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SENATE CALENDAR

**THE SENATE WILL MEET IN SESSION ON
THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2019 AT 10:00 A.M.**

LAID ON THE TABLE

SB 83-FN-A, increasing funding for the New Hampshire innovation research center and making an appropriation therefor.**03/14/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 8**

SB 84-FN-A, making appropriations to the department of health and human services for homeless services expansion.**03/14/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 8**

SB 91, relative to the release of a defendant pending trial.**03/14/2019, Pending Motion Inexpedient to Legislate, Judiciary, SJ 8**

SB 107-FN, relative to extended foster care under the child protection act.**03/14/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 8**

SB 116-FN, relative to an assistance program for grandparents caring for minor children and making an appropriation therefor.**03/27/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 10**

SB 117, relative to certain procedures conducted in teaching hospitals.**03/28/2019, Pending Motion Rerefer to Committee, Health and Human Services, SJ 11**

SB 130-FN, establishing positions in the department of justice and the department of safety to work in the cold case homicide unit.**03/21/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 9**

SB 135-FN-A, relative to the rates of the business profits tax and the business enterprise tax.**03/14/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Ways and Means, SJ 8**

SB 143, relative to administrative costs of state aid for special education.**03/27/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 10**

SB 161, relative to the definition of pet vendor, the transfer of animals, and establishing the position of accounting clerk in the department of agriculture, markets, and food.**03/21/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 9**

SB 170-FN-A, making an appropriation to fund the cross border drug interdiction program.**03/14/2019, Pending Motion Inexpedient to Legislate, Finance, SJ 8**

SB 202-FN-A, establishing a stormwater management and flood resilience fund within the department of environmental services and making an appropriation to the fund.**03/14/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 8**

SB 213, relative to immunity for private campground owners.**03/28/2019, Pending Motion Rerefer to Committee, Judiciary, SJ 11**

SB 230-FN, requiring the attorney general to hire staff to supervise election law, campaign finance law, and lobbying matters.**03/21/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 9**

SB 234-FN, establishing the position of director of the office of outdoor recreation industry development in the department of business and economic affairs.**03/28/2019, Pending Motion Inexpedient to Legislate, Finance, SJ 11**

SB 236-FN-A, making an appropriation to the department of health and human services for the purposes of upgrades to substance use disorder treatment facilities.**03/27/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 10**

SB 243-FN, relative to the low and moderate income homeowners property tax relief program.**03/28/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 11**

SB 247-FN-A, establishing a sunny day fund and grant program.**03/21/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 9**

SB 253-FN, relative to statewide deployment of a real-time threat notification system for schools.**03/27/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 10**

SB 259-FN, expanding eligibility for Medicaid for employed adults with disabilities age 65 and over.**03/21/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 9**

SB 260-FN, establishing the New Hampshire pharmaceutical assistance pilot program for seniors and making an appropriation therefor.**03/27/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 10**

SB 265-FN-LOCAL, relative to maintaining stabilization grants at the current level.**03/07/2019, Pending Motion Refer to Finance Rule 4-5, Education and Workforce Development, SJ 7**

SB 266-FN, relative to funding for kindergarten pupils, keno revenues, and school building aid.**03/28/2019, Pending Motion Ought to Pass with Amendment #2019-1168s, Finance, SJ 11**

SB 277-FN-LOCAL, relative to grants to chartered public schools.**03/14/2019, Pending Motion Committee Amendment # 2019-0816s, Education and Workforce Development, SJ 8**

SB 280-FN-LOCAL, relative to the cost of an adequate education.**03/07/2019, Pending Motion Inexpedient to Legislate, Education and Workforce Development, SJ 7**

SB 281-FN-A-LOCAL, relative to mental health services for schools and making an appropriation therefor.**03/27/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 10**

SB 291-FN, relative to the construction of new mental health facilities.**03/27/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 10**

SB 294-FN-A-LOCAL, relative to juvenile diversion programs.**03/27/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 10**

SB 301-FN-A-LOCAL, relative to the rates of the business profits tax and business enterprise tax, and relative to revenue sharing with cities and towns.**03/14/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Ways and Means, SJ 8**

SB 303-FN, relative to state aid to school districts.**03/14/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 8**

SB 306-FN, establishing the housing appeals board.**03/28/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 11**

SB 308-FN-A, relative to the health care workforce and making appropriations therefor.**03/27/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 10**

SB 309-FN-LOCAL, relative to stabilization grants for education.**03/21/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 9**

SB 313-FN, establishing a citizen's right-to-know appeals commission and a right-to-know law ombudsman and making an appropriation therefor.**03/27/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Finance, SJ 10**

SB 317-FN, prohibiting sanctuary jurisdictions in New Hampshire.**03/14/2019, Pending Motion Committee Amendment # 2019-0794s, Judiciary, SJ 8**

SB 318, relative to donations to the education tax credit program.**03/28/2019, Pending Motion Committee Amendment # 2019-1203s, Ways and Means, SJ 11**

HB 437, establishing a commission to study parental alienation.**04/25/2019, Pending Motion Committee Amendment # 2019-1542s, Judiciary, SJ 14**

HB 726-FN, establishing a secure forensic psychiatric hospital advisory council and establishing a new forensic psychiatric hospital and making an appropriation therefor.**04/11/2019, Pending Motion OT3rdg, Health and Human Services, SJ 12**

CONSENT CALENDAR REPORTS

COMMERCE

HB 450, relative to examinations conducted by the banking department.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Morgan for the committee.

This bill, a request of the banking department, clarifies the authority of the bank commissioner to conduct investigations and examinations on certain regulated entities and the cost of such examinations born by the entity being examined. This bill will assist the department in providing consistent treatment for examinations both inside and outside New Hampshire.

HB 598, establishing a commission to study beer, wine, and liquor tourism.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator French for the committee.

This bill establishes a commission to study beer, wine, and liquor tourism in New Hampshire. The committee feels that the creation of this commission will help to solve the issues that New Hampshire local businesses currently face in regards to promoting their products.

HB 670-FN, relative to the cost of prescription drugs.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Cavanaugh for the committee.

This bill requires health insurance carriers to maintain certain information relative to prescription drug costs within their data systems for purposes of the managed care law. This bill also requires health insurance carriers to have access to, as well as maintain, data systems about the costs at the counter for their consumers. The committee feels that this bill will assist the department in identifying the cost drivers of insurance, which will be detailed in their annual report.

EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

HB 383, relative to the prohibition on unlawful discrimination in public and nonpublic schools.

Re-refer to Committee, Vote 5-0.

Senator Kahn for the committee.

This bill prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex, gender identity, race color, marital status, physical or mental disability, religious creed, or natural origin in any public school, non-public school, or approved school tuition program. In consideration of SB 263, which is very similar to this bill, the committee recommends re-refer to further research how the two bills may complement each other and provide comprehensive protection from discrimination.

HB 448, making technical corrections in the department of education.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Ward for the committee.

This bill makes technical corrections to terms within the statutes regarding the Department of Education. These corrections in no way affect the intent of the statutes and are just meant to bring clarification and consistency.

HB 570, establishing a commission to study career pathways from full-time service year programs to post-secondary education and employment opportunities in support of New Hampshire's future workforce needs.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.

Senator Morgan for the committee.

This bill as amended establishes a commission to study career pathways from full-time service year programs to postsecondary education and employment opportunities in support of New Hampshire's future workforce needs. The AmeriCorps program awards tuition money to those who finish a service year. This commission will research the ways in which those that do their service year in NH could be encouraged to use their tuition grants at one of the state's institutions of higher learning. The amendment gives additional time for the final report of the commission to be filed.

ELECTION LAW AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

HB 145, relative to the counting of secret ballots.

Inexpedient to Legislate, Vote 5-0.

Senator Gray for the committee.

The intent of this bill was to guarantee that a ballot cast at Town meeting would not be disregarded for failure to follow instructions if the voters intent can be determined. Language to this effect has been added to HB 146, therefore this legislation, if passed, would be redundant.

HB 146, relative to the counting of defective ballots.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.

Senator Gray for the committee.

This bill as amended requires that all ballots cast at Town Meeting shall be counted if the intent of the voter can be determined, regardless of whether the voter followed any voting instructions issued prior to the vote. Adding this to statute will bring clarity and guidance in situations where the moderator needs to decide the validity of a ballot and aligns this statute with RSA 659:64.

HB 297, relative to political advertisements on behalf of political committees or advocacy organizations.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Birdsell for the committee.

This bill requires that any political advertisements made on behalf of political action committees or political advocacy organizations contain the same name and address on the advertisement as is registered with the secretary of state. This will insure that the public and candidates will have an added level of transparency during an election season.

HB 301-FN-L, relative to funeral and burial or cremation expenses for assisted persons.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Sherman for the committee.

This bill will authorize towns and cities to access certain funds for burial or cremation of assisted persons. Under RSA 165 local welfare offices are required to pay for basic needs such as burial expenses. With the passage of this legislation, it will allow funds to be accessed up to \$2,000 instead of only \$1,000 as current law allows. The funeral profession has always cared for the people in the community and they are facing an increased number of indigent deaths due to the opioid crisis. The change in language creates a limit of \$2,000 which reflects real cost for the funeral homes.

HB 312, establishing a committee to study tiny houses.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Morgan for the committee.

This bill will establish a committee to study tiny houses and the communities where they reside. Currently, state building codes do not allow for tiny homes and the statutes for mobile homes do not apply. These homes are very popular with the younger generation of who do not want to be tied to a particular place or housing market. Tiny homes are more affordable and may help with the workforce housing shortage in New Hampshire. With the passage of this bill, New Hampshire will take a real leadership role in determining how to build codes and statutes to govern issues related to tiny homes.

HB 370, relative to membership on city and town planning boards.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Levesque for the committee.

This bill removes the prohibition against appointed city planning board members holding other municipal office and permits any two appointed or elected members of a city or town planning board to serve on other municipal boards or commissions, subject to certain restrictions. Passage of this legislation will bring to cities what is already allowable for towns. Some small cities in NH have a lower population than certain towns and they face the burden of filling positions when there is no one to fill it.

HB 381, repealing requirements for transfer of appropriations in Carroll county.
Re-refer to Committee, Vote 5-0.
Senator Levesque for the committee.

This bill will repeal the procedures for transfers of departmental appropriations in Carroll county as stated in RSA 24:13 D. The ability to oversee the appropriations are in RSA 24:14 and 24:15. The committee determined that more time is needed to consider the impacts of this legislation.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

HB 110-FN-A, relative to the cost of fiscal analysis of legislation relating to the retirement system.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Chandley for the committee.

This bill requires that the administrative and professional cost of the fiscal analysis of proposed legislation done by the New Hampshire Retirement System be reimbursed from general funds not otherwise appropriated. This clarifies that funds expended by the NHRS for requested legislative analysis be borne by the general fund and not retirees.

HB 116-FN, relative to the job classification of positions in the retirement system.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Reagan for the committee.

This bill allows for changes to the reclassification of certain Department of Corrections positions from group I to group II without specific legislation. Placing this process within the Department is an fitting avenue for these changes and ensures that the Department is able to appropriately and timely manage these changes to their employee classifications.

HB 119, relative to training requirements for electrologists.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Rosenwald for the committee.

This bill requires the adoption of rules governing the training for the use of intense pulsed light (IPL) for hair removal by electrologists. Electrologists must go through significant training and education in order to obtain and maintain their licenses and allowing them to utilize IPL is an appropriate addition to their work.

HB 328, repealing the New Hampshire film and television commission.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Chandley for the committee.

This bill repeals the New Hampshire Film and Television Commission in the Department of Natural and Cultural Resources. The New Hampshire Film Bureau has moved to the Department of Business and Economic Affairs and that office performs all of the duties of the Commission, which has only met sporadically. Repealing this Commission simply removes a redundant commission from our books.

HB 457-FN, establishing a committee to study the making, preservation, and Internet availability of audio and video recordings of proceedings of committees of the house of representatives.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.

Senator Cavanaugh for the committee.

This bill establishes a committee to study the making, preservation, and Internet availability of audio and video recordings of proceedings of committees of the House of Representatives. The Committee amended the membership as this is a matter for the House to examine and asks for your support in the Ought to Pass with Amendment motion.

HB 621-FN, establishing the state commission on aging.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Carson for the committee.

This bill establishes the State Commission on Aging and repeals the current Committee on Aging. The Commission will reconstitute the duties of the State Committee on Aging into a statewide platform between departments, advocates, and the Legislature who will coordinate information and solutions.

HB 624, establishing a commission to study management systems and customer service of New Hampshire government agencies.

Inexpedient to Legislate, Vote 5-0.

Senator Carson for the committee.

This bill establishes a commission to study the efficiency and effectiveness of management systems and customer service provided by state agencies, for improving overall execution and efficiency, including streamlining processes, improving communication between agencies, and measuring the internal and external customer service. Presently, this is the duty of the Executive Branch.

HB 730-FN-A, relative to funding for the CART program.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Cavanaugh for the committee.

This bill reestablishes the CART provider and sign language interpreter net tuition repayment fund, and provides that the Division of Workforce Innovation in the Department of Education shall be responsible for administering the program. Implementing the program will encourage individuals to train in this field, helping to address the shortage of CART providers in the state. Therefore, please join the Committee in the Ought to Pass motion.

JUDICIARY

HB 256-FN, establishing reciprocity for notaries in abutting states.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator French for the committee.

This bill provides that a resident of an abutting state who is a registered notary in such state and who carries on a trade, business, or practice in New Hampshire may become a notary in New Hampshire. Surrounding states already offer reciprocity for New Hampshire notaries and this will simply create parity for out-of-state notaries who have work in New Hampshire. Any notary applicants will still have to go through the vetting process established in statute, and the passage of this will benefit New Hampshire citizens and businesses.

HB 286-L, relative to free inspection of records under the right-to-know law.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.

Senator Levesque for the committee.

This bill declares that no cost or fee shall be charged for the inspection or delivery of governmental records under the right-to-know law. The Committee amended the bill to clarify that municipalities can charge for records that need to be redacted, and then copied with redactions, before inspection. This amendment reinforces the intent of RSA91-A while removing potential unintended consequences from the bill.

HB 353, establishing a committee to study whether non-attorney legal professionals could be licensed to engage in the limited practice of law in the family division of the circuit court while under the supervision of a licensed attorney.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.

Senator Chandley for the committee.

This bill establishes a committee to study whether non-attorney legal professionals could be licensed to engage in limited practice in the family division of the circuit court while under the supervision of a licensed attorney. The Committee amended the bill to adjust the membership. The Committee supports the study of this innovative idea to address issues within our judicial system.

HB 354, establishing a committee to investigate whether modification should be made to the time frame for determining permanency pursuant to RSA 169-C:24-b.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.

Senator Carson for the committee.

This bill establishes a committee to investigate whether modification should be made to the time frame for determining permanency pursuant to RSA 169-C:24-b, Permanency Hearings within the Child Protection Act. The bill, as amended, changes the legislative membership serving on the committee.

HB 382, relative to private practice by the Carroll county attorney.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Chandley for the committee.

This bill is a request of the Carroll county delegation and will prohibit the Carroll county attorney from engaging in the private practice of law. The passage of this legislation will put Carroll county in line with Rockingham, Cheshire, Sullivan, Strafford, and Coos counties. The Committee recommends passage of this in support of the Carroll county delegation.

REGULAR CALENDAR REPORTS

COMMERCE

HB 268, relative to real estate commissions paid to unlicensed entities.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Morse for the committee.

HB 402, relative to required notice of mortgage funding at a construction jobsite.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Cavanaugh for the committee.

HB 474, relative to principal offices of trust companies and banking and trusts insurance.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Cavanaugh for the committee.

HB 620-FN, relative to the penalty fee structure for late premium tax payments.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Cavanaugh for the committee.

HB 654, relative to surety required on construction loans.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator French for the committee.

HB 740, exempting certain mortgages from the law regarding licensing of nondepository mortgage bankers, brokers, and servicers.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator French for the committee.

EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

HB 175, relative to the requirements for school building aid grants.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-1.

Senator Kahn for the committee.

HB 652, relative to suicide prevention.

Re-refer to Committee, Vote 5-0.

Senator Dietsch for the committee.

ELECTION LAW AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

HB 130-L, relative to property tax relief for totally and permanently disabled veterans.

Re-refer to Committee, Vote 4-1.

Senator Gray for the committee.

ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

HB 325, relative to control of marine pollution and aquatic growth.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Bradley for the committee.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

HB 224-FN, making emergency medical technicians and rescue squad members eligible for a death benefit if killed in the line of duty.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 4-1.

Senator Rosenwald for the committee.

FINANCE

HB 692-FN, relative to dental care for Medicaid recipients.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Reagan for the committee.

HB 719-FN-A, establishing the position of school nurse coordinator in the department of education and making an appropriation therefor.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Kahn for the committee.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

HB 364, permitting qualifying patients and designated caregivers to cultivate cannabis for therapeutic use and permitting qualifying patients and designated caregivers to donate excess cannabis to other qualifying patients.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 3-2.

Senator Sherman for the committee.

HB 550-FN, extending foster care beyond age 18.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Fuller Clark for the committee.

JUDICIARY

HB 334-L, relative to disposition of certain municipal records.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 3-2.

Senator Hennessey for the committee.

TRANSPORTATION

HB 137, establishing a commission to examine the effects of wake boats in the state of New Hampshire.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 4-0.

Senator Birdsell for the committee.

HB 198-FN, clarifying the prohibition against the use of mobile electronic devices while driving.

Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 4-0.

Senator Ward for the committee.

HB 324, relative to operation of personal water craft around the marsh lands or flats in the Hampton/Seabrook estuary.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Watters for the committee.

HB 368-FN, relative to medically recognized disorders identified on drivers' licenses.

Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.

Senator Birdsell for the committee.

WAYS AND MEANS**HB 458-FN**, repealing certain inactive dedicated funds.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.

Senator Giuda for the committee.

AMENDMENTS

Senate Transportation

April 24, 2019

2019-1651s

08/10

Amendment to HB 137

Amend RSA 270:133, VI as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

VI. The commission shall report 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 June 30, 2020.

Amend the bill by replacing section 3 with the following:

3 Effective Date.

I. Section 2 of this act shall take effect June 30, 2020.

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

Election Law and Municipal Affairs

April 24, 2019

2019-1629s

11/10

Amendment to HB 146

Amend the bill by replacing all after the enacting clause with the following:

1 New Section; Conduct of Voting; Intent of the Voter. Amend RSA 40 by inserting after section 4-f the following new section:

40:4-g Intent of the Voter. In any vote conducted pursuant to this chapter, every ballot shall be counted if the intent of the voter can be determined, regardless of whether the voter followed any instructions relative to marking the ballot provided before the vote.

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

2019-1629s

AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill requires that a ballot shall be counted in any municipal vote if the intent of the voter can be determined, regardless of whether the voter followed any voting instructions issued prior to the vote.

Senate Transportation

April 24, 2019

2019-1620s

11/04

Amendment to HB 198-FN

Amend the bill by replacing section 2 with the following:

2 Motor Vehicles; Rules of the Road; Use of Mobile Electronic Devices While Driving; Prohibition. Amend RSA 265:79-c, III to read as follows:

III. Any person who violates this section shall be guilty of a violation and shall be fined \$100 plus penalty assessment for a first offense, \$250 plus penalty assessment for a second offense, and \$500 plus penalty assessment for any subsequent offense within a 24-month period. ***In addition, the director shall suspend the person's license to drive for up to 15 days for a second offense, and shall suspend the person's license to drive for not less than 30 days for any subsequent offense.***

Senate Executive Departments and Administration
 April 24, 2019
 2019-1653s
 01/06

Amendment to HB 224-FN

Amend RSA 21-I:29-a, I(d) as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

(d) “Emergency medical technician” means all levels of emergency medical technician, including emergency medical responders, emergency medical technicians, advanced emergency medical technicians, and paramedics, whether auxiliary, intermittent, special, part-time, volunteer, call, or reserve, who is employed by a city, town, village district, or precinct within the state of New Hampshire, or any emergency medical technician who is a volunteer for or employed by a nonprofit corporation in New Hampshire, or any emergency medical technician employed by a New Hampshire licensed private ambulance service while in the performance of emergency medical services pursuant to RSA 153-A:2, VI either under contract or agreement with a city, town, village, or precinct.

Senate Judiciary
 April 24, 2019
 2019-1626s
 01/06

Amendment to HB 286-LOCAL

Amend the bill by deleting section 1 and renumbering the original sections 2 and 3 to read as 1 and 2.

Senate Judiciary
 April 24, 2019
 2019-1632s
 06/08

Amendment to HB 334-LOCAL

Amend RSA 33-A:3-a, CVIII as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

CVIII. Police, non-criminal-internal affairs investigations: ~~[as required by attorney general and union contract and town personnel rules]~~ retirement or termination of subject officer plus 20 years, except that the municipality shall follow the retention period for non-criminal internal affairs investigations set forth in a union or collective bargaining agreement already in effect on July 1, 2019 until such agreement’s expiration.

Senate Judiciary
 April 24, 2019
 2019-1621s
 04/08

Amendment to HB 353

Amend section 2 of the bill by replacing paragraph I with the following:

I. The members of the committee shall be as follows:

- (a) Four members of the house of representatives, appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives.
- (b) One member of the senate, appointed by the president of the senate.

Senate Judiciary
 April 24, 2019
 2019-1623s
 05/08

Amendment to HB 354

Amend section 2 of the bill by replacing paragraph I with the following:

I. The members of the committee shall be as follows:

- (a) Four members of the house of representatives, appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives.
- (b) One member of the senate, appointed by the president of the senate.

Health and Human Services
 April 23, 2019
 2019-1613s
 01/04

Amendment to HB 364

Amend the bill by replacing all after the enacting clause with the following:

1 Use of Therapeutic Cannabis for Therapeutic Purposes; Definitions. Amend RSA 126-X:1, IV to read as follows:

IV. "Cultivation location" means a locked and enclosed site, ***under the control of the qualifying patient or designated caregiver, or*** under the control of an alternative treatment center where cannabis is cultivated, secured with one or more locks or other security devices in accordance with the provisions of this chapter. ***A cultivation location under the control of a qualifying patient or designated caregiver shall be at that person's residence.***

2 Use of Therapeutic Cannabis; Definitions. Amend RSA 126-X:1, VI to read as follows:

VI. "Designated caregiver" means an individual who:

(a) Is at least 21 years of age;

(b)(1) Has agreed to assist with one or more (not to exceed 5) qualifying [patient's] ***patients in the*** therapeutic use of cannabis, except if the qualifying patient and designated caregiver each live greater than 50 miles from the nearest alternative treatment center, ~~[in which case]~~ the designated caregiver may assist with the therapeutic use of cannabis for up to 9 qualifying patients; ***or***

(2) Has agreed to cultivate cannabis for therapeutic use pursuant to this chapter for no more than one qualifying patient;

(c) Has never been convicted of a felony or any felony drug-related offense; and

(d) Possesses a valid registry identification card issued pursuant to RSA 126-X:4.

3 New Paragraphs; Use of Cannabis for Therapeutic Purposes; Definitions. Amend RSA 126-X by inserting after paragraph VI-a the following new paragraphs:

VI-b. "Immature cannabis plant" means a cannabis plant that has not flowered and which does not have buds that may be observed by visual examination and which is at least 6 inches tall.

VI-c. "Mature cannabis plant" means a female cannabis plant that has flowered and that has buds that may be observed by visual examination.

4 Use of Cannabis for Therapeutic Purposes; Definitions. Amend RSA 126-X:1, XII to read as follows:

XII. "Seedling" means a cannabis plant that ~~[has no flowers and is less than 12 inches in height and less than 12 inches in diameter]~~ ***is less than 6 inches tall.***

5 Use of Therapeutic Cannabis; Definitions. Amend RSA 126-X:1, XIII(c) to read as follows:

(c) Cultivation by a designated caregiver or qualifying patient, ***except as provided under RSA 126-X:2, II-a or II-b.***

6 Use of Therapeutic Cannabis Purposes; Protections. Amend RSA 126-X:2, I-III to read as follows:

I. A qualifying patient shall not be subject to arrest by state or local law enforcement, prosecution or penalty under state or municipal law, or denied any right or privilege for the therapeutic use of cannabis in accordance with this chapter, if the qualifying patient possesses an amount of cannabis that does not exceed the following, ***if the qualifying patient is not at the cultivation location he or she reported to the department, or transporting cannabis as allowed under paragraph II-a:***

(a) Two ounces of usable cannabis; and

(b) Any amount of unusable cannabis.

II. A designated caregiver shall not be subject to arrest by state or local law enforcement, prosecution or penalty under state or municipal law, or denied any right or privilege for the therapeutic use of cannabis

in accordance with this chapter on behalf of a qualifying patient if the designated caregiver possesses an amount of cannabis that does not exceed the following, *if the designated caregiver is not at the cultivation location he or she reported to the department, or transporting cannabis as allowed under paragraph II-b:*

(a) Two ounces of usable cannabis, or the total amount allowable for the number of qualifying patients for which he or she is a designated caregiver; and

(b) Any amount of unusable cannabis.

II-a. Except as provided in RSA 126-X:3, VII(b), a qualifying patient shall not be subject to arrest by state or local law enforcement, prosecution or penalty under state or municipal law, or be denied any right or privilege for the therapeutic use of cannabis in accordance with this chapter, if the qualifying patient possesses or cultivates an amount of cannabis that does not exceed the following:

(a) If the qualifying patient does not have a designated caregiver who is authorized to cultivate cannabis for him or her, for the possession or cultivation, or both, of cannabis that occurs at the cultivation location under the control of the patient reported to the department, or while transporting cannabis and cannabis plants and seedlings to a new cultivation location that has been reported to the department within the prior 21 days:

(1) Eight ounces of usable cannabis;

(2) Any amount of unusable cannabis; and

(3) Three mature cannabis plants, 3 immature cannabis plants and 12 seedlings, where the plants are not subject to public view, including to view from another private property, without the use of optical aids, with a total canopy of no more than 50 square feet.

(b) If more than one qualifying patient, designated caregiver, or both, share a cultivation location, the total canopy of all cannabis plants shall not exceed 100 square feet.

II-b. Except as provided in RSA 126-X:3, VII(b), a designated caregiver shall not be subject to arrest by state or local law enforcement, prosecution or penalty under state or municipal law, or denied any right or privilege for the therapeutic use of cannabis in accordance with this chapter on behalf of a qualifying patient, an amount of cannabis that does not exceed the following:

(a) If, at the cultivation location under control of the caregiver and that has been reported to the department, or while transporting cannabis and cannabis plants and seedlings to a new cultivation location that has been reported to the department within the prior 21 days:

(1) Eight ounces of usable cannabis;

(2) Any amount of unusable cannabis; and

(3) Three mature cannabis plants, 3 immature cannabis plants and 12 seedlings, where the plants are not subject to public view, including to view from another private property, without the use of optical aids, with a total canopy of no more than 50 square feet.

(b) If more than one qualifying patient, designated caregiver, or both, share a cultivation location, the total canopy of all cannabis plants shall not exceed 100 square feet.

II-c.(a) A qualifying patient shall not be subject to arrest by state or local law enforcement, or prosecution or penalty under state or municipal law, for giving cannabis to a qualifying patient without remuneration, or for offering to do the same if the person giving the cannabis does not knowingly cause the recipient to possess more cannabis than is permitted under this section.

(b) A designated caregiver shall not be subject to arrest by state or local law enforcement, or prosecution or penalty under state or municipal law, for giving cannabis to a qualifying patient without remuneration or for offering to do the same if:

(1) The designated caregiver's qualifying patient consents to the gift, if they are alive;

(2) Nothing of value is transferred in return for the cannabis; and

(3) The person giving the cannabis does not knowingly cause the recipient to possess more cannabis than is permitted under this section.

(c) In this chapter, a transfer is for remuneration if cannabis is given away contemporaneously with another transaction between the same parties, if a gift of cannabis is offered or advertised in conjunction with an offer for sale of goods or services, or if the gift of cannabis is contingent upon a separate transaction for goods or services.

III. A designated caregiver may receive compensation for costs, **not to exceed \$500 per calendar year**, not including labor, associated with assisting a qualifying patient who has designated the **registered** designated caregiver to assist him or her with the therapeutic use of cannabis. Such compensation shall not constitute the sale of ~~[controlled substances]~~ **a controlled drug pursuant to RSA 318-B.**

7 Use of Therapeutic Cannabis; Protections. Amend RSA 126-X:2, XV to read as follows:

XV. A laboratory, **and the employees thereof**, which conducts testing of cannabis ~~[required under rules for]~~ **delivered to it by** alternative treatment centers, ~~[adopted under this chapter, and the employees thereof]~~ **qualifying patients, or designated caregivers**, shall not be subject to arrest by state or local law enforcement, prosecution or penalty under state or municipal law, or search, for acting pursuant to this chapter and department rules to possess cannabis on the premises of the laboratory for the purposes of testing, and, in the case of a laboratory employee, denied any right or privilege for working for such a laboratory.

8 Use of Therapeutic Cannabis; Prohibitions and Limits. Amend RSA 126-X:3, I to read as follows:

I. A qualifying patient may use **and a qualifying patient or designated caregiver may cultivate** cannabis on privately-owned real property only with written permission of the property owner or, in the case of leased property, with the permission of the tenant in possession of the property, except that a tenant shall not allow a qualifying patient to smoke cannabis on rented property if smoking on the property violates the lease or the lessor's rental policies that apply to all tenants at the property. **A tenant or guest of a tenant shall not cultivate cannabis on rented property if the lessor has prohibited therapeutic cannabis cultivation.** However, a tenant may permit a qualifying patient to use cannabis on leased property by ingestion or inhalation through vaporization even if smoking is prohibited by the lease or rental policies. For purposes of this chapter, vaporization shall mean the inhalation of cannabis without the combustion of the cannabis.

9 New Subparagraph; Use of Therapeutic Cannabis; Registry Identification Cards. Amend RSA 126-X:4, I by inserting after subparagraph (h) the following new subparagraph:

(i) The qualifying patient's cultivation location, if any.

10 New Subparagraph; Use of Therapeutic Cannabis; Registry Identification Cards. Amend RSA 126-X:4, II by inserting after subparagraph (g) the following new subparagraph:

(h) The designated caregiver's cultivation location, where he or she may cultivate cannabis on behalf of a single qualifying patient who has not reported a cultivation location.

11 Use of Therapeutic Cannabis; Registry Identification Cards. Amend RSA 126-X:4, IX(a) to read as follows:

(a) A qualifying patient shall notify the department before changing his or her designated caregiver, **cultivation location**, or alternative treatment center. **A designated caregiver shall notify the department before changing his or her cultivation location.**

12 Use of Therapeutic Cannabis; Registry Identification Cards. Amend RSA 126-X:4, XI(a) through XI(b) (1)-(3) to read as follows:

XI.(a) The department shall create and maintain a confidential registry of each individual who has applied for and received a registry identification card as a qualifying patient or a designated caregiver in accordance with the provisions of this chapter. Each entry in the registry shall contain the qualifying patient's or designated caregiver's name, mailing address, date of birth, date of registry identification card issuance, date of registry identification card expiration, random 10-digit identification number, **cultivation location, if any**, and registry identification number of the qualifying patient's designated alternative treatment center, if any. The confidential registry and the information contained in it shall be exempt from disclosure under RSA 91-A.

(b)(1) Except as specifically provided in this chapter, no person shall have access to any information about qualifying patients or designated caregivers in the department's confidential registry, or any information otherwise maintained by the department about providers and alternative treatment centers, except for authorized employees of the department in the course of their official duties and local and state law enforcement personnel who have detained or arrested an individual who claims to be engaged in the therapeutic use of cannabis.

(2) If a local or state law enforcement officer submits a sworn affidavit to the department affirming that he or she has probable cause to believe cannabis is possessed **or cultivated** at a specific address, an authorized employee for the department may disclose whether the location is associated with a qualifying patient, designated caregiver, or cultivation location [~~of an alternative treatment center~~].

(3) If a local or state law enforcement officer submits a sworn affidavit to the department affirming that he or she has probable cause to believe a specific individual possesses **or cultivates** cannabis, an authorized employee for the department may disclose whether the person is a qualifying patient or a designated caregiver, provided that the law enforcement officer provides the person's name and address or name and date of birth.

13 New Paragraph; Use of Therapeutic Cannabis; Registry Identification Cards. Amend RSA 126-X:4 by inserting after paragraph XII the following new paragraph:

XIII.(a) No later than October 1, 2019, the department shall allow existing and new qualifying patients and designated caregivers to designate a cultivation location provided that:

(1) A qualifying patient may only designate a cultivation location if he or she does not have a designated caregiver who will cultivate for him or her.

(2) A designated caregiver may only cultivate for a single qualifying patient, and may only cultivate for a patient who does not have a cultivation location.

(b) No individual shall designate a cultivation location if such individual's permission to cultivate has been revoked.

14 Use of Therapeutic Cannabis; Affirmative Defense. Amend RSA 126-X:5, I to read as follows:

I. It shall be an affirmative defense for any person charged with manufacturing, possessing, having under his or her control, selling, purchasing, prescribing, administering, transporting, **cultivating**, or possessing with intent to sell, dispense, or compound cannabis, cannabis analog, or any preparation containing cannabis, if:

(a) The actor is a qualifying patient who has been issued a valid registry identification card, was in possession of **or was cultivating** cannabis in a quantity and location permitted pursuant to this chapter, and was engaged in the therapeutic use of cannabis;

(b) The actor is a designated caregiver who has been issued a valid registry identification card, was in possession of **or was cultivating** cannabis in a quantity and location permitted pursuant to this chapter, and was engaged in the therapeutic use of cannabis on behalf of a qualifying patient; ~~or~~

(c) The actor is an employee of a laboratory conducting testing required for alternative treatment centers pursuant to rules adopted under this chapter~~[-]~~ **or that tests cannabis provided to it by qualifying patients, and designated caregivers; or**

(d) The actor is a person with a qualifying medical condition who does not possess a registry identification card and, prior to the arrest, the actor submitted to the department a completed application to become a qualifying patient, including a written certification, but the actor had not yet received a registry identification card from the department; provided that:

(1) The actor does not possess more than the amount of cannabis permitted under RSA 126-X:2, I, if the cannabis is not on the actor's property; or

(2) If the cannabis is on the actor's property, the actor does not possess more than the amount of cannabis permitted under RSA 126-X:2, II-a, which shall be in a locked and enclosed location on the actor's property.

15 New Subparagraph; Use of Therapeutic Cannabis; Alternative Treatment Centers. Amend RSA 126-X:8, XIII by inserting after subparagraph (c) the following new subparagraph:

(d) A qualifying patient or designated caregiver shall not obtain from an alternative treatment center more than 12 seedlings during a 3-month period.

16 Use of Cannabis for Therapeutic Purposes; Protections. Amend RSA 126-X:2, XIV(b) and (c) to read as follows:

(b) The person may notify local law enforcement and request that they dispose of the cannabis; ~~or~~

(c) The person may dispose of the cannabis, after mixing the cannabis with other ingredients such as soil to render it unusable; **or**

(d) The person may give the cannabis to a qualifying patient, provided that:

(1) The person giving away the cannabis does not knowingly cause the recipient to exceed his or her possession limit.

(2) If the person giving away the cannabis was a designated caregiver of a qualifying patient who continues to qualify under the program, the qualifying patient consents to the cannabis being given away.

17 Use of Cannabis for Therapeutic Purposes; Prohibitions and Limits. Amend RSA 126-X:3, VII to read as follows:

VII.***(a)*** The department may revoke the registry identification card of a qualifying patient or designated caregiver for violation of rules adopted by the department or for ***a*** violation of any other provision of this chapter, and the qualifying patient or designated caregiver shall be subject to any other penalties established in law for the violation.

(b) The department may revoke a qualifying patient's or designated caregiver's permission to cultivate cannabis for a violation of the rules adopted by the department or for a violation of any provision of this chapter.

18 Use of cannabis for Therapeutic Purposes; Alternative Treatment Centers. Amend RSA 126-X:8, XV(a) to read as follows:

XV.(a)***(1)*** An alternative treatment center shall not possess or cultivate cannabis in excess of the following quantities:

~~[(1)]~~ ***(A)*** Eighty ***mature*** cannabis plants, ***160 immature cannabis plants***, ~~[160 seedlings]~~, and 80 ounces of usable cannabis, or 6 ounces of usable cannabis per qualifying patient; and

~~[(2)]~~ ***(B)*** Three mature cannabis plants, ***12 immature cannabis plants***, ~~[12 seedlings]~~, and 6 ounces for each qualifying patient who has designated the alternative treatment center to provide him or her with cannabis for therapeutic use.

(2) An alternative treatment center shall not be limited in the number of seedlings it can possess or cultivate.

19 Use of Cannabis for Therapeutic Purposes; Departmental Rules. Amend RSA 126-X:6, III(a)(15) to read as follows:

(15) Procedures for determining and enforcing the daily maximum amount of therapeutic cannabis which an alternative treatment center may cultivate or possess pursuant to RSA 126-X:8, XV(a)***(1)***.

20 Effective Date. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019.

Senate Executive Departments and Administration

April 25, 2019

2019-1660s

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Amendment to HB 457-FN

Amend the bill by replacing paragraph I of section 2 with the following:

I. The committee shall be composed of 5 members of the house of representatives, at least 2 of whom shall be members of the minority party, appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives.

Amend the bill by replacing section 4 with the following:

4 Chairperson; Quorum. The members of the study committee shall elect a chairperson from among the members. The first meeting of the committee shall be called by the first-named house member. The first meeting of the committee shall be held within 45 days of the effective date of this section. Three members of the committee shall constitute a quorum.

Education and Workforce Development
 April 23, 2019
 2019-1603s
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Amendment to HB 570

Amend RSA 187-A:44, VI as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

VI. The commission shall submit an interim report of its findings on or before November 1, 2019, and a final report including 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, 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.

HEARINGS

FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 2019

FINANCE, Room 103, SH

Sen. D'Allesandro (C), Sen. Feltes (VC), Sen. Rosenwald, Sen. Kahn, Sen. Reagan, Sen. Giuda

AGENCY PRESENTATIONS ON THE BUDGET

9:00 a.m.	Veterans Home
9:30 a.m.	Adjutant General's Department Office of Veterans Services
10:30 a.m.	Break
10:45 a.m.	Department of Transportation
11:45 a.m.	Break
1:00 p.m.	University System of New Hampshire
1:30 p.m.	Department of Education

MONDAY, APRIL 29, 2019

FINANCE, Room 103, SH

Sen. D'Allesandro (C), Sen. Feltes (VC), Sen. Rosenwald, Sen. Kahn, Sen. Reagan, Sen. Giuda

AGENCY PRESENTATIONS ON THE BUDGET

Department of Health and Human Services:

9:00 a.m.	Office of the Commissioner
10:00 a.m.	Division of Economic and Housing Stability
11:15 a.m.	Break
11:30 a.m.	Division of Long-Term Supports and Services
12:30 p.m.	Break
1:30 p.m.	Division of Medicaid Services
2:45 p.m.	Break
3:00 p.m.	Division of Public Health Services

TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 2019

COMMERCE, Room 102, LOB

Sen. Cavanaugh (C), Sen. Morgan (VC), Sen. Soucy, Sen. Morse, Sen. French

- 1:00 p.m. **HB 233**, relative to the group and individual health insurance market.
- 1:15 p.m. **HB 536-FN**, adding biometric information to the consumer protection act.
- 1:30 p.m. **HB 725-FN**, relative to certain standards for managed care organizations.
- 1:45 p.m. **HB 558-FN**, restricting the distribution of plastic straws.
- 2:15 p.m. **HB 560-FN**, relative to single-use carryout bags.
- 2:45 p.m. **HB 695**, relative to transparency of nonprofit patient advocacy organizations.
(THE PREVIOUS HEARING FOR HB 695 WAS RECESSED ON APRIL 25th)
- 3:00 p.m. **HB 657**, relative to prescription drugs under the managed care law.
(THE PREVIOUS HEARING FOR HB 657 WAS RECESSED ON APRIL 25th)
EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT, Room 103, LOB

Sen. Kahn (C), Sen. Dietsch (VC), Sen. Morgan, Sen. Ward, Sen. Starr

- 9:45 a.m. **HB 631**, establishing a deaf child's bill of rights and an advisory council on the education of deaf children.
(THE PREVIOUS HEARING FOR HB 631 WAS RECESSED ON APRIL 16th)
EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES, Room 103, SH

Sen. Fuller Clark (C), Sen. Feltes (VC), Sen. Watters, Sen. Bradley, Sen. Giuda

- 9:00 a.m. **HB 466**, relative to the capacity of electricity customer generators for eligibility for net energy metering.
- 9:30 a.m. **HB 464**, relative to the definitions of solar energy systems and wind-powered energy systems for assessed value of real estate exemptions.
- 9:45 a.m. **HB 715-FN**, relative to electrical energy storage.
- 10:30 a.m. **HB 358**, relative to combustion of wood residue at municipal waste combustors.
EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

FINANCE, Room 103, SH

Sen. D'Allesandro (C), Sen. Feltes (VC), Sen. Rosenwald, Sen. Kahn, Sen. Reagan, Sen. Giuda

- 2:30 p.m. **EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION**
AGENCY PRESENTATIONS ON THE BUDGET
- 2:45 p.m. Office of the Child Advocate
- 3:00 p.m. Department of Administrative Services
- 4:00 p.m. Community College System of New Hampshire

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, Room 101, LOB

Sen. Sherman (C), Sen. Fuller Clark (VC), Sen. Chandley, Sen. Bradley, Sen. Gray

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

JUDICIARY, Room 100, SH

Sen. Hennessey (C), Sen. Chandley (VC), Sen. Levesque, Sen. Carson, Sen. French

- 9:00 a.m. **HB 109-FN**, requiring background checks for commercial firearms sales.
- 10:00 a.m. **HB 514-FN**, imposing a waiting period between the purchase and delivery of a firearm.
- 11:00 a.m. **HB 564**, relative to possession of firearms on school property.
EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

TRANSPORTATION, Room 103, LOB

Sen. Watters (C), Sen. Birdsell (VC), Sen. Hennessey, Sen. Levesque, Sen. Ward

- 1:00 p.m. **HB 625-FN**, relative to an aquatic invasive species decal for boats.
- 1:15 p.m. **HB 591**, amending the laws governing OHRVs and snowmobiles.
- 1:30 p.m. **HB 660-FN**, relative to studying the economic and other impacts of OHRV use in New Hampshire.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 2019**ELECTION LAW AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS**, Room 102, LOB

Sen. Levesque (C), Sen. Sherman (VC), Sen. Morgan, Sen. Birdsell, Sen. Gray

- 9:00 a.m. **HB 479-FN**, relative to eligibility for the low and moderate income homeowners property tax relief.
(THE PREVIOUS HEARING FOR HB 479 WAS RECESSED ON APRIL 24th)
- 9:20 a.m. **HB 504**, relative to election-related amendments to the United States Constitution.
- 9:45 a.m. **HB 618-L**, relative to the definition of contracts relative to official ballot default budgets.
- 10:00 a.m. **HB 706-FN-A**, establishing an independent redistricting commission.
- 11:30 a.m. **HB 641-L**, allowing municipalities to collect an occupancy fee from operators of local room rentals.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 101, LOB

Sen. Carson (C), Sen. Cavanaugh (VC), Sen. Rosenwald, Sen. Chandley, Sen. Reagan

- 9:00 a.m. **HB 112**, relative to the mechanical licensing board.
- 9:15 a.m. **HB 127**, relative to the board of medicine and the medical review subcommittee.
- 9:30 a.m. **HB 138**, relative to rules pertaining to marine species managed under the Magnusson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act.
- 9:40 a.m. **HB 244**, repealing the moorings appeals board.
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

WAYS AND MEANS, Room 100, SH

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

- PRESENTATIONS ON REVENUE ESTIMATES**
- 10:00 a.m. House Ways and Means Committee
- 10:20 a.m. Governor's Office
- 10:40 a.m. Department of Revenue Administration
- 11:00 a.m. Preliminary committee discussion of revenue estimates
- EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW**

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 2019**FINANCE**, Room 103, SH

Sen. D'Allesandro (C), Sen. Feltes (VC), Sen. Rosenwald, Sen. Kahn, Sen. Reagan, Sen. Giuda

- AGENCY PRESENTATIONS ON THE BUDGET**
- 9:00 a.m. Department of Corrections
- 10:00 a.m. Public Utilities Commission
- 10:30 a.m. Break
- 10:45 a.m. Department of Health and Human Services Continued: Division of Behavioral Health

11:45 a.m. Break
 1:00 p.m. New Hampshire Hospital Glencliff Home
 2:00 p.m. Division of Children, Youth and Families

MONDAY, MAY 6, 2019

CAPITAL BUDGET, Room 100, SH

Sen. Watters (C), Sen. D'Allesandro (VC), Sen. Rosenwald, Sen. Morse, Sen. Bradley

AGENCY PRESENTATIONS

9:00 a.m. Legislative Budget Assistant's Office
 9:30 a.m. State Treasurer
 10:15 a.m. Department of Administrative Services
 11:15 a.m. Judicial Branch
 11:45 a.m. Police Standards and Training Council
 12:00 p.m. Break
 1:00 p.m. Liquor Commission
 1:30 p.m. Department of Environmental Services
 2:00 p.m. Department of Health and Human Services
 2:30 p.m. Department of Safety
 3:00 p.m. Department of Transportation

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 2019

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 101, LOB

Sen. Carson (C), Sen. Cavanaugh (VC), Sen. Rosenwald, Sen. Chandley, Sen. Reagan

9:00 a.m. **HB 280**, designating the red-tailed hawk as the state raptor.
 9:15 a.m. **HB 287**, relative to nepotism in state employment.
 9:30 a.m. **HB 335**, relative to therapeutic cannabis dispensary locations.
 9:45 a.m. **HB 410**, allowing the department of environmental services to have access to enhanced 911 information.
 10:00 a.m. **HB 524**, establishing a committee to study issues and impediments to starting, running, and growing home and commercial day care facilities in New Hampshire.
 10:15 a.m. **HB 650**, establishing a committee to study the economic challenges of employed persons serving in the New Hampshire legislature.
 10:30 a.m. **HB 567**, relative to using the Atlantic Time Zone in New Hampshire.
 10:45 a.m. **HB 627**, relative to rulemaking by the board of pharmacy on compounding.
EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 2019

CAPITAL BUDGET, Room 103, SH

Sen. Watters (C), Sen. D'Allesandro (VC), Sen. Rosenwald, Sen. Morse, Sen. Bradley

AGENCY PRESENTATIONS

11:00 a.m. Community College System of New Hampshire
 11:30 a.m. Department of Corrections
 12:00 p.m. Break
 1:00 p.m. Department of Education
 1:30 p.m. Fish and Game Department
 1:45 p.m. Pease Development Authority

2:00 p.m.	University System of New Hampshire
2:15 p.m.	New Hampshire Veterans Home
2:30 p.m.	Adjutant General's Department
3:00 p.m.	Department of Natural and Cultural Resources
3:30 p.m.	Department of Information Technology

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 2019

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 101, LOB

Sen. Carson (C), Sen. Cavanaugh (VC), Sen. Rosenwald, Sen. Chandley, Sen. Reagan

9:00 a.m.	HB 113 , relative to qualifications for and exceptions from licensure for mental health practice.
9:15 a.m.	HB 115 , relative to the regulation of private investigators, security guards, and bail recovery agents.
9:30 a.m.	HB 239 , relative to requirements for supervision for licensure of certain mental health and drug counselors.
9:45 a.m.	HB 243 , adding members to the Pease development authority board of directors to represent Greenland.
10:00 a.m.	HB 271 , relative to apprentice electricians and third party electrical inspections.
10:15 a.m.	HB 615 , relative to the regulation of pharmacies and pharmacists.
10:30 a.m.	HB 122 , allowing for gifts, grants, and donations on behalf of state and national legislative association events.
EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW	

MEETINGS

FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 2019

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2)

9:00 a.m.	Rooms 306-308, LOB	Regular Meeting
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COMMISSION ON DEMOGRAPHIC TRENDS (RSA 4-C:37)

9:00 a.m.	Room 307, LOB	Regular Meeting
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NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE HOUSE BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION (RSA 17-R:1)

10:00 a.m.	Room 204, LOB	Regular Meeting
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ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION (RSA 4-G:1)

11:00 a.m.	Room 203, LOB	Regular Meeting
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MONDAY, APRIL 29, 2019

ADVANCED MANUFACTURING EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 188-E:21)

3:00 p.m.	Room 302, LOB	Organizational Meeting
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WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 2019

SENATE LEGISLATIVE FACILITIES SUBCOMMITTEE (RSA 17-E:5)

9:00 a.m.	Room 103, SH	Regular Meeting
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JOINT COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE FACILITIES (RSA 17-E:1)

9:05 a.m.	Room 103, SH	Regular Meeting
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FRIDAY, MAY 3, 2019

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2)

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

MONDAY, MAY 6, 2019

STATE COMMITTEE ON AGING (RSA 161-F:7, I)

10:00 a.m. NH DHHS Regular Meeting
 Brown Building, Room 232
 129 Pleasant Street
 Concord, NH

JOINT LEGISLATIVE HISTORICAL COMMITTEE (RSA 17-I:1)

2:00 p.m. Room 104, LOB Regular Meeting

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 2019

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 10, 2019

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

9:30 a.m. Governor and Council Chambers, SH Regular Meeting

FISCAL COMMITTEE (RSA 14:30-a)

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

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

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

MONDAY, MAY 13, 2019

LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE (RSA 14-B:2)

10:30 a.m. Room 104, LOB Regular Meeting

ADVISORY COUNCIL ON CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION (RSA 188-E:10-b)

11:00 a.m. Room 201, LOB Regular Meeting

COMMISSION TO STUDY THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE CURRENT STATUTES RELATED TO MANAGEMENT OF NON-TIDAL PUBLIC WATERWAYS AND THE CONSTRUCTION OR PLACEMENT OF STRUCTURES WITHIN THEM (RSA 482-A:35)

1:00 p.m. Room 305, LOB Regular Meeting

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

1:30 p.m. Room 205, LOB Regular Meeting

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 2019

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

6:00 p.m. Catholic Medical Center, Roy Auditorium Public Hearing Meeting
 100 McGregor Street
 Manchester, NH

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 2019

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

2:30 p.m.	Walker Building, Room 274 21 South Fruit Street Concord, NH	Regular Meeting
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FRIDAY, MAY 17, 2019

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

8:30 a.m.	Room 206, LOB	Regular Meeting
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ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2)

9:00 a.m.	Rooms 306-308, LOB	Regular Meeting
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ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND SUSTAINABLE ENERGY BOARD (RSA 125-O:5-a)

9:00 a.m.	NH Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street Hearing Room A Concord, NH	Regular Meeting
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NEW HAMPSHIRE TRANSPORTATION COUNCIL (RSA 238-A:2)

9:00 a.m.	Room 203, LOB	Regular Meeting
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COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE LAWS RELATING TO CONDOMINIUM AND HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATIONS (RSA 356-B:70)

1:00 p.m.	Room 202, LOB	Organizational Meeting
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MONDAY, MAY 20, 2019

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

9:00 a.m.	Room 305, LOB	Regular Meeting
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PUBLIC SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION (RSA 198:15-z)

9:30 a.m.	Room 209, LOB	Regular Meeting
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NH COLLEGE TUITION SAVINGS PLAN ADVISORY COMMISSION (RSA 195-H:2)

10:00 a.m.	NH Higher Education Assistance Foundation 4 Barrell Court Concord, NH	Regular Meeting
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ASSESSING STANDARDS BOARD (RSA 21-J:14-a)

11:00 a.m.	Room 303, LOB	Subcommittee Meeting - View
12:00 p.m.	Room 303, LOB	Subcommittee Meeting - Recertification
1:00 p.m.	Room 303, LOB	Subcommittee Meeting - Exemptions

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

2:00 p.m.	Room 104, LOB	Regular Meeting
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THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2019

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

2:00 p.m. NH Hospital Association Regular Meeting
 Airport Road
 Concord, NH

HOME EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 193-A:10)

3:30 p.m. NH Department of Education Regular Meeting
 Londergan Hall, Room 12
 101 Pleasant Street
 Concord, NH

FRIDAY, MAY 24, 2019

ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION (RSA 4-G:1)

11:00 a.m. Room 203, LOB Regular Meeting

TUESDAY, MAY 28, 2019

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

9:00 a.m. New Futures Conference Room Regular Meeting
 1 Eagle Square
 Concord, NH

TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 2019

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

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

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HOUSE BILLS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

HOUSE BILLS: 140, 171, 196, 320, 338, 350, 356, 365, 396, 463, 511, 572, 663, 736

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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 2019 BILLS:

SENATE BILLS: 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 11, 41, 52, 54, 59, 63, 74, 77, 84, 88, 93, 105, 107, 111, 122, 130, 133, 135, 142, 167, 171, 173, 185, 186, 190, 193, 194, 202, 205, 216, 224, 226, 228, 234, 235, 236, 238, 240, 241, 246, 247, 252, 255, 257, 262, 265, 267, 271, 272, 273, 275, 276, 279, 280, 281, 282, 284, 285, 286, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 315, 319

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ENROLLED BILL AMENDMENTS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE SENATE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR 2019 BILLS:

SENATE BILLS: 1

HOUSE BILLS: 123, 148, 357, 475, 488, 634, 649, 701

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NOTICES

New Hampshire Employment Security is holding multiple job and resource fairs in the coming weeks. The first of three will be on Tuesday, April 23rd from 2:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. at Manchester Community College. On Thursday, May 9th there will be another job and resource fair at the Seabrook Community Center from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. The last fair will be on Thursday, June 20th in Manchester at the St. George Greek Orthodox Cathedral from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Great opportunities are available!

Senator Jay Kahn

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FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 2019 – SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2019

The 7th Monadnock International's Film Festival will take place in Keene and Peterborough on April 26th to 28th. Over 30 juried films will be shown, including independent films produced by New Hampshire and New England filmmakers. More information can be viewed at <https://www.moniff.org>.

Senator Jay Kahn

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THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2019

The New Hampshire Public Health Association and the Healthy Homes Coalition cordially invites all legislators and staff to a Legislative Breakfast on Thursday, May 2nd from 7:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. in the State House Cafeteria. Members of the Healthy Homes Coalition will be on hand to answer your questions about weatherization, fire prevention, complete streets, hoarding, injury prevention and much more.

Senator Ruth Ward

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THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2019

The New Hampshire Beverage Association will be holding a legislative luncheon on Thursday, May 2, 2019 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the State House cafeteria. New Hampshire Beverage Association members are companies licensed to manufacture and distribute soft drinks, juices, teas, and bottled water. They provide over 760 jobs and create a direct economic impact of \$544.5 million in New Hampshire. The Association is supportive of efforts to improve recycling so that beverage containers are recovered and reused responsibly. Please stop by to learn more about their efforts to increase awareness regarding recycling and the many positive economic impacts which come from recycling.

Senator Donna M. Soucy, Senate President
Senator Chuck W. Morse, Senate Minority Leader

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 2019

The National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors (NAIFA) cordially invites all Senate members and staff to a legislative breakfast on Wednesday, May 8th, from 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. in the State House Cafeteria. NAIFA-NH members are located throughout the State and provide assistance and guidance to residents on life insurance, annuities, employee benefits, financial advising and investments. Please come by to meet their members and learn about their small businesses that serve your constituents.

Senator Donna M. Soucy, Senate President
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THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2019

Great River Hydro invites legislators and staff to breakfast on Thursday, May 9th from 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. in the State House cafeteria. Please stop by to learn more about Great River Hydro's substantial renewable hydropower generation here in New Hampshire and the numerous benefits to the state and local communities.

Senator Jay Kahn

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THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2019

The University of New Hampshire is hosting the fourth annual University Day on the State House lawn on Thursday, May 9 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 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. Learn more about how education, outreach and engagement programs at your state research university benefit New Hampshire.

Senator Lou D'Allesandro

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SUNDAY, JUNE 2, 2019 – SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 2019

The State House will be celebrating its 200th anniversary from June 2 - 8, including a "Legislative Old Home Day" on Thursday, June 6th. The State House Bicentennial Commission has produced several commemorative items which are on sale in the State House Visitors' Center including shirts, cups, bottle openers, stickers, and a challenge coin, all featuring the logo for the anniversary. More items will be arriving over the next few months and all the proceeds go the State House Bicentennial Commemorative Fund. You can follow the Bicentennial Commission on Facebook (@NHStateHouse200) and Instagram (@nhstatehouse200th) for event and merchandising updates.

Senator David H. Watters

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THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 2019

NHARPC-sponsored Legislative Breakfast – June 6, 2019 from 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. in the State House Cafeteria. The New Hampshire Association of Regional Planning Commissions (NHARPC) is the affiliation of the nine regional planning commissions in the state of New Hampshire. This breakfast gives NHARPC a chance to stay connected with NH legislators on the work of regional planning commissions and to show our appreciation for what our legislators do. We hope you can join us!

Senator Jay Kahn

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SENATE SCHEDULE

Thursday, May 16, 2019	Deadline for Policy Committees to ACT on all House bills with a fiscal impact, except bills exempted pursuant to Senate Rule 4-5.
Monday, May 27, 2019	Memorial Day (State Holiday)
Thursday, June 6, 2019	Deadline to ACT on all House bills.
Thursday, June 13, 2019	Deadline to FORM Committees of Conference.
Thursday, June 20, 2019	Deadline to SIGN Committee of Conference Reports.
Thursday, June 27, 2019	Deadline to ACT on Committee of Conference Reports.

Thursday, July 4, 2019	Independence Day (State Holiday)
Monday, September 2, 2019	Labor Day (State Holiday)
Monday, November 11, 2019	Veterans' Day (State Holiday)
Thursday, November 28, 2019	Thanksgiving Day (State Holiday)
Friday, November 29, 2019	Day after Thanksgiving (State Holiday)
Thursday, December 19, 2019	Deadline to REPORT rereferred bills out of committee.
Wednesday, December 25, 2019	Christmas Day (State Holiday)