

HB 1325-FN - AS INTRODUCED

2024 SESSION

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HOUSE BILL

***1325-FN***

AN ACT                    relative to allowing private ownership of small tailed monkeys, raccoons, foxes, otters, skunks, and kangaroos.

SPONSORS:            Rep. T. Mannion, Hills. 1; Rep. Ankarberg, Straf. 7; Rep. Phillips, Rock. 7

COMMITTEE:          Environment and Agriculture

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ANALYSIS

This bill allows the private ownership of small tailed monkeys, raccoons, foxes, otters, skunks, and kangaroos.

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                         Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Four*

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

1            1 New Paragraph; Wildlife Division; Animals Allowed to Be Owned Without Permit. Amend  
2 RSA 207:14 by inserting after paragraph III the following new paragraph:

3            III-a. The following animals may be possessed as companion animals without a permit from  
4 the department:

5                      (a) Small tailed monkeys.

6                      (b) Raccoons.

7                      (c) Foxes.

8                      (d) Otters.

9                      (e) Skunks.

10                     (f) Red tailed kangaroos.

11           2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

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**HB 1325-FN- FISCAL NOTE  
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**FISCAL IMPACT:**

The Legislative Budget Assistant has determined that this legislation, as introduced, has a total fiscal impact of less than \$10,000 in each of the fiscal years 2024 through 2027.

**AGENCIES CONTACTED:**

Fish and Game Department