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HOUSE BILL ***1161***

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SPONSORS: Rep. Milligan, Hills 18; Rep. Weyler, Rock 18; Rep. J. Flanders, Rock 18; Rep. Rubin, Rock 25

COMMITTEE: Transportation

ANALYSIS

This bill makes technical corrections to the New Hampshire Aeronautics Act. The bill establishes a committee to study whether state aeronautics laws should be revised based on changes in federal law and to recommend any legislation the committee finds necessary.

This bill was requested by the division of aeronautics, department of transportation.

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Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand

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

1 Definition; Civil Air Regulations Changed to Federal Air Regulations. Amend RSA 422:3, XVI to read as follows:

XVI. "[~~Civil~~] ***Federal*** air regulations" means the regulations of the Federal Aviation Administration issued under the authority of the "Federal Aviation Act of 1958," or any federal regulations superseding those issued under the administration of that act.

2 Duties of the Commissioner. Amend RSA 422:14, III to read as follows:

III. Coordinating agencies and persons involved with aircraft search and rescue missions within the state[~~, including reimbursing aircraft owners for aircraft operation costs during search and rescue missions~~].

3 Committee Established. There is established a committee to study whether revisions should be made to state aeronautics laws to reflect changes made in federal law.

4 Membership and Compensation.

I. The voting members of the committee shall be as follows:

(a) Three members of the house of representatives, appointed by the speaker of the house.

(b) Three members of the senate, appointed by the president of the senate.

II. The following shall serve as non-voting members of the committee:

(a) The commissioner of the department of transportation, or designee.

(b) One member of the aviation users advisory board, appointed by the board.

III. Members of the committee shall receive mileage at the legislative rate when attending to the duties of the committee.

5 Duties. The committee shall study whether revisions should be made to state aeronautics laws to reflect changes made in federal law.

6 Chairperson; Quorum. The members of the study committee shall elect a chairperson from among the members. The first meeting of the committee shall be called by the first-named house member. The first meeting of the committee shall be held within 45 days of the effective date of this section. Four members of the committee shall constitute a quorum.

7 Report. The committee shall report its findings and any recommendations for proposed legislation to the speaker of the house of representatives, the senate president, the house clerk, the senate clerk, the governor, and the state library on or before November 1, 2000.

8 Repeal. The following are repealed:

I. RSA 21-L:12, XXXV, relative to rulemaking authority for certificates of public convenience and necessity.

II. RSA 422:24-a, relative to certificates of public convenience and necessity.

III. RSA 422:24-b, relative to rates and charges.

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

Amendments

Senate Transportation
March 27, 2000
2000-3956s
09/04

Amendment to HB 1161

Amend paragraph I of section 4 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

I. The voting members of the committee shall be 7 members of the house of representatives, appointed by the speaker of the house.

Amend the bill by replacing section 6 with the following:

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CONCUR ✓

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APPOINTEES:

CHAIRMEN, PLEASE INITIAL S.P

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SENATE MESSAGE

Madam Speaker:

The Senate concurs with the House of Representatives in the passage of the following entitled Bill, with amendments, in the passage of which amendments the Senate asks the concurrence of the House of Representatives:

HB 1161, making technical changes to the New Hampshire Aeronautics Act and establishing a committee to study revisions to the state aeronautics laws.

HB 1161 MAKING TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE NH AERONAUTICS ACT AND ESTABLISHING A COMMITTEE TO STUDY REVISIONS TO THE STATE AERONAUTICS LAWS

HB 1161 UPDATING NEW HAMPSHIRE AVIATION RSA'S,

We concur in the senates decision to allow Seven (7) members of the house of Representatives to serve on a committee to evaluate / rewrite the aviation statues of the DoT / AERONAUTICS of the state of NEW HAMPSHIRE

ROBERT H MILLIGAN
FOR HOUSE TRANSPORTATION COMM:

Speakers

SIGN UP SHEET

To Register Opinion If Not Speaking

Bill # HB1161 Date Jan. 11, 2000 10:45

Committee Transportation

** Please Print All Information **

Name	Address	Phone	Representing	(check one) Pro	Con
Robert Milligan	Transp.		Hills 18	✓	
Ken Weyler	Finance		Rock 18	✓	
JACK FERNS	NHDOT	271-1676		✓	
RONALD W. WANDER	NHDOT	271-1677		✓	

Hearing Minutes

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

PUBLIC HEARING ON HB 1161

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MEMORANDUM

TO: **Honorable C. Jeanne Shaheen, Governor**
Honorable Donna Sytek, Speaker of the House
Honorable Beverly A. Hollingworth, President of the Senate
Karen O. Wadsworth, House Clerk
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FROM: **Rep. Robert H. Milligan** RHM
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DATE: **October 30, 2000**

RE: **Final Report on HB 1161**
making technical changes to the New Hampshire Aeronautics Act and establishing a committee to study revisions to the state aeronautics laws.

Pursuant to Chapter 105:3, Laws of 2000, enclosed please find the report of the committee charged with making technical changes to the New Hampshire Aeronautics Act and establishing a committee to study revisions to the state aeronautics laws.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or comments.

RHM/jal
Cc: Study Committee Members
Ann Fitzgerald, Committee Researcher

HB 1161 Chapter 105:3, Laws of 2000

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Commissioner Leon S. Kenison
Department of Transportation
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Dear Commissioner Kenison:

I wanted to take this opportunity to express the committee's deepest appreciation for the priceless and continued input from the Department of Transportation's Attorney Paul Sanderson as we have labored over the Administration Rule changes charged to us under House Bill 1161.

We are more than satisfied with the information and dedication that he has demonstrated by collaborating with the committee and the Office of Legislative Services to draft new legislation.

Many thanks from all of us to Attorney Sanderson and to the department for the diligence applied toward this endeavor.

With sincere thanks,

Robert H. Milligan/jal

Representative Robert H. Milligan
On behalf of the Committee
Hillsborough County, District 18

RHM/jal

Cc: Committee Members
Director Jack Ferns

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Seconded by Rep. Lerandeau

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(Vote to place on Consent Calendar must be unanimous.)

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STATEMENT OF INTENT
(Include Committee Vote)

This bill recommends technical corrections to New Hampshire State Aeronautics laws, with assistance of an appointed study committee. This bill is a request of the NH State Aeronautics Commission.

Vote 15-0.

Rep. Robert H. Milligan
FOR THE COMMITTEE

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FOR THE COMMITTEE

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