CHAPTER 80 HB 244 - FINAL VERSION

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HOUSE BILL 244

AN ACT repealing the moorings appeals board.

SPONSORS: Rep. Webb, Rock. 6

COMMITTEE: Resources, Recreation and Development

ANALYSIS

This bill repeals the moorings appeals board and provides for appeals to be made directly to the commissioner of the department of safety.

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Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Nineteen

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

1	80:1 Mooring of Boats on Public Waters; Removal of Moorings; Appeals. Amend RSA 270:66, II
2	to read as follows:
3	II. The director or his agents shall remove or cause the removal of a mooring and any boat
4	attached to it when the removal of the mooring, mooring component, or boat is authorized under
5	paragraph I. The person who [owns or] controls the mooring shall have the right to request a
6	hearing before the [appeals board as established in] commissioner of the department of safety
7	pursuant to RSA 270:69.
8	80:2 Mooring of Boats on Public Waters; Appeals of Moorings Decisions. Amend RSA 270:69 to
9	read as follows:
10	270:69 Appeals [Board Established]. [There is hereby established a moorings appeals board
11	which] The commissioner of the department of safety shall hear and decide appeals of any
12	decisions made under this subdivision. The [moorings appeals board] commissioner shall conduct
13	[its] appeals hearings according to the provisions of RSA 541-A for adjudicative proceedings. [The
14	board shall consist of 3 persons to be nominated by the governor with approval of the council for
15	terms of 3 years each. The initial appointments to the board shall be in staggered terms as
16	determined by the governor and council.]

80:3 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

Approved: June 18, 2019

Effective Date: August 17, 2019