

HB 260 - AS INTRODUCED

2017 SESSION

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HOUSE BILL                    **260**

AN ACT                    relative to allodial title and violations of the oath of office.

SPONSORS:            Rep. Marple, Merr. 24; Rep. Spillane, Rock. 2; Sen. Reagan, Dist 17

COMMITTEE:          Judiciary

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ANALYSIS

This bill recognizes the allodial land rights of inhabitants of the state of New Hampshire and provides that a public servant who seeks to diminish such rights shall be found in violation of his or her oath of office and dismissed from office.

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Explanation:          Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.  
                         Matter removed from current law appears ~~[in brackets and struck through]~~  
                         Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Seventeen*

AN ACT                      relative to allodial title and violations of the oath of office.

*Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:*

1            1 Statement of Intent. The general court finds that upon the end of the American Revolution,  
2 all feudal ties with the king of England ended and all lands within the Massachusetts Bay Colony  
3 were held in allodium by the sovereigns inhabiting the lands. Some New Hampshire lands  
4 continued to be held in allodium pursuant to Article 90, Part II of the Constitution for the state of  
5 New Hampshire.

6            2 Preservation of Allodial Land Rights. The general court finds that Article 90, Part II of the  
7 Constitution for the state of New Hampshire is the supreme authority in preserving the unalienable  
8 allodial land rights of all inhabitants. Whoever knowingly, willingly, and intentionally makes or  
9 shows an effort to diminish or extinguish the allodial land rights of the people shall, if a corporate  
10 government employee, be found in violation of his or her oath of office and immediately subject to  
11 the unappealable penalty of RSA 92:2.

12           3 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.