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## **Senate votes to adopt Uniform Securities Act**

**Concord, NH** – The Senate today unanimously voted in support of adopting the Uniform Securities Act in New Hampshire.

The bill, SB 266, would significantly update the state's securities laws, providing much needed modernization to the state's securities standards and practices. The bill supports changes in the law to benefit businesses including those in the high tech, and startup industry in New Hampshire without diminishing the protections in place for consumers.

"Supporting this bill means supporting jobs, a competitive and innovative business climate in the State of New Hampshire," said Senator Jerry Little (R-Weare).

"I want to thank my Senate colleagues for passing the New Hampshire version of the Uniform Securities Act today. This bill takes important steps to help clarify, modernize, and eliminate outdated and confusing provisions through updating regulatory practices that exist in today's securities market."

"We want to continue supporting jobs, existing and new businesses in the state, and passing this bill puts us one step closer in making sure the businesses in our state remain successful," Little continued.

The Uniform Securities Act is a statute produced in 2002 as a guide for states in adopting securities laws.

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