SENATE BILL 448
AN ACT relative to certification of an employee bargaining unit.

SPONSORS: Sen. Feltes, Dist 15; Sen. Cavanaugh, Dist 16; Sen. Fuller Clark, Dist 21; Sen. Rosenwald, Dist 13

COMMITTEE: Commerce

ANALYSIS

This bill requires the public employee labor relations board to certify an employee organization which receives a majority written authorization for the purpose of collective bargaining. The bill also requires a public employer to recognize such employee organization as the exclusive representative for collective bargaining.

Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in bold italics.
Matter removed from current law appears [in brackets and struckthrough.]
Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.
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Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

1 New Paragraph; Public Employer Labor Relations; Elections. Amend RSA 273-A:10 by inserting after paragraph IX the following new paragraph:

X. The board shall certify, and the public employer shall recognize as the exclusive representative, an employee organization which has received a written majority authorization for the purpose of collective bargaining for all of the employees in the bargaining unit.

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