Floor Amendment to HB 1319

Amend RSA 149-M:9, XV as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

XV. No permit shall be issued by the department for the siting of a new landfill, excluding expansions of existing landfills, if any part of the actual solid waste disposal area is proposed to be located within 2 miles of the boundary of any state or national park. For purposes of this paragraph, "state park" means any state park managed by the state director of the division of parks and recreation pursuant to RSA 216-A:1-2. For purposes of this paragraph "national park" means the Appalachian National Scenic Trail as described in RSA 216-D:2 and the Saint-Gaudens National Historical Park. State or national park shall not include the state historic sites and recreational rail trails.
AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill prohibits the siting of new landfills, excluding expansions of existing landfills, near state parks or national parks. This bill also defines state and national parks for the purposes of prohibiting the siting of new landfills or expansions of existing landfills.