Amendment to HB 178

1 Amend RSA 91-A:8-a, I(a) as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3   (a) The members of the commission shall be as follows:

4   (1) Three members of the house of representatives, appointed by the speaker of the

5 house of representatives.

6   (2) One member of the senate, appointed by the president of the senate.

7   (3) The attorney general, or designee.

8   (4) One municipal official, appointed by the New Hampshire Municipal Association.

9   (5) One school board member, appointed by the New Hampshire School Boards

10 Association.

11   (6) One county official, appointed by the New Hampshire Association of Counties.

12   (7) One member who shall have brought suit pro se under RSA 91-A:7, appointed by

13 the governor.

14   (8) One member representing the New Hampshire Press Association, appointed by

15 that association.

16   (9) One member representing Right To Know New Hampshire, appointed by that

17 organization.

18   (10) One member of the New Hampshire Civil Liberties Union, appointed by that

19 organization.

20   (11) One citizen member, appointed by the governor.

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22 Amend RSA 91-A:8-a, III and IV as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing them with the

23 following:

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25   III. The members of the commission shall elect a chairperson from among the members.

26 The first meeting of the commission shall be called by the house member. The first meeting of the

27 commission shall be held within 30 days of the effective date of this section. Seven members of the

28 commission shall constitute a quorum.

29   IV. The commission shall report its findings and any recommendations for proposed

30 legislation to the speaker of the house of representatives, the president of the senate, the house

31 clerk, the senate clerk, the governor, and the state library on or before November 1, 2017.

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1   Amend paragraph I of section 3 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3   I. Section 2 of this act shall take effect November 1, 2017.