting to adopt an article authorizing the trustees of the trust fund to charge certain expenses against capital reserve funds.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Gray for the committee.

This bill will allow school districts to adopt an article authorizing the trustees of the trust fund to charge expenses incurred in employing trust departments of certain financial institutions against capital reserve funds. Municipalities are already allowed to do this and this legislation will extend that authority to the trustee of the school district trust fund.

HB 1638, declaring April 7, 2018 as tabletop gaming day in New Hampshire.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.
Senator Kahn for the committee.

This bill as amended declares April 28, 2018 as tabletop gaming day in New Hampshire. Over the last decade there has been a huge increase in the industry of tabletop board gaming. This legislation will bring New Hampshire in line with many other places participating in tabletop gaming day on April 28th.

REGULAR CALENDAR REPORTS

EDUCATION

HB 1217, amending the certification requirements for school nurses.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Giuda for the committee.

HB 1598-L, relative to the vote to withdraw from a cooperative school district.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Ward for the committee.

HB 1674, relative to computer science and digital skills required for an adequate education.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Kahn for the committee.

ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

HB 1458, relative to exempting certain rules governing marine species from the administrative procedures act.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-1.

Senator Fuller Clark for the committee.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

HB 1335, relative to the cybersecurity software used by the state of New Hampshire.

Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.

Senator Carson for the committee.

HB 1599, relative to the governor's commission on disability.

Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.

Senator Cavanaugh for the committee.

HB 1622, relative to organization of the department of information technology.

Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.

Senator Soucy for the committee.

HB 1817-FN, establishing the position of state demographer and a commission on demographic trends; requiring state agencies to prepare 10-year current services cost projections; and relative to the inclusion of a demographic analysis as part of the legislative fiscal note process.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Carson for the committee.

FINANCE

HB 1736, relative to increasing the threshold required for governor and council approval of expenditures from the dam maintenance fund.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator D'Allesandro for the committee.

HB 1808, repealing certain inactive dedicated funds.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Giuda for the committee.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

HB 1284, relative to the reports required by the incapacitated and vulnerable adult fatality review committee.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Gray for the committee.

HB 1468, establishing a commission to study legislative oversight activities related to the department of health and human services.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 3-0.

Senator Bradley for the committee.

HB 1471-FN, relative to telemedicine and establishing a committee to study health care reimbursement for telemedicine and telehealth.

Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.

Senator Avar for the committee.

HB 1807-FN, relative to exploitation of elderly, disabled, or impaired adults and establishing a protective order for vulnerable adults.

Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.

Senator Hennessey for the committee.

HB 1822-FN, making hormonal contraceptives available directly from pharmacists by means of a standing order.
Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.
Senator Hennessey for the committee.

TRANSPORTATION

HB 1256, relative to decal fees for multi-use veterans decal plates.

Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.

Senator Birdsell for the committee.

HB 1509-FN, authorizing Granite Pathways to issue decals for multi-use decal number plates.

Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.

Senator Ward for the committee.

HB 1513-FN, authorizing the New Hampshire Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Association to issue decals for multi-use decal plates.

Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.

Senator Gannon for the committee.

HB 1538-FN, authorizing Friends of the Hampton Falls Bandstand, Inc. to issue decals for multi-use decal plates.

Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.

Senator Gannon for the committee.

HB 1546-FN, authorizing Seacoast Youth Services to issue decals for multi-use decal plates.

Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.

Senator Ward for the committee.

HB 1697-FN, authorizing the Daniel Webster Council of Boy Scouts of America to issue decals for multi-use decal plates.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 3-0.

Senator Birdsell for the committee.

AMENDMENTS

Senate Judiciary

March 28, 2018

2018-1276s

01/04

Amendment to HB 252

Amend RSA 91-A:7 as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

91-A:7 Violation. Any person aggrieved by a violation of this chapter may petition the superior court for injunctive relief. In order to satisfy the purposes of this chapter, the courts shall give proceedings under this chapter high priority on the court calendar. Such a petitioner may appear with or without counsel. The petition shall be deemed sufficient if it states facts constituting a violation of this chapter, and may be filed by the petitioner or his or her counsel with the clerk of court or any justice thereof. Thereupon the clerk of court or any justice shall order service by copy of the petition on the person or persons charged. ***Subject to objection by the parties or ruling by the court, or both, all documents filed with the petition and any response thereto shall be considered as evidence by the court. All documents submitted shall be provided to the opposing party prior to a hearing on the merits.*** When any justice shall find that time probably is of the essence, he or she may order notice by any reasonable means, and he or she shall have authority to issue an order ex parte when he or she shall reasonably deem such an order necessary to insure compliance with the provisions of this chapter.

Public and Municipal Affairs

April 4, 2018

2018-1352s

03/08

Amendment to HB 1215

Amend RSA 674:33, I(c) as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

(c) The board shall use one voting method consistently for all applications until it formally votes to change the method. Any change in the board's voting method shall not take effect until 60 days after the board has voted to adopt such change and shall apply only prospectively, and not to any application that has been filed and remains pending at the time of the change.

Health and Human Services
 April 5, 2018
 2018-1366s
 01/06

Amendment to HB 1468

Amend RSA 126-A:17-a, V as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

V. The commission shall issue an interim report of its findings and any recommendations for proposed legislation to the speaker of the house of representatives, the president of the senate, the house clerk, the senate clerk, the governor, and the state library on or before November 1, 2019, and shall issue a final report on or before November 1, 2020.

Amend the bill by replacing section 3 with the following:

3 Effective Date.

I. Section 2 of this act shall take effect November 1, 2020.

II. The remainder of this act shall take effect upon its passage.

Senate Judiciary
 April 3, 2018
 2018-1333s
 04/06

Amendment to HB 1564-FN

Amend the bill by replacing section 1 with the following:

1 Aggravated Felonious Sexual Assault. Amend RSA 632-A:2, I(n)(1) to read as follows:

(1) When the actor has direct supervisory ~~[or]~~, disciplinary, **or other authority authorized by law over, or direct responsibility for maintaining detention of,** the victim by virtue of the victim being **detained or** incarcerated in a correctional institution, the secure psychiatric unit, ~~[or]~~ juvenile detention facility ~~[where the actor is employed], or any other setting in which the victim is not free to leave;~~ or

2018-1333s

AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill amends the elements necessary for charging aggravated felonious sexual assault in cases where the victim is incarcerated in a correctional facility or is detained in any other setting in which the victim is not free to leave.

Public and Municipal Affairs
 April 4, 2018
 2018-1353s
 08/03

Amendment to HB 1638

Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:

AN ACT declaring April 28, 2018 as tabletop gaming day in New Hampshire.

Amend the bill by replacing section 1 with the following:

1 Tabletop Gaming Day. The general court proclaims April 28, 2018 as tabletop gaming day.

2018-1353s

AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill declares April 28, 2018 as tabletop gaming day in New Hampshire.

Senate Transportation
 April 3, 2018
 2018-1336s
 03/04

Amendment to HB 1697-FN

Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:

AN ACT authorizing the Daniel Webster Council of Boy Scouts of America and the New England Patriots Charitable Foundation, Inc. to issue decals for multi-use decal plates.

Amend RSA 261-B:9 as inserted by section 1 of the bill by inserting after paragraph II the following new paragraph:

III. The New England Patriots Charitable Foundation, Inc.

2018-1336s

AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill authorizes the Daniel Webster Council of Boy Scouts of America and the New England Patriots Charitable Foundation, Inc. to issue decals for multi-use decal plates.

Senate Judiciary

March 28, 2018

2018-1278s

08/04

Amendment to HB 1739-FN

Amend RSA 632-A:10-d as inserted by section 1 of the bill by inserting after paragraph III the following new paragraph:

IV. Any child subjected to conduct prohibited by paragraph I, but which is not justified pursuant to paragraph III, shall be considered an abused child pursuant to RSA 169-C:3, II.

Amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following and renumbering the original section 2 to read as 3:

2 Abused Child; Definition. Amend RSA 169-C:3, II(d) to read as follows:

(d) Physically injured by other than accidental means; *or*

(e) *Subjected to an act prohibited by RSA 632-A:10-d.*

HEARINGS

MONDAY, APRIL 9, 2018

JUDICIARY, Room 100, SH

Sen. Carson (C), Sen. Lasky (VC), Sen. French, Sen. Gannon, Sen. Hennessey

1:00 p.m. **HB 134-FN**, relative to causes for divorce.

1:15 p.m. **HB 1295**, relative to persons held in civil contempt.

1:30 p.m. **HB 1316-FN**, relative to revenue collected from concealed carry licenses.

2:00 p.m. **HB 1537**, relative to a second opinion on health care matters for state or county prisoners.

2:15 p.m. **HB 1357**, relative to the delivery of articles to a prisoner in a state or county correctional facility.

2:30 p.m. **HB 476**, relative to the duties of registers of probate.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 2018

COMMERCE, Room 100, SH

Sen. Innis (C), Sen. French (VC), Sen. Sanborn, Sen. Soucy, Sen. Lasky

1:00 p.m. **HB 1740**, relative to costs of blood testing orders.

1:15 p.m. **HB 1407**, repealing the prohibition on the use of milk containers.

- 1:30 p.m. **HB 1285**, relative to dancers and entertainers in premises serving alcoholic beverages.
- 1:45 p.m. **HB 1382**, repealing the requirement that restaurants provide separate bathrooms for each sex.
- 2:00 p.m. **HB 1416-FN**, repealing the prohibition on bottle rockets.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

EDUCATION, Room 103, LOB

Sen. Reagan (C), Sen. Giuda (VC), Sen. Ward, Sen. Watters, Sen. Kahn

- 9:00 a.m. **HB 1698-FN-L**, relative to the cost of special education services for foster children.
- 9:10 a.m. **HB 1499**, relative to the focus and components of New Hampshire kindergartens.
- 9:20 a.m. Public hearing on Amendment #1370s to HB 1499, relative to the focus and components of New Hampshire kindergartens.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

ELECTION LAW AND INTERNAL AFFAIRS, Room 102, LOB

Sen. Birdsell (C), Sen. Gray (VC), Sen. Sanborn, Sen. Soucy, Sen. Woodburn

- 10:00 a.m. **HB 1264**, relative to construction of the terms “resident,” “inhabitant,” “residence,” and “residency.”
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES, Room 103, SH

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

- 9:15 a.m. **HB 1238**, relative to animal cruelty involving an equine colt.
- 9:20 a.m. **HB 1289**, relative to trespassing domestic fowl.
- 9:25 a.m. **HB 1309**, relative to transferring dogs, cats, and ferrets by animal shelter facilities.
- 9:30 a.m. **HB 1402**, relative to ordinances regarding forestry activities.
- 9:45 a.m. **HB 1689-FN**, repealing the repeal of the pollution prevention program of the department of environmental services.
- 9:50 a.m. **HB 1810**, establishing a commission to study the effectiveness of the current statutes related to management of non-tidal public water ways and the construction or placement of structures within them.
- 10:00 a.m. **HB 1592-FN**, requiring the commissioner of the department of environmental services to review standards relative to arsenic contamination in drinking water.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

FINANCE, Room 103, SH

Sen. Daniels (C), Sen. Reagan (VC), Sen. Giuda, Sen. Morse, Sen. D’Allesandro, Sen. Feltes

- 1:00 p.m. **HB 1411-FN-A**, relative to funds transferred to the nongame species account.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, Room 101, LOB

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

- 1:00 p.m. **HB 1356**, relative to data sharing between the department of environmental services and the department of health and human services.
- 1:15 p.m. Hearing on proposed Amendment #2018-1291s, relative to data sharing between the department of environmental services and the department of health and human services and making an appropriation to the department of business and economic affairs for relocation costs., to HB 1356, relative to data sharing between the department of environmental services and the department of health and human services.

- 1:30 p.m. **HB 1562-FN**, relative to the role of foster parents.
- 1:45 p.m. **HB 587-FN**, relative to conversion therapy seeking to change a person's sexual orientation.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

JUDICIARY, Room 100, SH

Sen. Carson (C), Sen. Lasky (VC), Sen. French, Sen. Gannon, Sen. Hennessey

- 9:00 a.m. **HB 1265**, relative to the release of criminal conviction records.
- 9:15 a.m. **HB 1347**, relative to information to be included in the minutes under the right-to-know law.
- 9:30 a.m. **HB 1467**, relative to the penalty for driving after revocation or suspension.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

TRANSPORTATION, Room 103, LOB

Sen. Birdsell (C), Sen. Gannon (VC), Sen. Ward, Sen. Watters, Sen. Cavanaugh

- 1:00 p.m. **HB 1718-FN**, relative to surveillance on the public ways of the state.
- 1:15 p.m. **HB 1763-FN-A**, establishing a road usage fee and making an appropriation therefor.
- 1:30 p.m. **HB 2018**, relative to the state 10-year transportation improvement program.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 2018

COMMERCE, Room 100, SH

Sen. Innis (C), Sen. French (VC), Sen. Sanborn, Sen. Soucy, Sen. Lasky

- 3:00 p.m. **EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION**

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 101, LOB

Sen. Carson (C), Sen. Reagan (VC), Sen. Gannon, Sen. Soucy, Sen. Cavanaugh

- 9:00 a.m. **HB 1530**, requiring criminal history records checks for applicants for allied health professional licensure or certification.
- 9:15 a.m. **HB 1684**, relative to criminal background checks for emergency medical services license applicants.
- 9:30 a.m. **HB 1623**, relative to criteria for debarment of vendors.
- 9:45 a.m. **HB 1624**, relative to state procurement practices and criteria for acceptance of bids.
- 10:00 a.m. **HB 1738**, transferring the division of film and digital media to the division of travel and tourism in the department of business and economic affairs.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS, Room 102, LOB

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

- 9:00 a.m. **HB 1247**, relative to administering oaths to certain state officers.
- 9:15 a.m. **HB 1294**, relative to religious societies.
- 9:30 a.m. **HB 1484**, relative to late fees in manufactured housing parks.
- 9:45 a.m. **HB 1786-L**, prohibiting costs for inspection of governmental records under the right-to-know law.
- 10:00 a.m. **HB 1450**, relative to retention of job applications and personnel files.
- 10:15 a.m. **HB 1579-FN**, requiring records to be kept for certain exempt convenings under the right-to-know law.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 2018

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, Room 101, LOB

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

Note: The committee will meet at 1:00 p.m. or 10 minutes following the end of Session.

1:00 p.m.

HB 1476, permitting qualifying patients and designated caregivers to cultivate cannabis for therapeutic use.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 2018

FINANCE, Rooms 210-211, LOB

Sen. Daniels (C), Sen. Reagan (VC), Sen. Giuda, Sen. Morse, Sen. D'Allesandro, Sen. Feltes

JOINT ECONOMIC UPDATE - WITH HOUSE FINANCE AND HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEES

9:00 a.m.

Department of Revenue Administration (Impact of Tax Reform on the State)

10:00 a.m.

Dr. Kenneth Johnson, Senior Demographer, Carsey School of Public Policy; Professor of Sociology, University of New Hampshire (State Demographic Trends)

11:00 a.m.

Dr. Ross Gittell, Chancellor, Community College System of New Hampshire (State and Regional Economic Update)

1:00 p.m.

Dr. Daniel H. Cooper, Senior Economist and Policy Advisor, Research Department, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston (National Economic Update)

2:00 p.m.

Russ Thibeault, President, Applied Economic Research (State Real Estate Conditions)

3:00 p.m.

Bruce DeMay, Director, Economic and Labor Market Information Bureau, New Hampshire Employment Security (State Labor Conditions)

TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 2018

COMMERCE, Room 100, SH

Sen. Innis (C), Sen. French (VC), Sen. Sanborn, Sen. Soucy, Sen. Lasky

1:00 p.m.

HB 1605, relative to reinsurance.

1:15 p.m.

HB 1487, relative to banks and credit unions.

1:30 p.m.

HB 1687, relative to banking and consumer credit.

1:45 p.m.

HB 1682-FN, establishing a committee to study the pervasiveness of foreclosure practices that violate state or federal law.

2:00 p.m.

HB 1700, relative to the procedure for placing a security freeze on a consumer credit report.

2:15 p.m.

HB 1201, relative to an employee's earned but unused vacation time.

2:30 p.m.

HB 407-FN, requiring workers' compensation to cover prophylactic treatment for exposure.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 2018

COMMERCE, Room 100, SH

Sen. Innis (C), Sen. French (VC), Sen. Sanborn, Sen. Soucy, Sen. Lasky

1:00 p.m.

HB 1601, relative to a declarant's options for condominium expansion.

1:15 p.m.

HB 1781, relative to condominiums with 10 or fewer residential units.

1:30 p.m.

HB 1519, relative to the conduct of condominium unit owners' associations votes without a meeting.

1:45 p.m.

HB 1521, relative to the definition of an emergency for a special assessment in a condominium.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

MEETINGS

FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 2018

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

1:00 p.m.	NH DRA, Conference Room 334 109 Pleasant Street Concord, NH	Subcommittee Meeting - Utility Valuation
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MONDAY, APRIL 9, 2018

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

1:00 p.m.	Room 206, LOB	Regular Meeting
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HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 126-A:13)

1:00 p.m.	Room 203, LOB	Subcommittee Meeting - Foster Care
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NEW HAMPSHIRE COMMISSION ON DEAFNESS AND HEARING LOSS (RSA 125-Q)

1:30 p.m.	Room 205, LOB	Regular Meeting
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SEACOAST COMMISSION ON LONG TERM GOALS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR DRINKING WATER (RSA 485-F:5)

2:00 p.m.	NHDES Regional Offices, Room A 222 International Drive, Suite 175 Pease Tradeport, Portsmouth, NH	Regular Meeting
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TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 2018

LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE (RSA 14-B:2)

3:00 p.m.	Room 104, LOB	Regular Meeting
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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 2018

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

9:00 a.m.	New Futures Conference Room Ferry Street Concord, NH	Regular Meeting
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FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 2018

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

9:00 a.m.	Room 303, LOB	Subcommittee Meeting - Manual
9:30 a.m.	Room 303, LOB	Regular Meeting

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

9:00 a.m.	Room 100, SH	Regular Meeting
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STATE SUGGESTION AND EXTRAORDINARY SERVICE AWARD EVALUATION COMMITTEE (RSA 99-E:1, I)

9:30 a.m.	Room 101, LOB	Regular Meeting
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COMMISSION TO STUDY ENVIRONMENTALLY-TRIGGERED CHRONIC ILLNESS (RSA 126-A:73)

10:00 a.m.	Room 205, LOB	Regular Meeting
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COMMISSION TO STUDY GRANDFAMILIES IN NEW HAMPSHIRE (RSA 170-G:17)

10:00 a.m.	Rooms 206-208, LOB	Regular Meeting
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HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 126-A:13)

10:00 a.m. Rooms 202-204, 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)

1:00 p.m. Room 101, LOB Regular Meeting

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

1:00 p.m. Room 308, LOB Regular Meeting

MONDAY, APRIL 16, 2018**COMMISSION TO STUDY THE LEGALIZATION, REGULATION, AND TAXATION OF MARIJUANA (RSA 318-B:46)**

9:00 a.m. Rooms 202-204, LOB

Presentation

9:45 a.m. Rooms 202-204, LOB

Public comment: Time Limited to three minutes per speaker. Please be aware the meeting will close at 11:00 a.m. Written testimony will be accepted.

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

9:00 a.m. NH Veterans Home
Tarr South Conference Room
139 Winter Street
Tilton, NH

Regular Meeting

THE DIVISION FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES ADVISORY BOARD (RSA 170-G:6-a)

2:00 p.m. Room 307, LOB Regular Meeting

TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 2018**NH LAND AND COMMUNITY HERITAGE AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS (RSA 227-M:4)**

3:00 p.m. Canterbury Shaker Village
288 Shaker Road
Canterbury, NH

Regular Meeting

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 2018**NEW HAMPSHIRE DRINKING WATER AND GROUNDWATER ADVISORY COMMISSION (RSA 485-F:4)**

8:00 a.m. Department of Environmental Services
Room 208 C
29 Hazen Drive
Concord, NH

Regular Meeting

THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 2018**COMMISSION ON POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER AND TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY (RSA 115-D)**

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

Regular Meeting

FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 2018**ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2)**

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

Regular Meeting

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

9:00 a.m. NH Public Utilities Commission Regular Meeting
 Hearing Room A
 21 South Fruit Street Suite 10
 Concord, NH

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

MONDAY, APRIL 23, 2018**COMMISSION ON HISTORIC BURYING GROUNDS (RSA 227-C:12-a)**

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 2018**COMMISSION ON PRIMARY CARE WORKFORCE ISSUES (RSA 126-T)**

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

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 2018**NEW HAMPSHIRE CANADIAN TRADE COUNCIL (RSA 12-O:22)**

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

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 2018**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 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)

1:00 p.m. Room 205, LOB Regular Meeting

TUESDAY, MAY 1, 2018**STATE VETERANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (RSA 115-A:2)**

5:00 p.m. NH National Guard Regional Regular Meeting
 Training Institute
 722 Riverwood Drive
 Pembroke, NH

FRIDAY, MAY 4, 2018**ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2)**

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

COMMISSION TO REVIEW CHILD ABUSE FATALITIES (RSA 169-C:39-k)

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

FRIDAY, MAY 11, 2018**STATE SUGGESTION AND EXTRAORDINARY SERVICE AWARD EVALUATION COMMITTEE (RSA 99-E:1, I)**

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

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 126-A:13)

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

THURSDAY, MAY 17, 2018

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

2:30 p.m.

Walker Building, Room 100
21 South Fruit Street
Concord, NH

Regular Meeting

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 2018

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2)

9:00 a.m.

Rooms 306-308, LOB

Regular Meeting

MONDAY, MAY 21, 2018

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

1:30 p.m.

Room 204, LOB

Regular Meeting

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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, 63, 88, 128, 132, 164, 165, 172, 193, 197, 205, 215, 224, 240, 247, 301, 309, 310, 324, 332, 334, 370, 372, 376, 390, 391, 396, 408, 410, 411, 429, 432, 446, 450, 468, 471, 496, 497, 498, 504, 520, 525, 526, 528, 529, 531, 533, 535, 538, 539, 541, 544, 546, 548, 553, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 563, 564, 566, 569, 571, 573, 574, 575, 576, 582, 590, 592

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ENROLLED BILL AMENDMENTS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE SENATE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR 2017-2018 BILLS:

SENATE BILLS: 48, 247

HOUSE BILLS: 1370

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NOTICES

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 2018

House and Senate members are invited to a legislative breakfast in the State House cafeteria on Tuesday, April 10th from 8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m., sponsored by the NH Community Behavioral Health Association and the Voices for Mental Health campaign. Community mental health center staff and board members and Voices for Mental Health campaign volunteers will be present to meet with legislators and discuss the work they do in your communities.

Senator Jeb Bradley, Senate Majority Leader

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TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 2018

The New Hampshire Women's Foundation cordially invites all legislators to join us for lunch on Tuesday, April 10th at 12:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 21 Centre Street in Concord. The Women's Foundation provides grants to nonprofit organizations serving women and girls all over New Hampshire. This lunch is an opportunity to meet some of the recent grantees and learn more about the important work they do in your community. RSVP is not required, but your response to sarah@nhwomensfoundation.org is appreciated. We look forward to seeing you there.

Senator Jeb Bradley, Senate Majority Leader
Senator Bette R. Lasky

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THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 2018**NH Snowmobile Association Legislative Breakfast**

The members of the NH Snowmobile Association cordially invite all Senate members and staff to a reception in the State House cafeteria on Thursday, April 12th, from 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. where a breakfast will be served. We look forward to seeing you there.

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

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TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 2018

The Granite State Children's Alliance, NH's network of Child Advocacy Centers is hosting a luncheon on April 17th from 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. at Saint Paul's Church in Concord. We are excited about sharing progress we have made with our KNOW & TELL initiative, to educate and empower adults to KNOW the signs of child abuse and TELL responsible authorities when they recognize them.

Senator Bette R. Lasky

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THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 2018

Please join The New Hampshire Alliance for Healthy Aging (NH AHA) for breakfast on April 19th from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. in the State House Cafeteria. Come learn about AHA's vision and mission to create communities that support older adults and their families.

Senator Sharon M. Carson
Senator Martha Fuller Clark

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THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 2018 – SUNDAY, APRIL 22, 2018

The sixth annual Monadnock International Film Festival (MONIFF) will take place April 19th-22nd at the Colonial Theatre in downtown Keene, NH and at the Putnam Theatre on the Keene State College Campus. MONIFF showcases award-winning independent films, both domestic and foreign, along with regionally produced films. The festival concludes on Sunday afternoon, April 22nd with a Best of Fest at Peterborough's Community Theatre with screenings of the audience award winning films and the Jonathan Daniels honored film.

Senator Jay Kahn

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SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 2018

All legislators, staff, friends & family are invited to attend Discover WILD New Hampshire Day! The event is set for Saturday, April 21st, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on the grounds of the Fish and Game Department at 11 Hazen Drive in Concord, N.H. Rain or shine! Discover WILD New Hampshire Day is a fun way to explore New Hampshire's wildlife resources and outdoor traditions. See live animals, big fish, trained falcons, and retriever dogs in action. More than 60 outdoor and conservation organizations from around the state will be on hand with exhibits and demonstrations. Check out the latest hunting and fishing gear in the Expo tent. This family-friendly event includes lots of free hands-on activities for the kids. Fishing and hunting licenses will be sold, and food concessions are available all day. Please note that no dogs, except service and working animals, are permitted at the event. Admission is free.

Senator David Watters

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TUESDAY, MAY 1, 2018

The New Hampshire Rare Action Network cordially invites all Legislators and staff to attend a reception for Rare Disease Day in the State House cafeteria on Tuesday, May 1st, from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet some of your constituents living with rare diseases and learn about how legislation affects the rare disease community. Light refreshments will be provided.

Senator Dan Feltes

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THURSDAY, MAY 3, 2018

It's that time! The NH Oral Health Coalition invites all legislators to join us for our Annual Legislative Breakfast, "Banding Together for NH's Oral Health," on Thursday, May 3 from 7:30 to 9:00 a.m. in the State House Cafeteria. A hot breakfast will be served by Elizabeth's Kitchen. As always, local community oral health providers will be there with displays and information. RSVP to: info@nhoralhealth.org or call 603-415-5550.

Senator Jeff Woodburn, Senate Minority Leader

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THURSDAY, MAY 3, 2018

The New Hampshire Beverage Association (NHBA) cordially invites all House and Senate members to enjoy lunch on Thursday, May 3rd in the State House Cafeteria. NHBA member companies will be in attendance with samples that demonstrate the options they offer in the marketplace. Please stop by for lunch and to learn more about the beverage industry's efforts to provide choice for consumers. See you there!

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

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THURSDAY, MAY 3, 2018

The University of New Hampshire is hosting the third annual University Day on the State House lawn on Thursday, May 3 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Enjoy a BBQ lunch provided by UNH's award-winning dining services and music by a student band. Explore a wide range of exhibits and interactive demonstrations led by world-renowned researchers, students, faculty and staff at UNH. Learn more about how the education, research, programs and activities at your state flagship university benefit the Granite State.

Senator Lou D'Allesandro

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TUESDAY, MAY 8, 2018

All Senators and staff are invited to the Biennial Legislative Health Screening Day presented by Health Services. This event will be held on Tuesday, May 8th on the 3rd floor of the LOB from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. There will be screenings for blood pressure, blood sugar, glaucoma and fall prevention balance. Chair massages, nutritional counseling and many more organizations will be available. Got questions? Bring them to our participating professionals including dentists, pharmacists and optometrists for quick and up to date information. I'm looking forward to seeing all of you and having you obtain knowledge in a relaxed fun way. There will be door prizes and refreshments.

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

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SENATE SCHEDULE

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)