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## **Sen. Gallus: SB 118 has no Northern Pass implications**

Bill regarding renewable generation facilities will be significantly changed on 3/17

(Concord) Sen. John Gallus (R-Berlin) released the following statement today:

"I want to clear up any confusion there may be regarding SB118. This legislation in its current form seeks to modify the definition of renewable generation facilities. However, when the legislation is heard by the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee in Concord on Thursday, March 17th, it will be significantly changed with an amendment and have absolutely no implications for Northern Pass. Following the committee hearing, the bill will pertain to electric portfolio standards."

"As a result, there is no reason for those individuals who are following the Northern Pass issue to travel to Concord and attend the hearing on SB118. Instead, I would encourage everyone to keep their focus on the upcoming Scoping Meetings scheduled in State Senate District One including":

- **Wednesday March 16, 6-9pm, The Mountain Club on Loon, Lincoln**
- **Thursday March 17, 6-9pm, Mountain View Grand Hotel, Whitefield**
- **Saturday March 19, 1-4pm, Colebrook Elementary School, Colebrook**

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