REGULAR CALENDAR

January 31, 2024

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

The Committee on Education to which was referred HB 1419-FN, relative to prohibiting obscene or harmful sexual materials in schools.

WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION

Original: House Clerk
Cc: Committee Bill File

COMMITTEE REPORT

Committee:	**Education**
Bill Number:	**HB 1419-FN**
Title:	**relative to prohibiting obscene or harmful sexual materials in schools.**
Date:	**January 31, 2024**
Consent Calendar:	**Regular Calendar**
Recommendation:	**WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION**

Statement in support of Ought to Pass with Amendment: This legislation is about materials that are harmful to minor children in schools and the ability for parents to object to them. The bill is the result of work with the Attorney General and contains three key provisions. In the criminal statutes, education is currently exempt from our obscenity laws. The bill changes that so that higher education remains exempt but K-12 (minor children) is no longer exempt. Our Attorney General feels that it would be only the most extreme case for a criminal case to be opened for K-12 education, but that option should be available in such a case. The bill also lays out a minimum district path for a complaint process for parents who find materials they believe are harmful to minors. Complaints can proceed up to the NH State Board of Education per existing law. The final part of the bill is in the civil statutes. It specifies that the complaining parent, the Department of Education, or the Attorney General may file a complaint in civil court if a school has not adhered to the complaint process or that material complained of continues to be made available to a minor student in a manner contrary to a final determination of removal or restriction. Penalties are not less than $1,000 for each violation. It is our duty to protect minor children from harmful materials.

Amendment: 2024-0391h

Rep. Glenn Cordelli

Statement in support of Inexpedient to Legislate: This bill bans books from school libraries by restricting access to controversial materials and dictates a prescriptive specific complaint process which allows the State Board of Education to make the final decision of which materials must be removed. It contains vague and subjective language to determine what is "harmful to minors" and expands criminal liability to K-12 educators. This legislation is not needed and will intimidate educators from retaining certain items in their library collections. There are already laws in place that criminalize the dissemination of harmful materials to minors. Moreover, most schools already have policies to address how books are selected for their libraries as well as procedures to address parental complaints regarding books and media. Certified school professionals review materials to ensure that students have wide access to a diverse collection of topics. Who determines what is offensive or age-appropriate? Parents have the right to review any available material and opt their child out from anything they find objectionable. But while parents can decide what media materials their child can access, they do not have the right to determine which materials are available for other students. That is censorship. Our local school boards are elected by the residents of their school districts and are responsible for developing policies to address the needs of their community. They are, and should be, the final arbitrator for all complaints regarding curricular and instructional material, not the State Board of Education.

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Amendment:

Rep. Peggy Balboni

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Amendment to HB 1419-FN

Amend RSA 189:75, II as inserted by section 2 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

II. For purposes of this subdivision, material is harmful to minors when:

(a) Taken as a whole, it predominantly appeals to the prurient, shameful, or morbid interest of minors;

(b) The material depicts or describes nudity, sexual conduct, sexual excitement, or sadomasochistic abuse in a manner that is patently offensive to prevailing standards in the adult community with respect to what is suitable for minors; and

(c) The material lacks serious literary, scientific, medical, artistic, or political value for minors.

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

EXECUTIVE SESSION on HB 1419-FN

BILL TITLE: relative to prohibiting obscene or harmful sexual materials in schools.

DATE: January 31, 2024

LOB ROOM: 205-207

MOTIONS: OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT

Moved by Rep. Cordelli	Seconded by Rep. Noble	AM Vote: 10-10

Amendment # 2024-0391h

Moved by Rep. Cordelli	Seconded by Rep. Noble	Vote: 10-10

MOTIONS: INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE

Moved by Rep. Myler	Seconded by Rep. Damon	Vote: 10-10

☑ **WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION**

CONSENT CALENDAR: NO

Statement of Intent: Refer to Committee Report

Respectfully submitted,

Rep Arlene Quaratiello
Clerk

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2024 SESSION

Education

Bill #: HB1419FN **Motion:** OTP **AM #:** _____ **Exec Session Date:** 1/31/24

Members	YEAS	Nays	NV
Ladd, Rick M. Chairman	10		
Cordelli, Glenn Vice Chairman	1		
Lekas, Alicia D.	2		
Ford, Oliver J.	3		
Belcher, Mike S	4		
Drye, Margaret M.	5		
McDonnell, Valerie E	6		
Noble, Kristin	7		
Peternel, Katy	8		
Quaratiello, Arlene Clerk	9		
Myler, Mel		1	
Cornell, Patricia		2	
Tanner, Linda L.		3	
Luneau, David J.		4	
~~Ellison, Arthur S.~~ Heath, Mary		5	
Woodcock, Stephen L.		6	
Hall, Muriel C.		7	
Balboni, Peggy		8	
Cascadden, Corinne E		9	
Damon, Hope		10	
TOTAL VOTE:	10	10	

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HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

PUBLIC HEARING ON HB 1419-FN

BILL TITLE: **relative to prohibiting obscene or harmful sexual materials in schools.**

DATE: **January 18, 2024**

LOB ROOM: **205-207** **Time Public Hearing Called to Order:** **9:30 a.m.**

Time Adjourned: **11:40 a.m.**

Committee Members: Reps. Ladd, Cordelli, Quaratiello, A. Lekas, Belcher, Drye, McDonnell, Noble, Myler, Cornell, Tanner, Woodcock, Hall, Balboni, Cascadden and Damon

Bill Sponsors:

Rep. Cordelli	**Rep. Bernardy**	**Rep. Noble**
Rep. K. Perez	**Rep. A. Lekas**	**Rep. Mazur**
Rep. Seidel	**Rep. Ammon**	**Rep. Quaratiello**
Sen. Avard		

TESTIMONY

* Use asterisk if written testimony and/or amendments are submitted.

- **Rep. Glenn Cordelli** -- (Prime Sponsor)
  - Introduced re-worked bill that was tabled last year
  - Explained that bill pertains only to K-12 education
  - Reviewed provisions of bill including criteria by which material is determined to be obscene and the process by which complaints are to be filed

- **Michael Strand** -- (Opposes)
  - Asserted that it would prohibit student from learning
  - Related stories of ancestor who fought against the sort of fascism he believes this bill will create
  - Personal values should not be forced on all students

- **Rep. Jeanine Notter** -- (Supports)
  - "Letting little children see perverse material is wrong" (brief testimony)

- ***Marc Abear**, Meredith, NH -- (Supports)
  - This bill is intended to protect next generation
  - Ensure "American Dream"
  - The alternative is irresponsible; guardrails must be put in place

- **Rep. David Paige** -- (Opposes)
  - Objects to vagueness of the bill in defining obscene material
  - Subjectivity of defining obscenity is a concern

- ***Ann Marie Banfield**, North Hampton, NH -- (Supports)
  - Told story of Tabitha (read her testimony), mother of an autistic child whose behavior changed in 6th grade when he was exposed to explicit material on the Sora app
  - Explained how "x-rated" material is particularly harmful to autistic children
  - stopitnow.org was a website she highlighted

- ***Megan Tuttle**, NEA NH -- (Opposes)
  - Asserted that it is not clear why this bill is needed
  - Vagueness of language is a concern as is subjectivity
  - This bill will be difficult to enforce

- **Nancy Biederman**, New Boston, NH -- (Supports)
  - Recounted her experience in objecting to school material and how she felt school policies were not followed
  - Wondered why obscene material is being pushed in school

- **Dr. Sydney Leggett**, NH School Administrators Association (NHSAA) Equity Committee
  - "Dangerous slippery slope curriculum bans" is a concern
  - Bill is redundant because policies are already in place to address objectionable material.

- **Michael Bessette**, SAU 65 -- (Opposes)
  - Agrees with concept of keeping kids safe in school
  - He takes offense at teachers being accused of not wanting to protect children

- **Laura El-Azem**, Londonderry, NH -- (Supports)
  - This bill is not about book banning
  - Certain subjects do not belong in schools
  - Obscene books are not critically needed to educate children

- ***Gilles Bissonnette**, ACLU NH -- (Opposes)
  - This is a bill "in search of a problem"
  - Laws already exist which address problem of obscene materials
  - Standards are subjective which is problematic

- **Russan Chester**, Bedford, NH -- (Supports)
  - Acknowledged that parents are not allowed to go into school library in her town
  - Related story of her daughter's school experience with sexual abuse resulting from exposure to obscene material

- **Betsy Harrington**, Deering, NH -- (Supports)
  - Boundaries need to be set and this bill sets it at a minimum
  - Won't weed out all sexually-explicit material
  - Read from online school book hyper-linked to sex app (This Book Is Hay)

- **Debrah Howes**, AFT NH -- (Opposes)
  - We should not focus on bills which will divide communities
  - In effect, she asserted, "this would be a book ban"

- ***Beverly Petlicke**, -- (Opposes)
  - Pointed out that parents can opt out of Sora app and school librarians can have particular books removed from Sora
  - Reviewed federal laws that already addresses problem

- **Barrett Christina**, NH School Boards Association (NHSBA) -- (Opposes)
  - Expressed NHSBA position which opposes such regulations as this bill currently includes because it is too stringent
  - Perhaps it can be amended to have bipartisan language
  - Objects to appeal to state board of education

- ***Kevin Gagnon**, Salem, NH -- (Supports)
  - Testimony submitted by **Rep. Valerie McDonnell**

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. Arlene Quaratiello
Clerk

SIGN UP SHEET

To Register Opinion If Not Speaking

Committee: House Education Committee

Bill #: HB 1419-FN **Date:** January 18, 2024

****Please Print All Information****

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Rep. Mike Ouellet	Colebrook	331-2159	Coos 3	X	
Betsy Harrington	Deering		self	X	
Russell Chester	Bedford		self		
Sydney Lapham	92 Bonnar Rd Plainfield, NH		Mississippi		X
Michael Strand	10 Cooper Lane Bedford		self		X
Ann Marie Banfield	North Hampton		self		
Laura El-Azem	22 Summer Dr. Derry		self	✓	
Michael Pelletier	227 2ND NH TPKE HILLSBORO		self	✓	
Beverly Pierpont	603-978-2589		self		✓
Rep Sabi Rahim	496 Ra ccoon Salisbury	648-2510	Self	X	
Rep Keith Ammon			Hills 42	X	
Rep Kristine Perez			Londonderry	X	
Rep Walter Stapleton	Sullivan #6		Claremont NH	✓	
Stephanie Spaulding	914 Rt 103		Newbury NH	X	
Rep. Angela Brennan	Bow/Hopkinton				X

House Remote Testify

Education Committee Testify List for Bill HB1419 on 2024-01-18

Support: 415 Oppose: 859 Neutral: 1 Total to Testify: 0

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Name	City, State Email Address	Title	Representing	Position	Testifying	Non-Germane	Signed Up
Geary, Fiona	Atkinson, NH fionamaegeary@gmail.com	A Member of the Public	Myself	Oppose	No	No	1/5/2024 2:22 PM
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kochinskas, bob	rindge, NH tuna_melt@icloud.com	A Member of the Public	Myself	Oppose	No	No	1/10/2024 10:13 AM
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What we are here today to discuss is a step along a path. It is a step that is, at the same time, as regrettable as it is necessary. The responsibility of parents is to determine how best to create future adults.

It is parental responsibility to have the principles and values that made America successful so that they can pass them along to their children too. We should be working to see our children will have the opportunity to share and spread their prosperity.

Everywhere we look, there are drag queens entertaining our kids, rallies with colorful flags being waved around, and teachers who care more about educating kids on gender identity and fluidity than teaching about math and science.

Whatever happened to kids being kids? There's a lot of sexualization of these issues, and it's a lot for younger kids to deal with. Should we be doing our best to protect kids from the radical ideas about gender or should we be exposing them to as many of the issues as possible?

My belief is, in our children we need to be building contributing members of society. We need to build critical thinkers. We should be making people who have the pride and courage to know what is right and what is wrong. We need to make our next generation people with the courage to speak up forcefully for doing what is right.

We must build people with the morals, integrity and ability to create. We need to create a solid intellectual and moral foundation, aspiring to the optimal wellbeing of all Americans and ultimately to the benefit of everyone else in the world as well.

America is the most egalitarian hegemony to have ever existed on this planet. We need to protect our children from being force fed the effluent of radical ideas. Learning must be age appropriate and it should reflect the values and principles of parents not bureaucrats with an agenda.

The pedagogy must build logically. The situation we are currently experiencing is one where unions, federal and state bureaucrats, and the academy are attempting to bend our next generation in a direction that is evil.

They support immoral, pedagogically unsound actions. That is what is they have built into our education rules, regulations and policies. This has been done inside the educational hierarchy gradually over time. HB 1449 is about safeguards for our children.

Here are the questions before you today. Why are we placing in schools what is considered harassment if it were in in the workplace? Adults are protected from it but not children? (Are you kidding me?)

Enough is enough. HB 1419 takes a stand. It is regrettable that it is necessary. But it is time to deal with the situation undercutting our values and principles.

This bill is a necessary step in reversing a long running pernicious process. This is protecting our children not book banning. Have a clue. Do the right thing. Please, vote OTP on HB 1419. Thank you

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Sex, rape and unfairly singled out for virus testing now part of IEP'S for autistic students in school.

1 message

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Dear Law Makers,

I almost didn't write this letter out of fear it could negatively impact my family. But the possibility of what happened to my child, happening to another encourages me to do so.

My child is autistic and has special needs. It was during middle school he would face several challenging hardships within education. Having access to sexually obscene materials was just one of them.

My child began coming home from school upset and afraid. With a speech delay, he started saying phrases such as, " school is nudity and rape." After reporting concerns of this and other things, it turned into my special needs child being punished repeatedly.

I could not believe what was happening something was drastically wrong.
My child's education was being disrupted and his mental health was declining.
He began having nightmares and was afraid to speak about what was going on at school or he would be punished.

My child is suppose to be protected at school, not violated and harassed. When did it become part of a special need child's IEP? Does anyone at all care that autistic kids are being punished with sexually obscene materials in school?

My child, as like many others with disabilities experience unfair discriminatory treatment.
The addition of sexual content is just another impediment to their education.
It is manipulating and harmful to the education of the autistic community.

Special needs mom.

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Rep. Rick Ladd
Chair, House Education Committee

January 18, 2024

Chairman Ladd and Honorable Members of the House Education Committee,

I am writing to you to express NEA-New Hampshire's opposition to HB 1419, which amounts to another attempt at banning unnamed books from our public schools and libraries by using vague standards accompanied by a convoluted process that is difficult to piece together and potentially very harmful to an educator caught in the middle of this.

First, it is unclear to us why the bill is needed since we have an objectionable materials statute that lays out a process for exempting a student from material that a parent objects to their student viewing. What sorts of books or materials does this proposed bill language capture that the current statute does not?

While the bill provides some specific definitions at the beginning, it quickly loses steam when its language becomes vague and contains very subjective standards. For example, under the definition "harmful to minors" what does the phrase "patently offensive to prevailing standards in the adult community with respect to what is suitable for minors" mean? This entire sentence is difficult to assess especially from the standpoint of the educator or those adjudicating this law. Who decides what the "prevailing standard" is?

Which "adult community" is the bill referring to? Anyone reading the news on a daily basis can probably surmise that we lack any kind of cohesive "adult community" who could arrive at an agreement as to what is offensive. Is this the adult community who thinks books about gay relationships are offensive or the adult community who does not? This is hardly an objective standard which to operate by.

Similarly, in today's climate we cannot seem to agree as an "adult community" what material holds serious literary or scientific value. A recent example of this would be the disagreement about books like Gender Queer in Dover. With such a subjective set of standards as is laid out in the subdivision under paragraph II, this will be a difficult bill to interpret or enforce.

We have local school boards with curriculum committees which approve curriculum who have done the job of vetting instructional resources using well established standards. This bill seems to add another confusing layer to this process.

This leads me to our concerns regarding the convoluted complaint process laid out in the bill. The legislation calls for each local school board to adopt a complaint resolution policy but is quite prescriptive and ends with the state board making final determinations on what is "harmful". It lays the first decision on the school principal or their designee as to whether the material meets the vague and subjective standards outlined earlier in the bill and whether it should be "removed or restricted". That determination could mean that one parent's assessment of a particular book leads to no other student being able to access that work. The appeal process leads to the local school board and then to the state board. At the point a determination is appealed to the state board, are they determining whether the local school board followed the process correctly or are they making a decision on a case-by-case basis as to whether certain works are allowable under the statute for conceivably all students in the state?

In summary, we are left wondering what this bill accomplishes beyond the current objectionable materials law other than to let one subjective interpretation of its vague standards affect access to school material that allows other students the freedom to learn.

For these reasons we respectfully ask the House Education Committee to find HB 1419 Inexpedient to Legislate.

Sincerely,

Megan Tuttle

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President
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ACLU New Hampshire

Statement by Gilles Bissonnette, ACLU-NH Legal Director
House Education Committee
ACLU-NH Opposition to HB1419
Hearing: January 18, 2024

I submit this testimony on behalf of the American Civil Liberties Union of New Hampshire ("ACLU-NH"), a non-partisan, non-profit organization working to protect civil liberties for over 50 years. Because HB1419 is vague and would chill both instruction and the availability of books in public school libraries, we ask that this Committee deem this bill *inexpedient to legislate*.

I. Constitutional Background:

In *Miller v. California*, 413 U.S. 15 (1973), the United States Supreme Court recognized the government's "legitimate interest" in prohibiting obscenity as, in part, arising from the government's interest in preventing such material's "exposure to juveniles." *Id.* at 19. And, with that interest in mind, the Court defined obscenity as "works which, taken as a whole, appeal to the prurient interest in sex, which portray sexual conduct in a patently offensive way, and which, taken as a whole, do not have serious literary, artistic, political, or scientific value." *Id.* at 24.

Nevertheless, the definition for what constitutes obscenity for minors generally comes from *Ginsberg v. New York*, 390 U.S. 629 (1968)—which predates *Miller*—and considered what a state could proscribe as obscenity specifically with respect to people aged 17 and younger. The Court held that obscenity vis-à-vis minors can be defined "on the basis of its appeal to minors." *Id.* at 638. It upheld a New York statute prohibiting the distribution of materials to minors that:

- (i) "predominantly appeal[] to the prurient, shameful, or morbid interests of minors,"
- (ii) are "patently offensive to prevailing standards in the adult community as a whole with respect to what is suitable material for minors," and
- (iii) are "utterly without redeeming social importance for minors." *Id.* at 646.

In *Reno v. ACLU*, 521 U.S. 844 (1997), the Supreme Court further clarified that the proscribed material must be "specifically defined by the applicable state law," and be "limited to 'sexual conduct'" and not reach, for example, "excretory activities." *Id.* at 873.

II. HB1419 is a Solution in Search of a Problem, and Laws Already Criminalize Giving Minors "Harmful Materials": HB1419 is a solution in search of a problem. *First*, are any educators actually giving students things that could properly be considered obscene for their age group (or "harmful to minors")? This is not occurring. Further, what books are intended to be banned under this law that otherwise do not violate existing law is far from clear. Given that this problem does not exist in New Hampshire, this bill, if it becomes law, will simply become a tool that parents/guardians can wield to scare teachers and librarians out of recommending or even offering books that they do not like. The chill will be real.

Second, current law already addresses the concerns raised by the proponents of this bill, and school districts generally already have policies in place concerning book challenges. Thus, this bill is unnecessary. Indeed, effective in 1976, New Hampshire already criminalizes giving to minors "harmful materials." *See* RSA 571-B. Given the existence of this law, HB1419 raises the prospect that its intention is to ban texts that go beyond this statute. But what texts are the proponents of this bill hoping to censor beyond what would be prohibited under existing law?

For reference, this statute reads as follows:

RSA 571-B:2:

I. It shall be unlawful for any person **knowingly** to give, sell, loan or otherwise provide, with or without monetary consideration, to a minor:

(a) Any picture, photograph, drawing, sculpture, motion picture film or similar visual representation or image of a person or portion of the human body which depicts sexual conduct and which is **harmful to minors**, or

(b) Any book, pamphlet, magazine, printed matter, however reproduced, or sound recording which contains any matter enumerated in RSA 571-B:2, I(a), or explicit and detailed verbal descriptions or narrative accounts of sexual conduct and which, taken as a whole, is **harmful to minors**.

II. It shall be unlawful for any person **knowingly** to exhibit, for or without monetary consideration, to a minor or knowingly to sell to a minor an admission ticket or pass or knowingly to admit a minor, for or without monetary consideration, to premises whereon there is exhibited a motion picture, show or other presentation which, in whole or in part, depicts or describes sexual conduct and which is **harmful to minors**.

RSA 571-B:1:

As used in this chapter:

I. "Harmful to minors" means that quality of any description or representation, in whatever form of sexual conduct, when it:

(a) Predominantly appeals to the prurient interest of minors in sex, that is, an interest in lewdness or lascivious thoughts;

(b) Depicts or describes sexual conduct in a manner so explicit as to be patently offensive to contemporary adult standards, in the county within which any offense set forth in this chapter was committed, with respect to what is suitable material for minors; and

(c) Lacks serious literary, artistic, political or scientific value.

II. "Knowingly" means having general knowledge of, or reason to know, or a belief or ground for belief which warrants further inspection or inquiry, or both, as to:

(a) The character and content of any material described herein which is reasonably susceptible of examination by the defendant, and

(b) The age of the minor; provided, however, that an honest mistake shall constitute an excuse from liability hereunder if the defendant made a reasonably bona fide attempt to ascertain the true age of such minor.

III. "Minor" means any person under the age of 18 years.

IV. "Sexual conduct" means human masturbation, sexual intercourse, actual or simulated, normal or perverted, or any touching of the genitals, pubic areas or buttocks of the human male or female, or the breasts of the female, whether alone or between members of same or opposite sex or between humans and animals, any depiction or representation of excretory functions, any lewd exhibitions of the genitals, flagellation or torture in the context of a sexual relationship. Sexual intercourse is simulated when it depicts sexual intercourse which give the appearance of the consummation of sexual intercourse, normal or perverted.

III. HB1419 is Broader Than New Hampshire's "Harmful to Minors" Statute, and Exceeds Constitutional Standards, in Several Ways:

HB1419 is broader than New Hampshire's "harmful to minors" statute in several ways, which suggests that this bill is intended to target and censor books that would *not* otherwise currently be criminal to disseminate. What exactly are these books, and why does one want to suppress them?

The breadth and scope of HB1419 beyond existing criminal law and constitutional standards are alarming in several ways:

- HB1419 Does Not Have a "Knowing" Requirement That Exists in RSA 571-B (Page 2, Lines 17-19): New Hampshire's "harmful to minors" statute has a requirement that the individual "knowingly" disseminate the "harmful materials" insofar as the individual must have general knowledge or reason to know (i) "[t]he character and content of any material described herein which is reasonably susceptible of examination" by the individual, and (ii) "[t]he age of the minor; provided, however, that an honest mistake shall constitute an excuse from liability hereunder if the defendant made a reasonably bona fide attempt to ascertain the true age of such minor." Section III of this bill, however, contains no such mental state requirement. This will only compound the chill of the law where educators will pull books and curriculum out of a fear of running up against the law and its complaint provisions by accident.[1]

- HB1419 Targets More Than "Sexual Conduct," and Rather Targets Mere "Nudity" and "Sexual Excitement" Beyond (i) What is Covered Under RSA 571-B:1 and (ii) What is Constitutionally Permitted (Page 2, Lines 10-12): HB1419 is expansive insofar as it encompasses "nudity" and "sexual excitement"[2] beyond the more limited "sexual conduct" covered under RSA 571-B:1, IV. This expansion of what is prohibited beyond "sexual conduct" is also constitutionally problematic insofar as the bill regulates material that may not be harmful to minors.[3]

- HB1419 Contains a Vague "Inappropriate to the age of the Minor" Standard (Page 2, Lines 15-16): Unlike RSA 571-B:1, HB1419 contains an additional, more amorphous criteria of material that is "inappropriate to the age of the minors to whom it is being made available or presented." As explained below, this is not only an expansion of what exists in RSA 571-B (and is not part of the constitutional criteria), but also is vague.

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[1] A "knowing" requirement may even be constitutionally required to the extent a law imposes penalties for an initial violation. *See Local 8027, Mejia, Philibotte, et al. v. Edelblut*, 651 F. Supp. 3d 444, 460 (D.N.H. 2023) (expressing vagueness concerns with New Hampshire's banned concepts law because "laws that fail to incorporate a scienter requirement may also receive greater scrutiny."); *Hamling v. United States*, 418 U.S. 87, 123 (1974) ("We think the 'knowingly' language of 18 U. S. C. § 1461, and the instructions given by the District Court in this case satisfied the constitutional requirements of scienter. It is constitutionally sufficient that the prosecution show that a defendant had knowledge of the contents of the materials he distributed, and that he knew the character and nature of the materials."); *Dover News v. City of Dover*, 117 N.H. 1066, 1069 (1977) ("Such an ordinance should, of course, contain a requirement that the proscribed conduct be 'knowingly' committed.").

[2] "Sexual excitement" is a term that does not appear to exist in other New Hampshire laws.

[3] *See Reno v. ACLU*, 521 U.S. 844, 873 (1997) ("Moreover, the *Miller* definition is limited to 'sexual conduct,' whereas the CDA extends also to include (1) 'excretory activities' as well as (2) 'organs' of both a sexual and excretory nature."); *see also Dover News v. City of Dover*, 117 N.H. 1066, 1069 (1977) (holding that the city's "attempt to regulate the display of these materials is invalid because it prohibits the display below sixty inches of materials which the state has not currently determined to be harmful to children").

- HB1419's Complainants: While RSA 571-B:4 only allows any preliminary hearing to be brought by the county attorney or Attorney General, HB1419 allows complaints and lawsuits to be brought by parents or guardians (Page 2, Lines 22-23). The enforcement provision of the bill also does not limit litigation to parents or guardians, but "any person claiming to be aggrieved," which is not defined (Page 3, Lines 28-29).

IV. HB1419 is Vague and Ambiguous: Earlier this year, a federal judge concluded, at the motion to dismiss stage, that New Hampshire's 2021 banned concepts law's "vague terminology, [its] lack of a scienter requirement, and the possibility that teachers could be found liable for teaching a banned concept by implication, leave both teachers and enforcers to guess at what speech the [law] prohibit[s]." *See Local 8027, Mejia, Philibotte, et al. v. Edelblut*, 651 F. Supp. 3d 444 (D.N.H. 2023).[4] Similarly, vagueness permeates HB1419 and, given the prospect of complaints, will chill educators and librarians from using or acquiring certain texts out of fear of violating the law's terms. For example, in the definition of "sexual conduct," what is "deviate sexual intercourse" (page 1, Lines 29-30), particularly as distinct from "actual or simulated sexual intercourse" (Page 1, Line 29)?

There is an additional vagueness issue with prohibiting "mak[ing] available, to any minor student, any material that is harmful to minors" (Page 2, Lines 18-19) while defining what is "harmful to minors" based on "the age of the minors to whom it is being made available or presented." (*see* fourth criteria, at Page 2, Lines 15-16). For example, would this mean that a book that could be deemed "harmful" to anyone under the age of 17 cannot be available for a 17 year-old to check out of the library?

V. HB1419 Expands the Scope of Obscenity Criminal Liability: Finally, Section 1 of the bill (Page 1, Lines 3-4) limits the affirmative defense under New Hampshire's criminal obscenity statute (RSA 650:4, I) by limiting the educational institutions covered under this defense to only those of "higher education[]." Thus, Section 1 of the bill is concerning, as the bill seems to expand the possibility of criminal obscenity liability to public or private primary and secondary schools that are not associated with a public New Hampshire college or university. Moreover, as the "higher education" language is limited to public colleges and universities, criminal obscenity liability may also be expanded to private colleges or universities in New Hampshire.

Indeed, existing RSA 650:4, I is a vitally important provision that protects educators and librarians in schools and other academic institutions from otherwise constitutional prohibitions on distributing obscene materials as a policy matter to ensure freedom of thought and inquiry. Perhaps this was done given the breadth and history of past attempts to clamp down on "obscenity." Nevertheless, this change to RSA 650:4, I undermines these protections for various New Hampshire educators.

For these reasons, the ACLU-NH opposes HB1419.

[4] Oral argument on whether a final judgment should be issued in this case occurred on January 16, 2024.

Part General Provisions

TITLE LVIII
PUBLIC JUSTICE

Chapter 571-B
EXPOSING MINORS TO HARMFUL MATERIALS

General Provisions

Section 571-B:1

571-B:1 Definitions. –
As used in this chapter:
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(a) Predominantly appeals to the prurient interest of minors in sex, that is, an interest in lewdness or lascivious thoughts;
(b) Depicts or describes sexual conduct in a manner so explicit as to be patently offensive to contemporary adult standards, in the county within which any offense set forth in this chapter was committed, with respect to what is suitable material for minors; and
(c) Lacks serious literary, artistic, political or scientific value.
II. "Knowingly" means having general knowledge of, or reason to know, or a belief or ground for belief which warrants further inspection or inquiry, or both, as to:
(a) The character and content of any material described herein which is reasonably susceptible of examination by the defendant, and
(b) The age of the minor; provided, however, that an honest mistake shall constitute an excuse from liability hereunder if the defendant made a reasonably bona fide attempt to ascertain the true age of such minor.
III. "Minor" means any person under the age of 18 years.
IV. "Sexual conduct" means human masturbation, sexual intercourse, actual or simulated, normal or perverted, or any touching of the genitals, pubic areas or buttocks of the human male or female, or the breasts of the female, whether alone or between members of same or opposite sex or between humans and animals, any depiction or representation of excretory functions, any lewd exhibitions of the genitals, flagellation or torture in the context of a sexual relationship. Sexual intercourse is simulated when it depicts sexual intercourse which give the appearance of the consummation of sexual intercourse, normal or perverted.

Source. 1969, 252:1. 1976, 46:1. 1977, 123:1, eff. Aug. 1, 1977.

Section 571-B:2

571-B:2 Offenses. –
I. It shall be unlawful for any person knowingly to give, sell, loan or otherwise provide, with or without monetary consideration, to a minor:
(a) Any picture, photograph, drawing, sculpture, motion picture film or similar visual representation or image of a person or portion of the human body which depicts sexual conduct and which is harmful to minors, or
(b) Any book, pamphlet, magazine, printed matter, however reproduced, or sound recording which contains any matter enumerated in RSA 571-B:2, I(a), or explicit and detailed verbal descriptions or narrative accounts of sexual conduct and which, taken as a whole, is harmful to minors.
II. It shall be unlawful for any person knowingly to exhibit, for or without monetary consideration, to a minor or

knowingly to sell to a minor an admission ticket or pass or knowingly to admit a minor, for or without monetary consideration, to premises whereon there is exhibited a motion picture, show or other presentation which, in whole or in part, depicts or describes sexual conduct and which is harmful to minors.

Source. 199, 252:1. 1976, 46:2, eff. June 1, 1976.

Section 571-B:3

571-B:3 Penalty. – A person convicted of any violation of this chapter shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Source. 1969, 252:1. 1977, 588:9, eff. Sept. 16, 1977.

Section 571-B:4

571-B:4 Preliminary Hearing. –

I. No recognized or established school, museum, public library or governmental agency, nor any person acting as an employee or agent of such institution, shall be arrested, charged or indicted for any violation of a provision of this chapter until such time as the material involved has first been the subject of an adversary hearing wherein such institution or person is made a defendant, and, after such material is declared by the court to be harmful to minors, such institution or person continues to engage in the conduct prohibited by this chapter. The sole issue at the hearing shall be whether the material is harmful to minors.

II. The adversary hearing prescribed in paragraph I of this section may be initiated only by complaint of the county attorney or the attorney general. Hearing on the complaint shall be held in the superior court of the county in which the alleged violation occurs. Notice of the complaint and of the hearing shall be given by registered mail or personal service. The notice shall state the nature of the violation, the date, place and time of the hearing, and the right to present and cross examine witnesses. In addition to the defendant, any other interested party may appear at the hearing in opposition to the complaint and may present and cross examine witnesses. For the purposes of this paragraph, the term "interested party" includes but is not limited to the manufacturer of the material alleged to be harmful to minors.

III. The state or any defendant may appeal from a judgment. Such appeal shall not stay the judgment. Any defendant engaging in conduct prohibited by this chapter subsequent to notice of the judgment finding the material to be harmful to minors shall be subject to criminal prosecution notwithstanding the appeal from the judgment.

Source. 1979, 397:1, eff. Aug. 22, 1979.

Part General Provisions

TITLE LXII
CRIMINAL CODE

Chapter 650
OBSCENE MATTER

General Provisions

Section 650:1

650:1 Definitions. –
In this chapter:
I. "Disseminate" means to import, publish, produce, print, manufacture, distribute, sell, lease, exhibit or display.
II. "Knowledge" means general awareness of the nature of the content of the material.
III. "Material" means any printed matter, visual representation, live performance or sound recording including, but not limited to, books, magazines, motion picture films, pamphlets, phonographic records, pictures, photographs, figures, statues, plays, dances or other representation or embodiment of the obscene. Undeveloped photographs, molds, printing plates, and the like, shall be deemed obscene material notwithstanding that processing or other acts may be required to make the obscenity patent or to disseminate it.
IV. Material is "obscene" if, considered as a whole, to the average person
(a) When applying the contemporary standards of the county within which the obscenity offense was committed, its predominant appeal is to the prurient interest in sex, that is, an interest in lewdness or lascivious thoughts;
(b) It depicts or describes sexual conduct in a manner so explicit as to be patently offensive; and
(c) It lacks serious literary, artistic, political or scientific value.
V. "Predominant appeal" shall be judged with reference to ordinary adults unless it appears from the character of the material or the circumstances of its dissemination to be designed for children or other specially susceptible audience.
VI. "Sexual conduct" means human masturbation, sexual intercourse, actual or simulated, normal or perverted, whether alone or between members of the same or opposite sex or between humans and animals, any depiction or representation of excretory functions, any lewd exhibitions of the genitals, flagellation or torture in the context of a sexual relationship. Sexual intercourse is simulated when it depicts explicit sexual intercourse which gives the appearance of the consummation of sexual intercourse, normal or perverted.
VII. "Child" means a person under the age of 18.

Source. 1971, 518:1. 1976, 46:3. 1977, 199:3. 1994, 60:1, eff. Jan. 1, 1995.

Section 650:2

650:2 Offenses. –
I. A person is guilty of a misdemeanor if he commits obscenity when, with knowledge of the nature of content thereof, he:
(a) Sells, delivers or provides, or offers or agrees to sell, deliver or provide, any obscene material; or
(b) Presents or directs an obscene play, dance or performance, or participates in that portion thereof which makes it obscene; or
(c) Publishes, exhibits or otherwise makes available any obscene material; or
(d) Possesses any obscene material for purposes of sale or other commercial dissemination; or
(e) Sells, advertises or otherwise commercially disseminates material, whether or not obscene, by representing or

suggesting that it is obscene.
II. A person who commits any of the acts specified in subparagraphs (a) through (e) of paragraph I with knowledge that such act involves a child in material deemed obscene pursuant to this chapter is guilty of:
(a) A class B felony if such person has had no prior convictions in this state or another state for the conduct described in this paragraph;
(b) A class A felony if such person has had one or more prior convictions in this state or another state for the conduct described in this paragraph.
III. For the second and for each subsequent violation of paragraph I, such person shall be guilty of a class B felony.

Source. 1971, 518:1. 1976, 46:4. 1977, 199:2. 1983, 448:3. 1994, 60:2, eff. Jan. 1, 1995.

Section 650:3

650:3 Exemption. – A motion picture projectionist or motion picture machine operator who is regularly employed by anybody to operate a projecting machine in a public motion picture theatre shall not be guilty of a violation under this chapter because of the picture which is being projected if he is required to project it as part of his employment.

Source. 1971, 518:1, eff. Nov. 1, 1973.

Section 650:4

650:4 Justifiable and Non-Commercial Private Dissemination. –
It is an affirmative defense to prosecution under this chapter that dissemination was restricted to:
I. Institutions or persons having scientific, educational, governmental or other similar justification for possessing obscene material; or
II. Non-commercial dissemination to personal associates of the accused who are not under 18 years of age.

Source. 1971, 518:1, eff. Nov. 1, 1973.

Section 650:5

650:5 Evidence; Adjudication of Obscenity. –
In any prosecution under this chapter, evidence shall be admissible to show:
I. The character of the audience for which the material was designed or to which it was directed;
II. What the predominant appeal of the material would be for ordinary adults or any special audience to which it was directed;
III. The degree of public acceptance of the material in this state;
IV. Appeal to prurient interest, or absence thereof, in advertising or other promotion of the material; and
V. The good repute of the author, creator, publisher or other person from whom the material originated;
VI. Expert testimony and testimony of the author, creator, publisher or other person from whom the material originated, relating to factors entering into determination of the issue of obscenity.

Source. 1971, 518:1. 1976, 46:5, eff. June 1, 1976.

Section 650:6

650:6 Preliminary Hearing. –
I. No recognized or established school, museum, public library or governmental agency, nor any person acting as an employee or agent of such institution, shall be arrested, charged or indicted for any violation of a provision of this chapter until such time as the material involved has first been the subject of an adversary hearing wherein such institution or person is made a defendant, and, after such material is declared by the court to be obscene

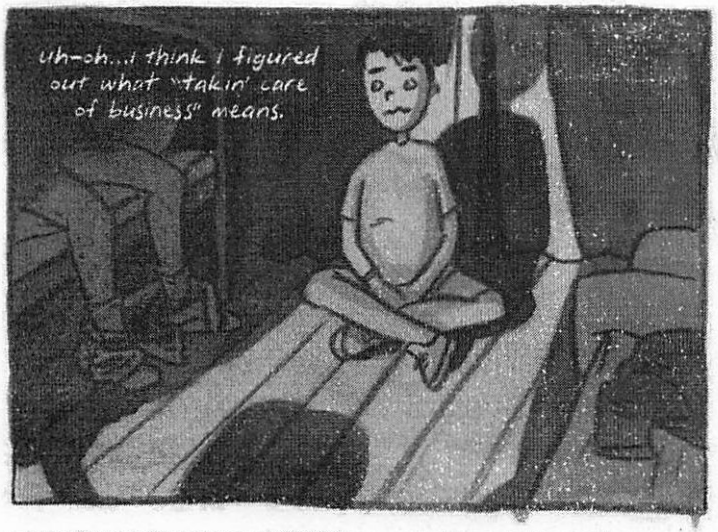
matter, such institution or person continues to engage in the conduct prohibited by this chapter. The sole issue at the hearing shall be whether the material is obscene matter.

II. The adversary hearing prescribed in paragraph I of this section may be initiated only by complaint of the county attorney or the attorney general. Hearing on the complaint shall be held in the superior court of the county in which the alleged violation occurs. Notice of the complaint and of the hearing shall be given by registered mail or personal service. The notice shall state the nature of the violation, the date, place and time of the hearing, and the right to present and cross-examine witnesses. In addition to the defendant, any other interested party may appear at the hearing in opposition to the complaint and may present and cross-examine witnesses. For the purposes of this paragraph, the term "interested party" includes, but is not limited to the manufacturer of the material alleged to be harmful to minors.

III. The state or any defendant may appeal from a judgment. Such appeal shall not stay the judgment. Any defendant engaging in conduct prohibited by this chapter subsequent to notice of the judgment finding the material to be obscene matter shall be subject to criminal prosecution notwithstanding the appeal from the judgment.

Source. 1979, 397:2, eff. Aug. 22, 1979.

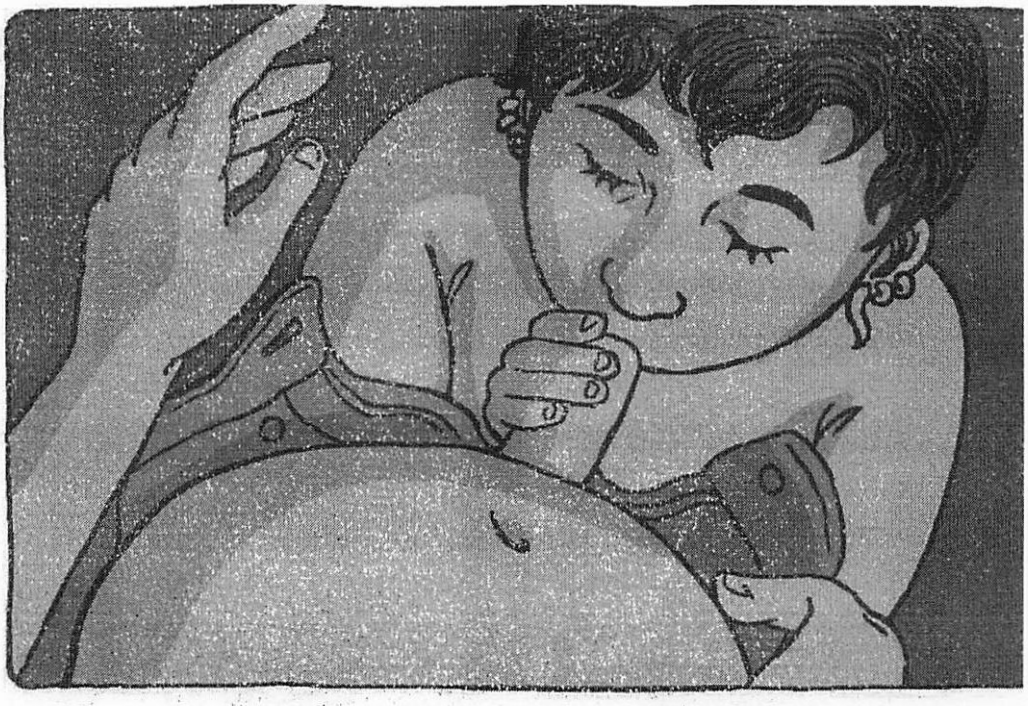
Is this appropriate for a 10 year old?











House Bill 1419- FN

This bill seriously oversteps the boundaries of what it means to BE A TEACHER WHO CARES ABOUT THEIR STUDENTS.

Provisions that address these specific concerns not only violate the First Amendment rights of students and teachers. These issues have already been addressed at the Federal level and your schools' access to the internet depends on your school's adherence to this Federal law. This law is called the Children's Internet Protection Law and I will provide the committee with a copy of it for your review. Second, Schools, their teachers, and their librarians are already protected through the American Library Association Library Bill of Rights and procedures to challenge materials that are not suited for the academic and school environments. I will provide copies of those policies as well. If these policies have not been implemented by individual institutions of education, it is because they have been poorly educated on the process of creating Collection policies to acquire appropriate selections for their schools. Collection development has traditionally been a democratic process and one that is ensured to maintain that aspect of democracy through collection policies. This can be explained through careful examination of a collection policy which will be provided for your review.

This HB 1419 Bill will seriously limit teachers from doing their jobs by not allowing students their freedom of speech to respond appropriately to challenging materials, hindering their ability to develop critical thinking skills, as well as teachers' ability to select the appropriate materials to use to teach their students. I strongly urge this committee to adhere to the existing laws and withdraw this powerfully overreaching legislation.

Unable to testify in person

Dear Honorable Members of the New Hampshire Education Committee,

My name is Kevin Gagnon, I am a widowed single parent of two children attending the SAU 57 public school system in Salem, New hampshire.

Considering I am unable to appear before you today, I have asked Representative Valerie McDonnell to present my testimony.

She asked question previously during hearing so was unable to read this testimony

In the fall of 2021 I discovered a story of a parent verbalizing the words and details of an obscene book, readily available to minor students in front of her local school board in another state. Her description of the contents of the book were so graphic and vulgar that the board asked her to stop speaking and was told there are children at the meeting. Seems that her point was made, pornography is NOT education. I immediately wondered, could obscene materials be here in Salem, New Hampshire schools and libraries?

Getting the answers to my questions were not easy and certainly eye-opening. I learned that these obscene books are often made easily accessible to minors, but not adults. Also to not judge a book by its cover, but by the content and lack of moral characters.

The discovery of obscene materials available to minors here in Salem, New Hampshire led me to finding similar contradictions within the SAU57 administration policies. Policy EHAA regarding technology responsible use states:

"Obscenity is illegal and not tolerated."
" Obscenity generally includes, but is not limited to, sexually explicit or pornographic content, a sexually offensive word or combination of words, profanity, swearing, or an expression or content, including lewd images. Questions about obscenity should be directed to a school administrator."

"Consequences for Violation Enforcement of this policy requires community support. Students, faculty or staff, that become aware of a violation of any portion of this policy, must immediately notify their building administrator. The building administrator will then notify the Director of IT. Violation of any portion of this policy can result in loss of access and may result in additional disciplinary or legal action. Disciplinary action for students who violate this policy may include suspension and expulsion. Disciplinary action for faculty or staff who violate this policy may include suspension and dismissal. All disciplinary action will be imposed in accordance with the appropriate disciplinary procedures and policies."

So to offer obscene material including pornography and pedophelia is not only immoral, but also illegal as noted and listed as a level three offense in the student handbook.

When presenting this to the SAU 57 school board in the fall of 2021 and again in the fall of 2023 it was made evident that my concerns are not their concerns.

Interesting how some people seem to want nothing to do with the removal of obscene materials that are proven harmful to minors including sexual exploitation and associated harm or worse, yet some people are actually discouraging or banning books from Dr.Seuss to try to protect people's feelings. What are more important facts or feelings?

Therefore I am beseeching every member of this education committee to support this New Hampshire House Bill HB1419 to safeguard minor children from the potential irreversible damage of obscene materials.

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January 15, 2023

The Honorable Rick Ladd
Chair, House Education Committee
State House
Concord, NH 03301

The New Hampshire Library Association (NHLA), which represents library personnel, trustees, and library supporters, is in opposition of House Bill 1419.

NHLA stands against legislation that bans or restricts library materials, programs and/or services. NHLA supports the efforts of our locally elected boards to have discussions within their communities to address any reconsideration requests as they arise. This bill seeks to mandate to a duly and locally elected school board how to administer complaints about library materials that are submitted by parents or guardians.

NHLA has always supported local control for our library boards and school boards and opposed legislation that conflicts with a local community board's ability to adopt library policies that are a best fit for their communities.

Thank you,

Deb Hoadley, NHLA President
Rachel Baker, NHLA Vice-President/Director, Elkins Library- Canterbury
Corinne Chronopoulos, NHLA Secretary/Director, Peterborough Library
Sheryl Bass, NHLA Treasurer/Director, Durham Public Library
Justine Farfara, NHLA Officer/Director, Richards Free Library- Newport
Julia Lanter, NHLA Officer/Assistant Director, Exeter Public Library
Denise van Zanten, NHLA Legislative Chair/Director, Manchester City Library

Dear House Education Committee Members,

As a Pediatric Emergency Medicine physician I do not diagnose gender or transgender related medical conditions. No emergency physician does. I am not the primary caregiver or primary health care provider for these children. However I have cared for many in the emergency department for a psychiatric crisis.

I have often knelt by their stretcher in the hallway of the overcrowded emergency department trying to help them understand that their life has meaning. That they have inherent worth and dignity. That they deserve to feel happiness and love. And I try to help them understand and believe that happiness and love can come to their life. Many, but not all, do not feel the support they need from their family at home.

Transgender adolescents are at a significantly increased risk of suicide attempts compared to adolescents who are not transgender.[1] A supportive school environment can decrease depression, homelessness, and attempts of suicide.[2] The US Department of Education outlines that schools and school districts should adopt "policies that respect all students' gender identities – such as the use [of] the name a student goes by, which may be different from their legal name, and pronouns that reflect a student's gender identity – and implementing policies to safeguard students' privacy".[3]

Some people argue that children are only going to school to learn, I disagree with that. But even if it is true, and the sole purpose of school is to learn, children will learn better if they are seen and heard and respected. They will learn better when the fact that they exist is allowed in libraries and history books.

When humans feel seen and have connections they have decreased isolation, depression, and hopelessness. Humans need support to learn. Humans need understanding to grow and thrive. A school that supports a child's identity helps that child have hope, not to mention, helps them learn.

Banning materials regarding gender identity or sexual orientation does not limit people's exposure – it limits their understanding and tolerance. Trust schools and educators to support their students.

I urge you to oppose HB 1419.

Thank you for your time and your service,
Emily A. Zajano, MD
Exeter, NH

[1] Transgender Adolescent Suicide Behavior By Russell B. Toomey, PhD ; Amy K. Syvertsen, PhD ; Maura Shramko, MPP Doi: https://doi.org/10.1542/9781610025409-transgender Published: March 2021. https://publications.aap.org/aapbooks/book/687/chapter-abstract/8351715/Transgender-Adolescent-Suicide-Behavior?redirectedFrom=fulltext

[2] The Trevor Project 2022 National Survey on LGBTQ Youth Mental Health https://www.thetrevorproject.org/survey-2022/?emci=08931cbc-5cdd-ed11-8e8b-00224832eb73&emdi=662abc11-5fdd-ed11-8e8b-00224832eb73&ceid=16410561#intro

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Response to Proposed HB 1419

This proposed bill as written should be opposed. This proposed bill is poorly written and features several inconsistencies that are present in this bill as written, and I will highlight a few of them.

Chapter **189:75 Definitions**, **section III** as written states that "No school or school district, person employed by a school or a school district, or person who contracts with a school or school district shall provide or make available, to any minor student, any material that is harmful to minors." However, Chapter **189:76 Complaint Process**, section IV as written states that "The school principal or his or her designee shall determine whether student access to the material that is the subject of the complaint shall be removed or restricted." How can a school principal or his or her designee restrict a book, which is an option listed under **189:76 section IV** when **189:75 section III** states that no one "shall provide or make available material harmful to minors"? This section directly contradicts the power of the school principal or his or her designee to restrict a book as outlined in **189:76 section IV.**

Furthermore, **189:76 section V** as written, states that "If access to the material is determined to be removed or restricted for any student beyond the student who is the child of the parent of [sic, typo in the bill, should be *or*] guardian, then notice of such restrictions shall be provided to the parents or guardians of all affected students. But, as noted above, **189:75 section III** states that no one "shall provide or make available." Once again, **189:75 section III** directly contradicts the power of the school principal or his or her designee to restrict a book as outlined in **189:76 section V.**

Likewise, **189:76 section VI** and **189:76 section VII** contain language indicating that it is possible to restrict a book to one or more than one student, which is a violation of **189:75 section III** as written. Which is it? Can a principal restrict a book for some or all students instead of removing it and not be in violation of **189:75 section III** as written?

For chapter **189:77 Enforcement and Penalties, section III** as written states that "Violation of RSA 189:75 paragraph III by an educator shall be considered a violation of the educator code of conduct that justifies disciplinary sanction by the state board of education, but only if such violation occurs after a final determination that the material involved is harmful to minors pursuant to RSA 189:76 and involves the provision of such material to a minor student in violation of any final determination made pursuant to RSA 189:76." Would a determination made by the state board of education following a parent appeal from one school district mean that said book would be deemed harmful to minors in every community in New Hampshire? **189:75 section II part 2** would suggest otherwise, as prevailing standards in one adult community may not be the same in another adult community in the next town. If such a determination applied statewide, would every educator in every school suddenly find themselves violating **189:75 section III** and subject to disciplinary enforcements per **189:76 section III**? If so, who will communicate this information to all schools and educators in the state of New Hampshire?

Timelines listed in HB 1419 are also unrealistic. A principal or his or her designee must within 14 calendar days, under **189:76 section II**, review the complaint and take reasonable steps to investigate the allegation, while at the same time **189:76 section V** mandates that within 10 school days the principal or his or her designee make a determination on whether the material is harmful to minors or not. Is the principal taking reasonable steps to investigate the allegation while at the same time needing to immediately make a decision? This represents a significant reading challenge, especially if the item in question has hundreds of pages. Alternatively, if a complaint lists dozens of books, how is it possible to investigate these within the time allowed by this law as proposed?

Mr. Cordelli, prime sponsor of this bill, often touts that he supports parental rights. As a certified educator and as a parent, if HB 1419 becomes law as amended, New Hampshire state law would prohibit me from making available TO MY OWN CHILD, who is a minor student, any material that has been deemed harmful to minors per the vague standards listed in **189:75**, **section II**. My parental rights would be subsumed by HB 1419, and my providing my own child with a book having been deemed harmful to minors by the state board of education, and not deemed obscene by a Court of Law, would then be considered a violation of the educator code of conduct and that would justify disciplinary sanction by the state board of education, again for exercising my PARENTAL CHOICE to provide my OWN CHILD with books that I deem appropriate for them. **189:77 section III** violates my rights as a parent to guide and educate my own child.

In summation, this bill should be opposed. It is vague, it is poorly worded, and it undermines my parental rights to decide what is appropriate for my child, including providing books that have not been deemed obscene by a court of law in the state of New Hampshire.

My name is Annie Costa, and I'm a public school teacher in New Hampshire who teaches high school English. I vehemently oppose this Bill HB1419.

I previously taught *The Handmaid's Tale*, a fantastic novel that could surely be prohibited from classrooms under this bill due to its depiction of coercive intercourse, which is anything but titillating. In the book, fertile women become the property of the ruling class and are used as "handmaids" who are forced to have sex with their commanders and produce children. Abortion is banned. Gay men are killed and displayed on a wall. The handmaids are not allowed to read, and even signage is reduced to symbols. When I initially taught the book, it served as a cautionary tale. Now, it seems like an even more vital novel in a country that has turned back the clock on reproductive freedom and LGBTQ+ progress.

When I asked my fourteen and fifteen-year-old students why the commanders bothered to ban books and ban reading, they understood it immediately. They told me that in dystopian novels, the villains are always the ones who ban books because it is all about control.

This proposed bill isn't actually about protecting children from sexual content. The bill's sponsors and the parents purported to be offended by sex acts in novels, likely read classic texts like *The Catcher in the Rye, The Color Purple,* and *The Scarlet Letter* during their adolescence and somehow made it to adulthood without becoming sexual deviants.

Well, that is besides the outright hypocritical stars of the Republican Party who are responsible for spearheading this foolhardy obsession. See Lauren Boebert—the family film movie-groper—or the infamous Zieglers, the Moms of Liberty co-founder and her husband, the former chairman of the Republican Party of Florida, who was ousted after an accusation of rape by a woman they had threesomes with over the years.

Even Trump, the likely Republican Party nominee for president, has called for cutting funding to any school that includes sexual content in their curriculum. Meanwhile, he has admitted to groping women on tape, had multiple extramarital affairs (including with a porn star), and been found liable for sexual assault, battery and defamation. What message does that send to the nation's children? Surely, watching politicians commit acts of sexual impropriety and violence with impunity is much more harmful to their well-being and grasp of sexuality than a Toni Morrison novel.

If Trump and his ilk are anything but prudish, what then is the point of all this feigned concern? The culture wars are thinly veiled subterfuge that has allowed Republicans to have a platform of indignation and little else. Republican voters in New Hampshire will eventually catch on to the smoke and mirrors act and realize that the NH House of Representatives has little else to offer.

Bans like this bill are entirely about controlling educators and the youth rather than meeting their actual needs.

The reality is that children and teens have more access to sexual content than ever before. According to Common Sense Media, 53% of children have smartphones by age 11.[1] With this unprecedented access, researchers have found that 68% of adolescents in the US have reported exposure to online pornography.[2] Saltburn, a new movie with more than one masturbation scene, is currently ranked #3 in the US on Amazon, largely due to the teenage obsession with Jacob Elordi. How many parents and sponsors of this bill plan to remove cell phones from teens? How many plan to ban Amazon Prime in their homes?

Given this new reality, I believe it is a grave mistake to take a puritanical stance, and in fact, I think that there is a more pronounced need for nuanced discussions around sex. It is my experience that within the realm of fiction, teens can have intensely meaningful insights and realizations as they watch characters grapple with questions surrounding readiness for sex, sexuality, consent, sexual violence, and relationship issues. While some of this content is covered in health classrooms, the beauty of literature is that when accompanied by thoughtful discussion, it allows for reflection in a way that a traditional lecture and statistics cannot.

Several of my junior students, who I'm incredibly fond of, recently started a book club for which I'm the club advisor. They are bright, interesting young women who read for fun (a miracle!) when they aren't busy with typical teenage existences. The most recent book they chose, *Know My Name*, is a memoir by Chanel Miller in which she details her experience of being raped and assaulted by Brock Turner, the Stanford freshman swimmer, at a college party much like the ones that they will attend in two short years.

Statistically, some of my female students will be victims of sexual violence. Many, actually. The CDC reports that over half of women will experience sexual violence, and one in four women will experience completed or attempted rape.[3] It pains me to think of my students as inhabiting a world in which sexual assaults still happen regularly amongst strangers, amongst friends, at parties or elsewhere on college campuses. Yet, thanks to the painful and empowering account of

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a brave survivor, they've had an opportunity to discuss the realities of sexual assault on campuses with a trusted adult--a conversation that would have never happened otherwise. If only this text could be required reading for all students.

While I feel confident about the literary merit of the books I've taught over the years, I could say the same for many of the books commonly removed under similar provisions. A ban that would put texts like these at risk forces teachers, librarians, and administrations to either shy away from beloved, life-affirming texts or waste precious time and resources mounting their defense rather than doing their job.

In my years in the classroom, I've never once encountered a romance novel on a course syllabus. English teachers enter the classroom to teach great works of literature. We spend our days with your children, and I know that my colleagues take that responsibility very seriously. They deserve to be trusted and treated like the thoughtful professionals that they are.

Many of us chose a life teaching novels because, at some point, books helped us. They allowed us to sort through what it means to be a human in the world and all of the thorny issues that accompany it, sex included.

Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA)

The Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA) was enacted by Congress in 2000 to address concerns about children's access to obscene or harmful content over the Internet. CIPA imposes certain requirements on schools or libraries that receive discounts for Internet access or internal connections through the E-rate program – a program that makes certain communications services and products more affordable for eligible schools and libraries. In early 2001, the FCC issued rules implementing CIPA and provided updates to those rules in 2011.

What CIPA requires

Schools and libraries subject to CIPA may not receive the discounts offered by the E-rate program unless they certify that they have an Internet safety policy that includes technology protection measures. The protection measures must block or filter Internet access to pictures that are: (a) obscene; (b) child pornography; or (c) harmful to minors (for computers that are accessed by minors). Before adopting this Internet safety policy, schools and libraries must provide reasonable notice and hold at least one public hearing or meeting to address the proposal.

Schools subject to CIPA have two additional certification requirements: 1) their Internet safety policies must include monitoring the online activities of minors; and 2) as required by the Protecting Children in the 21st Century Act, they must provide for educating minors about appropriate online behavior, including interacting with other individuals on social networking websites and in chat rooms, and cyberbullying awareness and response.

Schools and libraries subject to CIPA are required to adopt and implement an Internet safety policy addressing:

- Access by minors to inappropriate matter on the Internet;
- The safety and security of minors when using electronic mail, chat rooms and other forms of direct electronic communications;
- Unauthorized access, including so-called "hacking," and other unlawful activities by minors online;
- Unauthorized disclosure, use, and dissemination of personal information regarding minors; and
- Measures restricting minors' access to materials harmful to them.

Schools and libraries must certify they are in compliance with CIPA before they can receive E-rate funding.

- CIPA does not apply to schools and libraries receiving discounts only for telecommunications service only;
- An authorized person may disable the blocking or filtering measure during use by an adult to enable access for bona fide research or other lawful purposes.
- CIPA does not require the tracking of Internet use by minors or adults.

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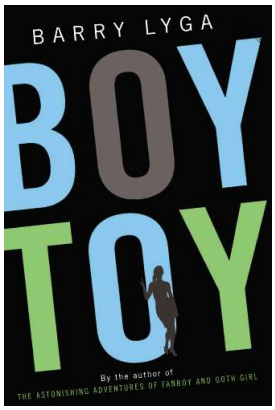
BOOK CHALLENGE, DOVER HIGH SCHOOL, 5/6/2023



BOY TOY, by Barry lyga, (51yo male) Published by; HarperCollins Publishers, for readers 16 years and up. "Astonishing adventures of fan boy and goth girl" Rating – 4-5 (aberrant content). RAPE between a 12-year-old boy and a 24yo married teacher/woman.

Available in the Dover High School library

CHALLENGE DISCLAIMERS:
Child or children refers to the laws definition of a person under **18 year of age**
This is **in NO WAY AN ATTACK ON THE LBGTQ** community
This is **NOT A BOOK BAN**, it is what is **AGE & DEVELOPMENTALLY APPROPRIATE** FOR CHILDREN UNDER 18

INTRODUCTION:
This book was written in 2007. It is unknown when it found its way into school libraries and public library CHILDREN/teen sections. This book is recommended for readers 16 years and up. Yet, the material in the book is clearly adult content for 18 and up and not developmentally/age appropriate for children. See excerpts and laws below **This book encourages/promotes sexual abuse, underage alcohol use, pedophilia and rape**. The fact it's about a 12yo middle school boy, is not an ethical/moral example for children. And if it stays in the library, the possibility a child will believe it is acceptable behavior and acts on it, because it's in the school library, is criminal, at best. The fact the High School has children under 18, should be enough to remove this book. This book will cause early childhood adverse events. The name and contents of the book, in of itself, is a reflection of a sick individual and confusing to unsuspecting minor children.

Over and over this teacher/adult, 24yo woman Eve, **sexually assaults a 12 year old Josh**, and introduces him to alcohol, abuses this child and tells the child to not tell anyone, over and over and over again. (See letter from NH therapist, Betsi Harrington, on the harms of pornography to children by adults). The guilt trip the teacher causes this boy, destroys his life in adverse ways. This boy is mentally ruined. Destroyed by this experience and cannot manage in society as a productive citizen. He attempts to rape a 13 yo girl thinking it's ok because that's what his teacher, Eve, did to him. Although Eve goes to jail for 5 years, the boy, Josh is damaged and lost throughout high school.

Outcome of this book is a study for mental health professionals and adults with child fetishes. Not children. The example and theme of the book is distorted and subject matter written by a warped adult, not from a childs perspective, at all. The only "boy" behavior exhibited in this story, is Josh plays baseball. You would no more put Penthouse or Hustler in the library as you would this book. This book enables child pornography not prevents it. Its placement in the path of children will confuse them and cause them to be sexually aroused in school. That can lead to a host of problems.

The school codes in Dover are clear on alcohol use and abuse. This book goes against the city code and law on alcohol use by promoting a minor to drink. Therefore, by making this book available to minors, defies code and the law on underage drinking. See codes below…

This in one of over 100 sexually explicit books in Dover School Libraries, see list. The books on the list are teens engaging in sex trafficking, drugs, alcohol, pedophilia, and other behaviors the school sets out to prevent through the codes! This is sending a mixed message, a double standard and has to be addressed.

This book breaks local, state and federal laws on **sexually explicit adult content**, see laws below…In the city guidelines for book challenges you require the challenger read the book, yet the librarians do not read them and rely on third party reviews that are paid to promote the book to make money, tax money. The school needs to address and rectify this matter, as there are too many of these books available in school libraries.

MAIN ARGUMENTS TO KEEP BOOK IN SCHOOL and COUNTER ARGUMENTS:

1. It's the journey and outcome that matters. Book/story taken as a whole.

- It has been well established, see attached, that children do not have the mental capacity as an adult has. For example, Drinking, smoking, working hours, driving, gun ownership, movies, porn shops, and more, all require ids and age limits of 18 and up. When presented with adult "journeys" written by adults for adults, **most children cannot process the outcome** for the under age reader, the "journey" can be life altering, even cause criminal activity. Hyper sexualize fiction is neither healthy or sex education for a child. Children will have trouble distinguishing between rape and healthy sexual activity by reading this material. It can scare them into not wanting sexual relationships when they are older or cause sexual addiction and adverse behaviors. Just because this is fiction, does not excuse the developmentally appropriate material in this book.

2. Its important for children going through difficult times to have these books available in school as self help guides.

- Self help books are **NOT a substitute for psychiatry**, period. This author does not hold a degree in psychiatry or psychology. Nor did he use a professionals input on this book. He did use baseball experts though… See attached letter from Dover city Attorney regarding the number of Teacher/student rape in Dover in the past 5 years. -0- No rape of a minor in the past five years. If this is the argument, it is moot, as there are no children in Dover, according to the City, in the past 5 years that have gone though such an experience.

3. Children will find pornography on the internet anyway

- This argument does not reflect the wishes of the taxpayers who fund public schools or libraries OR SHOULD IT. If a child finds pornography, it's a parents responsibility not the schools. If a parent wants their child to read 'Boy Toy" then they should buy it. The harms of pornography to children has been documented, for years. There is no good outcome for children exposed to porn. I'll refer to the case studies and articles written by Dr. Sharon Cooper, a developmental and forensic pediatrician, Dr. Cooper has carefully studied the harmful impact adult pornography has on children's development throughout her years of medical practice. The American Bar Association has many case studies and articles, too.

4. Children have first amendment rights to read what ever they want

- This is the most vague of all the arguments. The law states children have limited first amendment rights. In fact, the schools ethics guidelines, see below, are limiting a child to first amendment rights as listed by the Dover schools. Legally, a child does not have the right to adult sexually explicit content as described in federal, state and local law, see below. This description has to be followed by everyone, including librarians and schools. Morally and ethically this book does not belong in a school library.

5. Librarian screens the books children want to take out This is impossible.

- One; the DHS librarian has gone on record in Concord denying any sexually explicit books exist. Two; one person cannot screen every book taken out. Three; Not all children take books out. Many take books off the shelf and read in the library. Imagine a child reaches for Boy Toy thinking it's about "Toys"…

QUESTIONS:

1. How/when did this book end up in DHS?
2. Why do you think this book offers any literary ethical or morally acceptable material for High School students?
3. Does DHS have a screening process for books? What are the criteria for sexually explicit books? Is every book written reviewed and read?
4. To date, over 100, see list, sexually explicit books have been identified in DHS library. Why were these books allowed into the school? Who is responsible?
5. Why does the school promote a book with alcohol abuse of a minor and also warn against the harms?
6. Explain why this book is developmentally age appropriate for children? Why the school wants to promote a teacher who preys upon children?

Boy Toy, notable ethical problems for children and sexual assault ABUSE, why this book is not developmentally age appropriate for minors. (SEXUAL EXCERPTS BELOW…)

Profanity, which is not acceptable behavior for students, per school rules and code. There are other variations of the following words, not listed:

Profanity	Count
Ass	43
Bitch	2
Cock	1
Dick	14
Fuck	65
Goddamn	19
Piss	13
Prick	2
Pussy	1
Shit	61
Tit	2

"Astonishing adventures of fan boy and goth girl" subtitle of book: This is absolutely wrong and misleading. Josh is not a "fan boy"
Fan Boy, a male fan, especially one who is obsessive about comics, music, movies, or science fiction. Josh, the "boy" is not obsessive about any of these things. He plays video games and baseball and is not obsessive. Rachel, Josh's friend, is not "goth", nor is Eve or any other girl mention is this story.

PAGE 6-7: The way Josh describes Rachel does not reflect a typical/normal behavior of a 12 yo boy. It's a man's sexual description of a woman. 6, She was my size, in a loose sleeveless top and a skirt worn low on her frame. Too skinny, to tell the truth; her skirt was tight enough to emphasize the lack of hips, low enough to expose her concave belly. 7, She wiggled on my lap. I wasn't worried about the chair. I couldn't let this continue. I struggled to move her off me, our bodies chafing against each other. Her butt slipped and ground against my pelvis in a way that was almost pleasant, almost painful. …Like so many girls, she emphasized the positive, though, with tight jeans and skirts designed to show off the legs and ass toned over months of beating the throw to first. Up top, she favored the loose blouses and shirts that hinted that maybe, maybe, something was starting to sprout under there.

PAGE 28- clearly this child is mentally damaged to the point of attacking peers and his coach. The therapist, Kennedy, although he does bring up the anger, does little to help Josh. The continued sessions, which the author leaves off in later years, are only making Josh's anxiety worse. The author does not consult a psychologist for this story.

PAGE 67- paragraph 3, New Age woman said he was not "violated"??? and if he 'thought" that than he wouldn't be… This is strange as throughout the book Josh claims to have "violated" Eve when it was guilt by Eve, but here he is admitting to being violated? Clearly mixed message from the author and to a child reading this…

PAGE 68 –"mischanneled erotic feelings into rage…" Josh is most likely guilty of this but rather than the therapist actually doing his job, his messaging is confusing to a child, abused or otherwise… Josh is so damaged from the raping by his teacher, he cannot even look at girls.

PAGE 106 – begins his infatuation of Eve. His descriptions of her are of an adult, except for the "cookies"

PAGE 140- The first of many "Just don't tell your parents, OK, our secret" this is a typical line of an abuser and is dangerous. This line is repeated at least a dozen times throughout the story. Rather than the author exploring the harm and path this book takes, he doubles down. Again, not developmentally age appropriate for children

PAGE 148-149- again the line "promise you wont tell your parents" As the abuse heightens Eve introduces alcohol to Josh.

PAGE 154-155- An adult supplying a minor, not a family member, alcohol is abuse and enabling

PAGE 158- intro of pornography movies in plot

PAGE 172- 12 yo Josh's voice is still changing and he I now a wine, porn and female anatomy expert

PAGE 178- ‘I could go to jail”“-you cant tell anyone what we talked about or what we did OK?” “promise me” Again and again this line appears, this time with a threat!

PAGE173-206 excerpts below are how Eve sexually/rapes and abuses Josh…

PAGE 208- 209- Josh, 12years old, guilting over his desire for Eve and guilt over her HUSBAND George and sexual abuse begins… RAPE of Josh

PAGE 216 – The birthday card to Josh that implicates Eve. And he implicates himself using a burner phone. Days later he believes he is with Eve and tries to rape Rachel.

PAGE 262- more non therapy. Josh cannot look at girls or date them at 17 years old

PAGE 291- The attempted rape of Rachel, his friend that Josh dreams its Eve and her violent sex games. Josh attempt with Rachel, according to book, he was not aware of his actions.

PAGE 323- The pressure from the cops to confess. Josh is so brainwashed into believing he will hurt Eve, he refuses to tell what happened to authorities.

PAGE 333-324- After watching a child, Josh suffering in court, Eve confesses to sexually abuse. Changes her plea to guilty. Goes to jail for 5 years.

PAGE 335- Josh still doesn’t think he is a victim…
PAGE 337- 343 The husband of Eve, George, an adult, physically attacks Josh a 13 yo child. More guilt .

PAGE 347- Josh still cannot resume a “normal” teen relationship with Rachel Now Eve is getting out of jail, but Josh is still dealing with the trauma -- he's not only afraid to pursue girls, he also has bouts of violence and moments where he zones out uncontrollably. Additionally, Josh begins to worry that he will run into Eve in public.

Page 396-397- Conclusion; Josh seeks Eve out and of Eve telling Josh it was not his fault. His infatuation just disappears??!!! Josh and Rachel go to college…end

SEXUALLY EXPLICIT EXCERPTS- highlights, not all of them…:

173 "Do you want to kiss me, Josh?” Is that it? ..."I can’t-I can’t’-you’re my teacher.” I wanted to kill myself right then and there. After all this talk of me being so grown up and so not a kid! ..."I’m your friend, too. And friends tell each other things."
176 "Listen to me very carefully,” she said on the way. “What we did was fine. We care about each other, and when people care about each other, they kiss. You know that, right? ...I was a little annoyed. I wasn’t a baby. “Yes."..."But you know I could get in trouble for it, right? I mean, I could lose my job. I could go to jail.” Her fingers strummed on the steering wheel. ..."I know." ..."So-and I know I’ve said this before-you can’t tell anyone what we talked about or what we did. OK?" ..."Uh-huh." ..."Promise me, Josh. Promise me you’ll never tell anyone." ...I promised. Why would I tell anyone? If I told anyone, they would know what I had thought and seen..."It’s so selfish of me,” she whispered, and her hand moved farther south. When she touched my belt, I hitched up a breath and jerked involuntarily. “Shh! Shh! she said. “It’s OK." ..."I’m sorr-“ I started to say, but then her hand went lower, touching me through my jeans. Oh, God! She knew! She knew I had an erection! I wanted to melt away from embarrassment then and there."..."Don’t be sorry. What are you sorry for?” It had to be a rhetorical question, because she shoved her tongue into my mouth just then and I was helpless as she found my zipper and pulled it down. ...If I’d thought that the feel of her tongue on my ear or her nails on my naked chest were phenomenal, then I had absolutely no ides what to expect and no way to be prepared when her hand slipped into my fly. There was nothing tentative about it-her fingers didn’t brush against me gently, they sought me out and grabbed. I groaned into Eve’s mouth, was greeted with a groan in return. ...It only took a few seconds for her to navigate the fly of my boxers and then her fingers were on me directly. I saw explosions of light against my eyelids as my eyes squeezed tightly shut. Before I knew it, she had me out in the open and broke our kiss. ...I looked at her as she looked down into my lap. “Well,” she said. “Well." ...And started to do to me what I had been doing to myself two, sometimes three, times a day. Only it was so much

better. ..."Can you..." She stopped. Stopped talking, that is. ..."What?" I was shocked I could even speak...."Never mind," she whispered. "I want to be surprised." ...I didn't understand, but seconds later I didn't even understand how to breathe as a kaleidoscope of stars exploded behind my eyes, leaving fire trails like bottle rockets. ...Eve giggled a little and murmured something that sounded like, "That answers that."
191 The next day, on her sofa, she did something different. She fished me out of my fly and then, to my astonishment and complete disbelief, leaned down and took me into her mouth. I thought my eyes would melt out of their sockets.
194 On the side where she had bared her shoulder, her robe was still slipping down, until she was exposed on that side from her throat to midbelly, a perfect triangle of naked flesh that included one breasts. I started. I'd seen Zik's magazines, of course, and I'd seen the Happy Trio, and I'd seen R-rated movies at Zil's house,but I'd never in my life been within arm's reach like this...."And this?" she asked in a husky voice. "So you like this?"...There was only one answer, but I had no voice with which to give it. "Come here," she said, putting her arms around me again, her hands at my neck, pulling me toward her, pulling my head down, pulling my mouth to her.
204 I knocked at Eve's door. She opened the door in her slinky robe, her hair falling around her face and down to her shoulders....She pulled me into the apartment and slammed the door, pressing herself against me, slippery and soft in the rove. She nibbled at my ear, breathing into it, gasping out her words. "Oh baby, I missed you. I missed you so much. I need you so bad." ..."Me, too." ...She dropped to her knees and unbuckled my belt, then skinned down my pants and underpants. I was ready for her already, and she dived down, darting her head like a starving bord. I hissed out my breath and clenched my fists and leaned my head back against the door. ...She stopped.
"Watched me," she groaned. "Watch." And she took my hands and put them on her head. I gripped her hair and looked down. She looked up at me, our eyes locked as she descended again....And she did. From then on, we moved our sessions from the sofa to the bedroom...I learned every curve, nook, and niche of her body, every inch of smooth skin, every bump and turn. I learned what to tough, when to touch it, how to touch it, and for how long. I learned; I watched. ...I never, ever stopped thrilling to the sight each time I saw her naked. Every time, it was new. Never boring. Never old. ...She taught me how to make love and she taught me how to fuck and she taught me the difference. We ended up doing more of the latter than the former. ...One time, in the panting aftermath of our afternoon session, she lay on the bed in unconscious imitation of that Playmate from Zik's Playboy an eternity ago. ..."What are your numbers?" I asked her. ...She looked at me sleepily over her shoulder. "My what?" ..."Your numbers." I gestured at her chest, her waist. ..."Oh." She laughed. "Why do you care all of a sudden?"..."Numbers are important." ...She relented at the seriousness in my expression. She took my hand and made me touch breast, waist, hip as she recited "Twenty-four, twenty-six, thirty-five." ..."Are those good numbers?" ...Her eyebrows shot up. "Well, I like to think so! What do you think?" And she sprawled out on the bed, unashamed...Later, we lay intertwined on the sofa while I played video games. She dozed, her robe open from throat to waist, her chest warm against my naked thigh.
206 That afternoon, after our usual session (she called it "petting," and she was letting me touch her freely now a stand-up triple, easy), she snuggled up to me on the sofa and let me copy her notes into my notebook so that I wouldn't fall behind. ..."Why don't you let me make you feel good, too?" ..."Do you want to, Josh?" ..."It just doesn't seem fair. You do all these things for me and I don't-" ..."But do you want to, Josh?" ...I got frustrated. Why didn't she understand? I wasn't talking about what I wanted to do or didn't want to do. I was talking about what was fair. About me always getting and never giving anything back. Feeling guilty for that. ..."Yes. I want to." ...That afternoon and for the rest of the week, she taught me her body. She was a very good teacher, and I suppose I was a good student ...A week or so later, she asked me if I wanted to see the Happy Trio again. ..."I want to do that," I whispered. ...Eve sat upright. "Are you sure?"
...I kept staring at he screen. Eve paused the DVD and made me look at her. "Are you sure that's what you want?" ...I swallowed. Was she saying that we could...She was married..." ..."Yes," I whispered. I realized I was shaking. I had something else to say, something I could barely bring myself to say. I wanted to tell her that I wanted to do it with her, but I knew that was too far. Too much. She was married. Married people have sex with each other. I knew that much. ..."Yes," I said again. "But I don't know how." ...There were tears in her eyes. She held me tight to her and kissed me deep and long. "That's OK." Her tongue flicked at my ear. "I'll teach you." ...And she did. From then on, we moved our sessions from the sofa to the bedroom...I learned every curve, nook, and niche of her body, every inch of smooth skin, every bump and turn. I learned what to tough, when to touch it, how to touch it, and for how long. I learned; I watched. ...I never, ever stopped thrilling to the sight each time I saw her naked. Every time, it was new. Never boring. Never old. ...She taught me how to make love and she taught me how to fuck and she taught me the difference. We ended up doing more of the

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209 "Are you OK, Josh?" she asked me as we put fresh sheets on the bed. I was being quieter than usual, I guess. "Yeah." "Are you all right with what we're doing?" Her eyes and her voice were filled with concern "Yes. I'm fine with it." "Because if you want to stop—" "No. I don't want to stop." I couldn't tell her the truth: that I felt terrible for what I was doing. Guilty for making her do what I wanted. Guilty for making her do it my way. Guilty for making her cheat on her husband. She came to me and hugged me, our bodies still slightly sticky with sweat. She was a few inches taller than I, and my head nestled—perfectly, as if designed that way, she always said—in the hollow of her throat, just above her breasts. "I've been lying to you and I've been kissing Eve and I've been having sex and I've been FUCKING." I don't know how they could have missed it. They must have been complete idiots.
216 My thirteenth birthday was a Friday. Mom and Dad said I was too old for a big party with lots of people, so I invited Zik to spend the night instead. Of course, I went home with Eve first, and we celebrated in our own way. She gave me a card that said "I love you," but didn't sign it. I read it as we lay in bed together.
228 I sit on my bed for a minute, still feeling Rachel's kiss on my lips, my teeth, my tongue. I'm hard. I want to beat off, but I'm dead tired, exhausted mentally and physically. …Forgiveness happens while you're asleep, while you're dreaming, while you're in line at the coffee shop, while you're showering, eating, farting, jerking off.
264 What Evelyn Sherman did to you wasn't about intimacy. There may have been times that she made you feel like it was, but it was all about satisfying her needs. You were a means to that end. You've had a lot of experience in the physical actions that comprise sex and sexuality, but you have next to no experience in the emotional component.
273 Honestly, as boner-inducing as Michelle is, it's still Rachel I can't stop looking at. I've secretly lusted after Michelle almost as long as I've understood what a penis is for, so her appearance tonight is nothing new.
283 If anything, we're the South Brook nightmare couple, the star softball pitcher and her freak boyfriend, the kid who fucked a teacher in seventh grade and has kept his head down ever since, the kid who beats the shit out of anyone who looks at him cross-eyed.
287 The TV is still going, playing some HBO special on sex, so there's a constant parade of naked fat people on the screen.
292 That it's not her fault, that she's beautiful and warm and sexy and that any man with a brain and a working cock would be an idiot not to yearn for her, not to worship every last inch of her.
300 "Mom, it wasn't Zik's fault. Me and Rachel were just playing." "Playing? Playing? You ripped her underwear off. You grabbed—I don't even want to say what you did, and you call it playing? Who taught you that? Where did you learn that? I know it was from Zik. His parents are letting you watch adult cable, aren't they?" "No, Mom! It wasn't Zik! I didn't know it was wrong. I was just playing like with E—" I stopped myself midsyllable, but it was too late.
342 "He fucked my wife!" George wailed
398 "When did you decide? How far along did things get before you decided you were going to have sex with me, Eve?" There's a thousand years before her answer: "The day we met, Josh. The first time I laid eyes on you."
399 I was molested. When I was twelve.

Dover School conduct and rules:

Policy Code
JIC excerpts that this book does not follow:
A. General Policy
The School Board is committed to promoting a safe, healthy, orderly and supportive school and learning environment. To achieve that for all, it is important for students to conduct themselves in a manner fitting to their age level and maturity, and with respect and consideration of other students, District personnel and other members of the community. Students are expected and required to maintain appropriate behavior that allows teachers and staff to perform their professional duties effectively and without disruption while on School District property or on property within the jurisdiction of the School District (including vehicles); and/or while attending or engaged in school activities.
B. Student Code of Conduct
The School Board delegates to the Superintendent, in consultation with the appropriate building Principal and counselors, the responsibility of adopting and implementing a Student Code of Conduct with such age-appropriate rules and regulations for each school as he/she deems necessary to implement the objectives of this policy, school-wide approaches; targeted supports for at-risk students; and individualized services for highest-needs students.

Code ACAA excerpts that this book does not follow:
A. Harassment
Harassment includes, but is not limited to, verbal abuse and other offensive conduct based on age, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, race, creed, color, ancestry or national origin, marital status, familial status, physical or mental disability, religion or economic status. Harassment that rises to the level of physical assault, battery and/or abuse and bullying behavior

B. Sexual Harassment
Sexual harassment is addressed under federal and state laws/regulations. The scope and definitions of sexual harassment under these laws differ, as described below.
1. Title IX Sexual Harassment

Under the federal Title IX regulations, sexual harassment includes the following conduct on the basis of sex which takes place within the context of the school district's educational programs and activities:
a. "Quid pro quo" sexual harassment by a school employee: Conditioning a school aid, benefit or service (such as a better grade or a college recommendation) on an individual's participation in unwelcome sexual conduct;
b. "Hostile environment" sexual harassment: Unwelcome conduct based on sex that a reasonable person would determine is so severe, pervasive *and* objectively offensive that it effectively denies an individual's equal access to the school unit's educational programs and activities; or
c. Sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence and stalking as these terms are defined in federal laws.

2. Other Forms of Sexual Harassment

Some forms of sexual harassment may not meet the definition under Title IX (see paragraph 1, above) but is still prohibited under New Hampshire law.

The District defines other forms of sexual harassment as unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal, non-verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature in the following situations:
a. Submission to such conduct is made either explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of a student's educational benefits;
b. Submission to or rejection of such conduct by a student is used as the basis for decisions on educational benefits; or
c. Such conduct has the purpose and effect of substantially interfering with a student's academic performance or creates an intimidating, hostile or offensive environment.

Does Dover School Code follow only laws they deem to fit a narrative or not?Yet the school allows them to see and read about such exemptions…
Code JICA excerpts that this book does not follow IN FACT PROMOTES:
4. Students CANNOT WEAR:
• Clothing with violent language or images.

• Clothing with images or language depicting or suggesting drugs, alcohol, vaping or paraphernalia (or any illegal item or activity).

• Clothing with hate speech, profanity or pornography.

• Clothing that reveals undergarments.

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Code IHAMA excerpts that this book does not follow, IN FACT PROMOTES:
District personnel shall provide students, parents, and legal guardians with information and resources relative to existing drug and alcohol counseling and treatment for students. The Superintendent shall oversee the development, distribution, and maintenance of a comprehensive list of local, regional, statewide drug and alcohol counseling, and treatment resources which are available to district students. This information may be published in student/parent handbooks, posted on district websites, distributed along with other course material during drug and alcohol education, and shall be available through the principal's office, school nurses' office, athletic program offices, guidance offices and other locations deemed appropriate by the principal in each school. As part of the health education program for grades K – 12, the District shall provide aged and developmentally appropriate education based upon the needs of pupils and the community regarding the effects of alcohol and other drugs, abuse thereof, the hazards of using tobacco products, e-cigarettes, liquid nicotine and like suspensions, as well as the state laws and related penalties for prohibiting minors using or possessing such products. The Superintendent shall be responsible to establish and periodically review the District's guidelines for staff members providing such health education or education on such topics. An evidence-based prevention program, approved by the Superintendent, may be used for this purpose.

STATE CODE:
Section Ed 306.08 - Instructional Resources**(a)** The local school board shall require that each school:**(1)** Provides a developmentally appropriate collection of instructional resources, including online and print materials, equipment, and instructional technologies, that shall be current, comprehensive, and necessary to support the curriculum as well as the instructional needs of the total school population;

Laws this book breaks, below and other references:
Federal, NH State and Dover City laws

Federal

https://www.justice.gov/criminal-ceos/citizens-guide-us-federal-law-child-pornography#:~:text=Section%202256%20of%20Title%2018,under%2018%20years%20of%20age).
18 U.S. Code § 2256 (3)
"producing" means producing, directing, manufacturing, issuing, publishing, or advertising;
Images of child pornography are not protected under First Amendment rights, and are illegal contraband under federal law. Section 2256 of Title 18, United States Code, defines child pornography as any visual depiction of sexually explicit conduct involving a minor (someone under 18 years of age). Visual depictions include photographs, videos, digital or computer generated images indistinguishable from an actual minor, and images created, adapted, or modified, but appear to depict an identifiable, actual minor. Undeveloped film, undeveloped videotape, and electronically stored data that can be converted into a visual image of child pornography are also deemed illegal visual depictions under federal law.

Notably, the legal definition of sexually explicit conduct does not require that an image depict a child engaging in sexual activity. A picture of a naked child may constitute illegal child pornography if it is sufficiently

sexually suggestive. Additionally, the age of consent for sexual activity in a given state is irrelevant; any depiction of a minor under 18 years of age engaging in sexually explicit conduct is illegal.

NH State Title LXII - CRIMINAL CODE
Chapter 649-A - CHILD PORNOGRAPHY
Section 649-A:1 - Declaration of Findings and Purposes.
I. "Child" means any person under the age of 18 years.
II. "Disseminate" means to import, publish, produce, print, manufacture, distribute, sell, lease, exhibit, or display.
III. "Sexually explicit conduct" means human masturbation, the touching of the actor's or other person's sexual organs in the context of a sexual relationship, sexual intercourse actual or simulated, normal or perverted, whether alone or between members of the same or opposite sex or between humans and animals, or any lewd exhibitions of the buttocks, genitals, flagellation, bondage, or torture. Sexual intercourse is simulated when it depicts explicit sexual intercourse that gives the appearance of the consummation of sexual intercourse, normal or perverted.
IV. "Visual representation" means any visual depiction, including any photograph, film, video, digital image, picture, or computer or computer-generated image or picture, whether made or produced by electronic, mechanical, or other means, of sexually explicit conduct, where:
(a) The production of such visual depiction involves the use of a child engaging in or being engaged in sexually explicit conduct;

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City of Dover law is as follows. The full description is in the link below:https://ecode360.com/32591354

A. Predominantly appeals to the prurient interest of minors in sex, that is, an interest in lewdness or lascivious thoughts;

SEXUAL CONDUCT

Human masturbation, sexual intercourse, actual or simulated, normal or perverted, or any touching of the genitals, pubic areas or buttocks of the human male or female or the breasts of the female, whether alone or between members of the same or opposite sex or between humans and animals, any depiction or representation of excretory functions, any lewd exhibitions of the genitals, flagellation or torture in the context of a sexual relationship. Sexual intercourse is simulated when it depicts sexual intercourse which gives the appearance of the consummation of sexual intercourse, normal or perverted.

NEA CODE OF ETHICS broken by this book:

4. Shall make reasonable effort to protect the student from conditions harmful to learning or to health and safety.
5. Shall not intentionally expose the student to embarrassment or disparagement.
7. Shall not use professional relationships with students for private advantage.

MORE STATE DEFINITIONS:

- ***"Abused child"** means any child who has been:
  - Sexually abused;
  - Intentionally physically injured;
  - Psychologically injured so that said child exhibits symptoms of emotional problems generally recognized to result from consistent mistreatment or neglect;
  - Physically injured by other than accidental means;
  - Subjected, by any person, to human trafficking; or
  - Subjected to female genital mutilation.

- **"Child"** means a person who has not reached his 18th birthday.
- **"Neglected child"** means a child:
  - Who has been abandoned by his parents, guardian, or custodian;
  - Who is without proper parental care or control, subsistence, education as required by law, or other care or control necessary for his physical, mental, or emotional health, when it is established that his health has suffered or is very likely to suffer serious impairment; and the deprivation is not due primarily to the lack of financial means of the parents, guardian or custodian; or
  - Whose parents, guardian or custodian are unable to discharge their responsibilities to and for the child because of incarceration, hospitalization or other physical or mental incapacity; provided, that no child who is, in good faith, under treatment solely by spiritual means through prayer in accordance with the tenets and practices of a recognized church or religious denomination by a duly accredited practitioner thereof shall, for that reason alone, be considered to be a neglected child.
- **"Serious Impairment"** means a substantial weakening or diminishment of a child's emotional, physical, or mental health or of a child's safety and general well-being. The following circumstances shall be considered in determining the likelihood that a child may suffer serious impairment:
  - The age and developmental level of the child;
  - Any recognized mental, emotional, or physical disabilities;
  - School attendance and performance;
  - The child's illegal use of controlled substances, or the child's contact with other persons involved in the illegal use or sale of controlled substances or the abuse of alcohol;
  - Exposure to incidents of domestic or sexual violence;
  - Any documented failure to thrive;
  - Any history of frequent illness or injury;
  - Findings in other proceedings;
  - The condition of the child's place of residence;
  - Assessments or evaluations of the child conducted by qualified professionals; and
  - Such other factors that may be determined to be appropriate or relevant.
- "**Sexual abuse**" means the employment, use, persuasion, inducement, enticement, or coercion of any child to engage in, or having a child assist any other person to engage in, any sexually explicit conduct or any simulation of such conduct for the purpose of producing any visual depiction of such conduct; or the rape, molestation, prostitution, or other form of sexual exploitation of children, or incest with children. With respect to the definition of sexual abuse, the term "child" or "children" means any individual who is under the age of 18 years.
  - *N.H. Rev. Stat. Ann. §§ 169-C:3, 169-C:29, 169-C:30, 169-C:31, 169-C:32, 169-C:37, 169-C:39.

PEDOPHILIA AND NH:

A. Statutory Rape - Criminal Offenses

A child under 16 years of age is unable to consent to sexual intercourse with anyone other than his or her spouse.[495]

REFERENCE DEFINITIONS:
Pedophile: The deriving of sexual gratification from sexual fantasies or acts involving a child.
Rape is a type of sexual assault involving sexual intercourse or other forms of sexual penetration carried out against a person without their consent. **(age of consent is 16 in NH, with exceptions)**
Pornography has been defined as sexual subject material "such as a picture, video, or text," that is considered sexually arousing.

Thank you Chairman Ladd and honorary committee members for listening to our testimonies today. My name is Michelle Cilley Foisy and I live in Temple, NH and I am testifying in opposition of HB1419. I am a mother of six and also a physical therapist. The last three years my full time job has been being a mom to my four youngest. At first staying home was due to the pandemic. Now it's for a different reason. My 16 year old child has been struggling with many physical and mental health issues over the past three years. This past year they transitioned to homeschooling due to their severe migraines. Unfortunately we didn't realize at the time just how severe our child's depression was or that they were also experiencing gender dysphoria.

In March, for the first time in my presence, they expressed they were experiencing near constant suicidal thoughts while at a physician visit. Immediately we sought counseling for them. After beginning therapy, they were slowly able to talk more openly to us about things. In September, they came to me and asked if they were "too old to start hormone therapy". After that conversation a huge weight lifted from our child's mind. We are now actively receiving care from an endocrinologist and are just beginning hormone replacement therapy, also known as HRT, to allow our child to have a more feminine body they feel at home in.

My queer child has started their own journey and I am here to support them however I can. Witnessing the self isolation and severe depression my child has endured has been horrific and painful as their mother. A heartache I hope few parents have to cope with. We are incredibly fortunate to continue to have our child here with us today after their attempted suicide. In October, I sat in a doctors office while at their side as they revealed details of that attempt. Their attempt was before they came to me about HRT. Before they were able to express how lost they were feeling in their own body. Now there is finally light creeping through the darkness they have been living in. As their mom I am able to feel hope again for their future. I am grateful every day that their beautiful face is still here for me to touch.

In submitting this testimony today, I am sharing this very personal story to express my deep concern for what this bill is attempting to do. I have learned a great deal during the course of the past year through this experience with my child. Always being a strong supporter of LGTBQIA+ rights, I could not comprehend the intense emotional turmoil a person experiences when coping with gender dysphoria until my own personal life exposure. HB 1419, escalates and exacerbates the isolation that the LGTBQIA+ youth, like my child, will be expected to persevere through. Allowing the existence of others in a public setting such as a school, while allowing textbooks in their schools that represent similar people to who they are, is a simple part of a cisgender world. Supporting and promoting the blatant discrimination of the entire LGTBQIA+ population by eliminating all materials that represent people from their community, is not the way

of the Granite State. Including materials that allow all children to feel represented in their community, while also helping to educate and support their peers is invaluable and necessary to improve the experience for all children's inclusivity and education. Furthermore, as a medical professional that took classes such as anatomy and physiology at the high school level, textbooks that include detailed pictures of the body and its functioning parts is a crucial part of the material necessary to appropriately teach such subjects. A safe environment, such as a school, is the opportune and most appropriate place for kids to learn and grow from material that is related to the content both being taught and sought after.

The relationships a person experiences through being a part of a school environment is life enhancing. To not allow a person to thrive and feel included in the school they feel inexplicably ascribed to is cruel and inhumane. The losses that the LGTBQIA+ youth will bear because of this bill will be significant. As a mother I strongly support my children's educational journey and hope they will have the materials that will support their learning along the way. As legislators you need to consider the repercussions of this bill.

Please vote ITL for HB 1419.

Rosemary Little

Books about sexuality and gender should be available to students. These are important topics for students and if students have questions or want to learn more about these topics they should be able to do their own research.

Patricia Edwards

This bill is simply ridiculous as young people can access these books pretty much anywhere. Again it is trying to erase a whole class of people and say their existence is wrong. Also there are quite a few students who live in families of two mothers or two fathers. This is saying that their families are wrong and should not exist. This is harmful and hurtful to these children. I would urge lawmakers to kill this bill. I am a local pediatrician and deal with same sex families and LBTGQ patients on a regular basis and this is not a helpful bill to anyone except people who are trying to put their religious and personal beliefs above the rights of other individuals.

Louise Taylor

We are not a communist country. People should not be denied access to books or other materials that they are interested in learning about. Don’t be like the Nazis!!!!

Crystal Buswell

HB 1419 is just one of this year's attempts at a book ban modeled after similar bills recently introduced in other state legislatures. Like others before it, the bill contains vague language left open to interpretation and once again contains violations of the Code of Conduct. The bill sets up a process to follow that ends with the state board of education and does not truly allow local school districts to develop their own policies around reviewing potentially objectionable material.

There are more sensible proposals to review school and library materials in the legislature this year and lawmakers should consider those rather than adopt this bill.

Catharine Hyson

I oppose HB 1419. Please consider that in making a blanket statement about nudity this would effectively not allow informational books on the human body and many books about fine art. Though some families may choose for their children not to access these materials it should not mean that all children are denied access to information about the human body or fine art.

Many districts already have procedures and policies in place to address a parent concern around a book. These procedures typically include a comprehensive review of the material with a larger representation of stake holders than this bill indicates. With this bill a more thorough locally designed review would be replaced with this more cursory review by only one person. Local policies and procedures for reviewing books of concern should not be overruled by this less rigorous format. Please honor the policies that are already in place locally instead of instituting this unnecessary bill.

Bernadette Duguay-Virgin

i am opposed to any book bans. Please leave these decisions up to educators and librarians, not politicians.

Lisa Dudgeon

You have to be kidding me. Unbelievable. If you really care about parental advocacy, allow parents to make these decisions for their children, not anyone else.

Meg Cleary

Really? Book Bans? In the year 2024, you think book bans are going to keep information from children? I'm concerned that the house of education is more interested in withholding information from its public than supporting the needs of public school educators. Do better NH ....

Deb Baker

I am writing to you as a Christian to oppose this bill. It's fearmongering and counter factual to suggest reading diverse materials might cause someone to "turn gay" or change their gender. It benefits kids to learn that there are all kinds of people in this world who are all beloved. And it benefits kids who were created by God differently than you prefer to see themselves represented in books at school. It's also the height of hubris to assume you know better than God how humans are created - binary views of gender are not universal. Please stop imposing your worldview on others while at the same time complaining about the same thing. Jesus called out hypocrites and that is the height of hypocrisy.

Kerbert Porter-Elliott

Books are fundamental to democratic principles.

Katie Williams

Please vote no on this bill. Not only is it vague and removes control from local school districts, but there are more sensible proposals to review school and library materials in the legislature this year. Please consider those rather than adopt this bill.

Bonnie Hill

Why should one parent prevent an entire student body from accessing a book just because that parent is prejudiced against LGBTQ people or people of color? Please kill this bill for good and free us from this kind of anti-education censorship.

Dan Williams

Now come all the usual, uptight, suspects with unresolved issues and weird curiosities, wanting to ban "obscene or harmful sexual materials" from schools. Based on WHO'S DEFINITION? The Bible would be banned by these people if read in its entirety. So would many of the great works of all time. These people should never have been elected, let alone have anything to do with pedagogy. Please put this insane bill out of its misery by killing it in committee. There are already laws in place that parents can use if they object to a specific text and those laws work fine and do not need "tweaking,"

Priscilla Dube

RE HB1419: if I wanted to see the authorization of removal of Diary of Anne Frank and dictionaries defining "sex" removed from libraries, I would move to Florida.

Charles Rhoades

This bill takes away local control and gives more power to the unprincipled current occupant of the commissioner of education position. Many local districts, including my own, have well though out, practical, workable policies that are respectful to all viewpoints. This bill gives the commissioner the power to insert his views and those of an extremist minority on the rest of us. Book banning is as unAmerican as it gets. Let teachers, administrators, students, and their parents determine educational content, not Christian Nationalists. Most Americans who are Christian, in poll after poll, oppose this type of bill. Where does this nonsense stop? Florida the book banners are now taking aim at dictionaries! The Live free or die state is not like Florida, or are we?

Patricia Anastasia

I strongly oppose this bill. This bill is about the bill's sponsors' personal beliefs. In the Live Free or Die state, how do bills like this exist?

Chanin Peyton

No one should be able to determine what another person reads. Schools are not in a position to police reading.

Christie Rice

Leave the books!

Margaret Hurley

Banning books is silly -- just makes someone want to read them even more!

This bill denies educational opportunities that are needed by developing young adults. It is an anti-education bill.

Kristina Wolff

This bill is discriminatory and limits children's rights to learn about people who are similar or different to them. Strong education programs are based on a mix of materials including learning about people who are similar or different to who we are as individuals. Parents provide guidance at home regarding their personal beliefs. Providing books for children that depict the wide variation of individuals does NOT serve as a means of 'indoctrination' as some may claim. There is plenty of evidence of adverse consequences of not having materials in a school library which depicts similarities and differences between people based on where they live, their family make-up, and personal identities. There is plenty of evidence of how harmful it is for children and teens to not have examples of people who are similar to themselves as they are maturing. Many who are questioning their gender or sexual identity - which is NOT the same as sexual behaviors - suffer if they do not have examples of people who are like them. Youth suicide rates are on the rise, According to Pew, people aged 10-24 comprise 14% of all suicides; which is over 6,500 per year. We need to support our youth and provide appropriate materials for those on the margins such as youth who are questioning their sexuality. People who MIGHT identify as LGBT suffer due to how they are treated NOT because of their identity. This is a hateful bill and it should not be heard or passed.

THOMAS KEEGAN

We should not penalize any landowner for trying to reduce our carbon footprint.

Deb Roux

Dear Committee Members,

Please remove all obscene and harmful sexual books and materials from our schools and school libraries and school online portals for books.

I remember a time when you needed to show your license to be able to get into a R rated movie because you had to be 18 years or older to watch an obscene movie.
Now this material is being pushed onto our babies. Pleases stop this by supporting this bill!

Thank you and God bless,

Deb

ELIZABETH FEREN

There needs to be a process whereby parents can register their discontent with objectionable material.

Allison Dyer

Not very long ago, school librarians accepted the idea that one of their most important tasks was to protect children's innocence. Until recently, parents sent their children to school with the trust that the library would not be a corrupting influence. There are enough books in the world that children can learn all they need without being exposed to obscene & sexual material.

Under such circumstances, filtering out books with harmful and inappropriate messages was part of the school librarian's job. And most often, children's book publishers did not release such books, fearing a backlash from their best customers.

In today's world, such care is seemingly no longer taken. Children are the most vulnerable members of society and if some of these materials are shown or provided to students, they would normally be illegal if an adult showed them to another's minor child. I support HB1419 because all of us, from teachers and administrators to parents, families and taxpayers must protect the age appropriate innocence of those confided to their care.

Thank you for your time,

Allison Dyer – Nashua NH
Allie_Scott@comcast.net

Elisabeth Wilson

Banning educational materials that could be lifesaving is not only harmful to our youth, but it sets a bad precedent for our state.

Lisa Cote

I can't even believe this is being considered. Obscene material for minors is clearly inappropriate. Please to the right thing and defeat this bill with 100% opposing and let's never see this voted on again. Common sense people. I am in disbelief and disgust as a mother of 2 minors.

janet ward

This is a dangerous and unnecessary bill. There are already sufficient safeguards in place to ensure that books are sufficiently and appropriately reviewed.

Heather Dormer

I agree we should be keeping these materials out of the schools. Especially in elementary and with discretion in middlle school. This information is only causing confusion to many kids….especially the transgender information….providing information that this is an actual choice for kids….it is not…it is unhealthy….and not real. I am a social worker in a school. When kids come to me with questions about gender, I listen but then I encourage them to talk to their parents. I do not go along with pronouns and I refuse to call kids by any other name than their given name. Eventually I will probably get fired (I work in MA). I'm afraid introducing this lgbt information is just adding to the confusion kids are feeling when they reach puberty. Please keep this out of the schools. Thank you

Arthoen Wolf

I OPPOSE THIS BILL

maureen metivier

Sexually explicit acts being depicted in books, etc. does not edify our students, in fact it degrades them.Let them learn math, literature, languages. The school is to educate not groom.

Supporting this would lead to further burdens and costs of childhood depression, suicide, and medical needs. Opposing because children and adults deserve representation.

Excessive and costly.

Peter Costa

I cannot believe we are having this discussion in 2024...one might think it was 1944. Are there not real issues that need to be addressed other than censorship and further marginalization of already marginalized communities? Isn't learning about being exposed to a variety of viewpoints and making decisions for oneself as to what resonates? Be careful what you legislate....you might be censoring and silencing another person's perspectives today, but tomorrow it might be your own. Again, are our elected officials so bored that they don't have time for real issues that matter to most of NH voters? It is no wonder that young people are leaving NH in droves.

Bronwyn Sims

Please ban sexually explicit books and materials in all schools in New Hampshire. We do not need to teach our children about sexually explicit behavior in our schools!!! Concerned Citizen, Bronwyn Sims

Mark Pitman

Freedom of speech allows all voices to be heard. Parents not wanting their child to hear different voices are allowed to ban their children from reading them. They do not have the right to ban other children from reading them.

Supriya Shanti

I am a licensed clinical social worker in New Hampshire representing many NH residents. Banning LGBTQ+ materials in schools is discriminatory against many NH residents and will put them at risk of not having support in their daily environment. I am a member of the public and firmly oppose this bill.

I had asked the teacher not to discuss material and I was told she thought the students had a right to know. I felt that the parents wishes were not be valued.

Jason Frazier

As a family therapist in the community, I am deeply concerned about what this bill would do to the health and wellbeing of transgendered youth in the state. If we cannot create an inclusive community where transgendered youth feel accepted and seen, we create an environment where children feel afraid to express who they are, leading to greater risks of depression, self-harm, and suicide.

John Zavgren

Censorship is fascism. There is no substitute for critical thinking. When I hear that a book is banned I become much more interested in reading it. As Isaac Asimov famously said: "A banned book is one worth reading."

If Republicans were effective at solving actual problems, then, they wouldn't need to be attention whores and they could win elections based on their effectiveness.

Susan Liebowitz

This bill effectively allows any parent to remove books or materials for all children since they would decide what was sexual or obscene. Any parent already has the right to keep their child from reading a particular book but not the right to make that decision for other children.

Agatha Connelly

Hello--Thank you for this bill and for the opportunity to encourage a love of learning without the distractions of inappropriate material in classrooms and libraries.

Kevin Boyarsky

What country are we living in where we are banning books. Then you should ban the internet which is a lot worse than most of the books this bill intends to ban. What has changed over the years to cause book banning?. Terrible bill.

Tia Winter

Limiting and banning education should not be supported by anyone, regardless of political affiliation.

NANCY SHERIDAN

So here's the truth - kids are more worried about getting f'ing SHOT than about other LGBTQ kids sitting next to them or what books about such are available. Really folks, get your fingers on the pulse and wake up. Books don't hurt kids.

Mark Constantian

I am a surgeon in Nashua and have written a book that discusses addictions. States that legalize recreational marijuana experience increased addiction, increased teen drug use, and increased social service needs. Legalization in New Hampshire would turn back the clock on decades of hard work helping vulnerable populations, to include our youth, overcome substance misuse problems and addiction.

Jillian Pelchat

Without the ability to learn about rights and ways of identifying we are keeping youth from living authentic lives.
Children should be able to explore their authenticity and not be marginalized for it.

Richard Ford Burley

Limiting children's access to information about gender and sexuality won't reduce the number of queer kids. It will, however, raise the number of queer kids who think they're alone in the world, and also likely raise queer youth suicide rates. The increasing hostility to queer and/or trans youth pushed by bills like this have been documented to raise suicide rates among teens (https://www.thetrevorproject.org/survey-2022/). Any person of conscience should oppose a bill like this.

Don Rankin

Young people need the most information they can get and no legislature should be allowed to decide what is "sexual". I am against book banning and I know that the mention of anything sexual may disturb some of you Old Farts but guess what, sex is normal, sex is everywhere and you can't control it by stopping learning about it. The only thing you will accomplish is to rob young people of the information they need to have a healthy sex life which will result in much more harm than any words in a book. Give up the Puritan BS.

Christopher LaRocca

This bill would prevent youth from learning about or exploring identities that they (or others) may be questioning. This learning is important to understanding and respecting all people.

Martha Robb

Schools are sources of information, not places where facts and information are obscured or hidden.

Lianne Prentice

Parents should have final authority and oversight over their children's reading materials. NH supports parental choice in education; a yes vote on this bill subverts that authority.

Ingrid Markman

I'm opposed to this bill. I do not believe in book banning. I have worked in schools my entire professional life and I have never seen a need for book banning. This is fear run amok!

Patricia McGourty

I fully support the LGBTQ+ community.

Jennifer McCarthy

This will create suicidal kids and you'll be spending more taxpayer dollars on medical care when they show up at the ED or when the school districts are held.liable for a suicide, because they fostered an environment of fear and misery instead of safety.

Daniel Richardson

Children are the most vulnerable members of society. It would be illegal if a random adult showed obscene & sexual material to another’s minor child.

Lillian Garruba

As a parent and educator, I implore you to please support this bill and let our children be children. Schools are supposed to be safe places that provide a wholesome learning environment for our children. They should not be exposed to material that is obscene or harmful to their development.

Sarah Mackey

I oppose this bill.

Rep. Nick Germana

Never in history have the book banners been the good guys. I say this as a historian - as a German historian.

Beth Sloat

This is a bill in search of a problem that doesn't exist. Schools have challenge procedures already. There are already methods and procedures.

Melyssa Flaherty

Banning books from school is a violation of the authors free speech and the readers right to privacy. Banning books is usually the first step towards fascism and is just fundamentally unconstitutional.

Kim Mathison

As a retired former teacher & open minded person, I feel strongly that student access to LGBTQ resources is important to students' personal growth & education. I oppose this bill strongly!!

Julie Le Doux

Adults who expose minors to sexually explicit material can be charged with criminal sexual abuse. Why would we ever allow our schools to make such material available to our children and youth?? Any questionable material which may not rise to the level of obscenity should be reviewed by parents and NOT made available to kids at the discretion of school librarians or teachers. Please do everything possible to pass laws that remove obscene and questionable sexual materials from our schools and affirm the rights of parents to make decisions about what materials their children and teens are exposed to.

Shauna Gagnon

Librarians in our education system participate in continuous professional development and training to be experts in cultivating library collections that are in the best interest of students and families.

Joycelyn Loughlin-Adams

Sexual education is preventing harm to children not causing it. If you remove sex from education you remove the conversations around sexual abuse of children and sexual positivity. Conversations in school can carry to home and that is the point of school, to create open dialogue.

William Lero

JUST COMMON SENSE!

Jenifer Lee

I support this bill to protect children from obscene or harmful sexual materials in schools. Children should never be exposed to materials that are developmentally inappropriate. Early exposure to sexual content can have detrimental effects including changes in views on sexuality and gender that may be unrealistic or harmful for relationships, starting sexual activity sooner, and having a higher chance of casual, unsafe, or risky sex, as well as more exposure to sexual mistreatment, violence, or intimidation. In very young children, there is the inability to understand the information before them and a significant risk of developing unhealthy attitudes toward sex. There is no legitimate educational need to expose children to such content. Protect the children and allow them to maintain their innocence.

Tara Haarlander

This bill is discriminatory and does not allow for local decision making about community libraries, curriculum development and/or community culture exploration

Melinda Chen

As a recent graduate of the LMS program at PSU, and a library assistant, I oppose this bill on the grounds that it is absolutely unnecessary. School librarians are professionally trained by graduate level programs to help students choose their "just right" book. It is part of their everyday job to curate a collection of books that are diverse, age appropriate, and engaging. The curation process includes screening out not only "obscene and harmful sexual material," but harmful violent material, hate speech, and content that is too mature for the population that they serve. Passage of this bill will accomplish nothing more than putting, "Big Brother," to look over the shoulders of trained professionals who already know how to do their job.

Sara Warner

With Masters Degrees and training as professional educators, school librarians are specifically trained to help provide access to students and faculty that support the school curriculum and promote reading for pleasure, which is proven to raise reading scores and a feeling of student ownership of their learning.

Students may receive guidelines from their families with what they themselves may read, but we must be sure that politicians, principals, and other families do not dictate what is “right” for other families and their children. We have professionals in schools to help guide them. As prolific author Jane Yolen has said: “You may stop your child from reading that book, but you may not stop my child from reading that book.”

Elizabeth Ngo

Please do not discontinue necessary healthy education for children.

Catherine Robertson Souter

Those who ban books are those who are about limiting growth and knowledge. Please don't decide for everyone else what children can and should read. Educators are not evil - they are not feeding pornography to our kids. If you don't want your kid to read something then make sure they don't.

Jillian Dubois

Both as a mother of children in public school and a former teacher, I oppose this bill.

Leslie Burton

A person's gender identity can be a complicated personal issue. The state of NH does not need to make this issue more difficult by imposing personal beliefs about gender identity on others.

Kate LeFebvre

Allow children and youth to be fully informed on all matters, such that they can make decisions for themselves - and later their own families and communities - with an understanding of all relevant aspects of an issue. Do not turn the Live Free or Die state into a Nanny State that nitpicks and interferes on every book, film, and conversation that takes place within its boundaries.

Stephen Bascom

Restricting access to educational materials about LGBTQ+ identities and expression within schools undermines the ability of educators to provide safe learning environments for students as they learn and grow -- not only LGBTQ+ students (whose access to these materials may be crucial for their wellbeing and psychosocial development) but also non-LGBTQ+ students who must learn about and engage with the world and people around them with informed empathy and kindness.

Ken Goodall

At what age limit would you put on books with the following quotes?

“My back over my hips. I asked if he should take his clothes off. He was saying yes before I finished my sentence. He’s pulling off my T-shirt, laughing when I can’t undo his shirt buttons. He’s undoing my belt. I’m reaching into his bedside drawer for a condom. We’re kissing. Again we’re rolling over. Obviously, you can see where this is going. I don’t know if it’s because we’re feeling especially emotional or tired, or the past couple of weeks has much too much, but this reminds me so much of the first time we had sex.

We were both f–king terrified, and the whole thing was kind of terrible since we didn’t know what we were doing,”

I do not believe this should be available to young children. Definitely not 14 year olds, especially with out the parent's consent. Maybe 16 and up, maybe, but still parents should be notified.

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Heartstopper author Alice Oseman has stated, ‘If you don’t have sex and romance, you feel like you haven’t achieved’.

Nick and Charlie by Alice Oseman

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"A bolt of desire ran down his genitals…and softening the lips of his anus…He wanted to fuck her—tenderly. But the tenderness would not hold. The tightness of her vagina was more than he could bear. His soul seemed to slip down his guts and fly out into her, and the gigantic thrust he made into her then provoked the only sound she made. Removing himself from her was so painful to him he cut it short and snatched his genitals out of the dry harbor of her vagina. She appeared to have fainted."

“The Bluest Eye” - Toni Morrison Pages 162-163:

Page 13: “All in their twenties, minus women, fucking cows, dreaming of rape, thrashing on pallets, rubbing their thighs and waiting for the new girl.”

Page 24: “the new girl they dreamed of at night and fucked cows for at dawn while waiting for her to choose.”

Page 83: “I am full God damn it of two boys with mossy teeth, one sucking on my breast the other holding me down, …”

Beloved by Toni Morrison
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"I went into Grandpa’s bedroom and saw Erma [grandmother] kneeling on the floor in front of Brian [9-year-old grandson], grabbing at the crotch of his pants, squeezing and kneading while mumbling to herself and telling Brian to hold still, goddammit. Brian, his cheeks wet with tears, was holding his hands protectively between his legs. ‘Erma, you leave him alone!’ I shouted. Erma, still on her knees, twisted around and glared at me, ‘Why, you little bitch!’ she said." (page 146, “The Glass Castle”)

The Glass Castle, by Jeannette Walls

"My mind flashed to that winter day six years ago. Me, peering around the corner in the alley. Kamal and Wali holding Hassan down. Assef’s buttock muscles clenching and unclenching, his hips thrusting back and forth."

The Kite Runner by Khaled Hosseini

James Carroll

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John Robb

HB 1419

Limitation of age appropriate and expert vetted information about gender identity or sexual orientation in the schools is a form of censorship. Censorship is feature of authoritarian regimes. Absent access to such information will force persons struggling with these issues to use unverified and potentially inaccurate information from the internet. It is amazing that politicians should think that they have the knowledge and right to impose censorship in any form.

Sandra Caproni

Youth should be provided with opportunities to learn about and explore identities they may be questioning.

This would prevent youth from learning about or exploring identities that they may be questioning.

William Palmer

Parents have a right to restrict what their children read but absolutely should not be able to restrict what my children read.

Maria Doye

I am the Director of Primary Prevention at NH Children's Trust and a clinical social worker with over 30 years of experience working on behalf of children. My testimony is informed by this expertise but is offered as a private citizen. I am a lesbian woman who has lived in NH for many years. The Center for Disease Control and Prevention states that LGBTQ+ youth, because of the discrimination, and lack of affirming information, attempt suicide at a rate four times higher than heterosexual students. Compared to their straight peers, LGBTQ+ youth report having more adverse childhood experiences (ACES) – risk factors including physical, emotional, sexual abuse, household mental illness and substance abuse – putting them at higher risk for poor physical and mental health throughout their lifetime. A lifeline for many youth seeking to understand themselves, their development and their place in the world seek out materials from their schools and libraries. Schools have a responsibility to have a variety of information available to allow children and youth to get reliable information, to peruse it at their pace and to have supportive adults available to them to discuss it if the youth so choose. This benefits not only the youth who may need information to affirm the identity they are sure of and those that may be questioning but also for the youth who may be seeking information to understand the diversity of human identities and expressions. If this type of information is not available in our schools, youth may be at further risk with no where to turn. This might increase feelings of alienation, and put them at even higher risk for the dangers the CDC states exist already. Libraries and schools are important havens and sources of information for our youth. Please do not threaten that reality by limiting youth's access by preventing competent information about sexual orientation and gender identity and expression to be available to them.

Karl Kaiser

Incompatible with "Live free..."

Ann Yenchickj

State government overreach into local control.

Laura Donica

There are already avenues to complain about inappropriate books and materials through the school districts. My morals and beliefs are not necessarily that of my neighbors. I find it offensive to limit and censor materials based on what I do or do not approve. Also, many students claim to be getting materials at school or from teachers when that is not the case. Parents do not seem to understand that their child has access to other ways of obtaining certain materials. Kids are exposed to a variety of explicit materials via social media, yet many parents allow students unvetted access to the internet. School districts take the time to vet books, materials, and websites to prevent students from accessing materials that have abuse or inappropriate sexual contact. What most of the public does not understand is that this awareness goes into everything a district does right down to book fairs. When a book with inappropriate sexual content for the age group is in a book it brings up a notice that there is mature content in the book when scanned. To further censor material at the state level goes against local control. School should be a place students are taught how to think for themselves and censoring books/ materials further does not promote this. Also, many students do not have access to healthy relationship dynamics so books are where these students have access to how consent should work, and how to respect their partner. I feel like parent should have the burden of staying up to date on what their child is reading and have open discussions on the types of materials allowed in their home. This is not the burden of the already overtaxed education system.

Teacher and parents can work together to make this decision. It does not need to be an ill-informed law that does not cater to individual situations on this delicate topic.

Maggie Schmidl

Embarrassing.

Susan Mayer

The bill is too vague, which is going to lead to trouble.

Jamie Brooks

This vague proposal does not allow local school districts to make determinations of whether or not individual materials are appropriate for the student body at large.

Lorraine Hansen

We should not deny our children the worlds opened by books.

Rita Blanchard

Studies show that, for minors with underdeveloped brains, “Consumption of pornography is associated with many negative emotional, psychological, and physical health outcomes. These include increased rates of depression, anxiety, acting out and violent behavior, younger age of sexual debut, sexual promiscuity, increased risk of teen pregnancy, and a distorted view of relationships between men and women.”

Keep in mind that it is a federal offense with hefty consequences.

Laurie Warnock

This bill has vague language and removes local control!

Becky Parton

I am a social worker in NH. This bill is harmful in that it limits learning opportunities for youth. We should not be book banning and pretending that identities outside of the the cis-gender, white "norm" don't exist. We should be encouraging youth to find materials that are safe and vetted. School libraries are a safe place for kids to look at material without judgement. We should let librarians have the freedom to decide what goes on book shelves.

Carolyn Morse-Finn

As a former high school educator, I feel that it is IMPORTANT for young people to have materials available to assist them in their search for personal identity and discovery. Banning these materials would be harmful and is unnecessary in NH.

Dawn Frost

I am concerned by the ever-increasing need by public officials to remove rights of individuals within this country. Many holding public office - in this country - have sought or are currently seeking to put forth laws, such as this one. All it takes is one single individual to inform school districts that they disagree with a list of books and overwhelmed school officials end up pulling all books mentioned because they do not have time to investigate each concern. This means all of us are subjected to one person's or group's worldview. Parents should parent their own children. If they don't want their kids to do something or access something, then that should be respected; however, if I want my child to have access, then I want and should have that right.

This bill is anti-democratic and impedes on the individual freedoms of those who allow their children access to these materials.

Jason Zecha

As a lifelong public educator, in an educational system that is predicated on educating our youth so that we may have an informed voting populous and in a country that is based on the right to open discourse and debate, I have to ask, what is the legislature afraid of by banning materials that serve to educate young people? What does it imagine the outcome of reading about these topics will have? If we ban these topics, what will be banned next? We have already started down a slippery slope when the legislature that supposedly represents the will of the people, openly limits those people's education by banning topics of discussion and materials to read. Does it also recognize that licensed professionals vet education materials that appear in schools for students to read? If those materials are not available in schools, students will find their own sources online and we can all agree that what they find online is fraught with inaccuracies, bias, and outright lies, depending on the source. This legislation pushes students to find their own answers wherever they can. Is that the goal here?

Joan Porter

I am opposed to this bill because it does not allow my local school district to be the final day on objectionable materials.

Elaine Bouchard

Education is about being informed whether people like it or not. Period. I oppose this bill.

Carrie Fair

I am a certified, practicing school librarian who opposes HB 1419. While there are many reasons for me to be opposed to this bill, I am mainly opposed because it does not take into account the training and fundamental requirements of library staff and educators to not push their opinions or feelings about any material. In fact, most librarians I have met have collections with titles they do not personally enjoy, but they are there because a student wanted to read that title. As librarians, we do not provide what we want students to read, but what supports their learning and what is interesting to them. We are trained throughout multiple courses required to become certified, and continued through professional development that our job is to help our patrons find what it is they need or want based on their own personal interests or needs. That literally is the job. I oppose HB 1419 because it goes against federal education guidelines, has unrealistic timeline requirements, has retroactive punishments, and was proposed by someone who has a history of systemically attacking public education, but mostly because it doesn't even take into account the actual responsibilities and professional training of educators. Please vote no on HB 1419.

Donna Baker-Hartwell

This is a bill that moves the State of New Hampshire backwards on LBGTQ+ acceptance, equality and safety. Banning educational materials about LBGTQ+ citizens not only keeps people uninformed , it in essence forces the subject under the rug or back into the closet. It says that LBGTQ+ people are not to be considered or valued or understood. Studies have shown that children raised by members of the LBGTQ+ community do just fine. This bill is a result of fear and ignorance - perhaps, religious beliefs. For whatever reason- I believe in any educational setting/ institution, books and other media offering understanding and knowledge should not be banned.

Katie Engebretson

This bill is harmful to all students, those who identify as LGBTQ+ and those who do not. For our LGBTQ+ students, this bill sends the message that they are not valuable members of our community and their lives do not matter if we cannot speak about them in our schools. As a social work who works in one the state's public high schools I work with many LGBTQ+ students and their allys. Many of them have said that they feel supported by the adults in the building but much of the bullying and hateful language comes from their peers. If we remove curriculum or materials that focus on gender identity or sexual orientation, and teach tolerance of living alongside people who are different than us, we are telling these cisgendered students that it is okay to treat others with hateful language or worse, harassment and violence. Please do your research and understand that the suicide rate of LGBTQ+ youth is already significantly higher than their peers because of this type of legislature that tells them they don't matter and do not deserve social protections, medical care, or to be valued for the human beings they are.

david rich

Choosing to limit educational materials that happen to deal with gender identity will not stop people from having different gender identities, it will simply make it harder for them to deal with their physical and mental health issues. Passing this Bill would make NH as bad as FL with dictionaries being banned from school shelves because they say "gay" in them. We need to be better in this state.

Gib West

I don't know what to say. If you want to have a NH curriculum to save our teachers and administrators the hours it takes to address just one parents concern, then just do it!
Remove health classes or art classes from our curricula, and let's just go back to the when? How far do we need to do back?
What about violence, war, shootings, lynchings.
Can one make the argument that it is harmful to students to hide them from the appropriate curricular material that has been developed by professionals that meets a course's student outcomes and will this bill apply to the private and religious school that are being promoted by the educational freedom accounts?

Holly Bartlett

I am a 69 year old resident and voter of/in the state of New Hampshire. HB1419 as with all proposed bills the seek to discriminate and limit any trans person from equal protections and life threatening /limiting laws. As a citizen of New Hampshire and the United States of America. Who has simple been born with a birth condition I resent and will take any legal action necessary to stop these huge encroachments and limitations placed upon my right to life liberty and pursuit of happiness to the best of my abilities.

Mark Officer

Can our elected officials stop their actions that, limit, prevent, disallow or ban things? We are no longer the "Live Free or Die State", rather we are becoming a quasi-police state with big brother over our shoulders. Stop trying to out-conservative the other politicians and start passing legislation that enables and aids NH citizens.

Jeffrey Murray

Hitler banned books. Look what came of that.

Erin Pollinger

This is wrong on so many levels. A lack of education will not prevent children from being LGBTQ+. It just increases the risk of harm for that community, either from outside it, or self-harm.

Bruce Kinney

Vaguely worded book ban bills are harming our students and intimidating our hard working teachers. Local districts should be able to make their own decisions about appropriate content, NOT state bureaucrats who are often marching to the tune of some distant national advocacy organization. Vote NO on HB1419.

Robin Gregg

Banning books is ridiculous. People should decide for themselves what to read and how they think about what they read. Book banning is a fascist, anti-democratic idea that has no place in the United States of America!

Joel Iwaskiewicz

Our job as educators is to equip students to understand themselves and their world more fully and authentically. Censoring information related to gender and sexual orientation (topics that are germane to many subjects beyond the confines of the Health classroom) should be accessible to our students. We know many of our students cannot safely access this information outside of school because they are endangered in unsupportive households and communities, but a school can be a safe space for them to research and learn in a way that leads to self-knowledge. Please do not criminalize authentic education.

Nicole Bates

I oppose HB 1419 because all children should have access to comprehensive gender materials. The more educated our youth are, the more kind and supportive they will be to others, the better mental health outcomes they themselves will have. We have a mental health and substance use crisis in NH, this can be reduced if our youth are better supported in their identities by adults and their peers.

Heidi Page

Please keep free speech in tact in NH. Please do not fall for scare tactics that somehow having information or stories that include LGBTQ persons means there is some sort of organized effort to "turn" people gay or transgendered. This is a slippery slope where someone who is anti-Asian could push to have anything referencing or educating students about Asians be removed from our schools. This law is a pure form of targeting a population.

Christine Cunningham

Public education is the bedrock of a democratic society. I strongly oppose this bill which will undermine the quality of our public schools and divert tax dollars to private institutions. Please vote NO to HB1634. Thank you.

Keli Green

I am a teacher in a middle school and I oppose the Bill HB1419 as written. Since middle school is the age of puberty and qualified, accurate education is necessary for personal health education, I believe that it is necessary for middle school aged students to have access to material that helps them understand the human body and its functions. Section (d): " “Nudity” shall mean the showing of the human male or female genitals, pubic area, or buttocks with less than a fully opaque covering; or the showing of the female breast with less than a fully opaque covering of any portion thereof below the top of the nipple; or the depiction." How can adolescents come to understand their changing bodies if they cannot 'see' that the changes are 'normal'? And, why should this be banned? - it's natural. Also, section (g) " “Sexual excitement” means the condition of the human male or female genitals when in a state of sexual stimulation or arousal." As a 7th and 8th grade teacher, I have had students who do not understand the normal and natural function of their genitalia - particularly with regard to a male erection, ejaculation, and 'wet dreams.' Again, these are normal and natural bodily function and our students have questions about these functions of their bodies. It is our job to educate them that this is a natural and normal function of their bodies. I have been a middle school teacher for 23 years and I have had more than one pregnant middle-schooler, who was impregnated by another middle schooler; our adolescents deserve to know what is going on with their bodies, how to manage their natural/normal budding pubescence and how to protect themselves should they become sexually active.

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Nicholas Jackson

Comprehensive sex education is what allows teens to be safe and knowledgeable about their own bodies. While this is a fine line to walk, an outright ban on sex-ed material can only be detrimental to teen health.

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Amy Griffin

I support this bill; as a parent of a teenager I pulled my child from the public school at the end of the 6th grade as to what he was witnessing at school and the amount of sexual content seen at school. As a parent; it is hard to be heard with the school system they want input but only if it agrees with their agenda. It has only gotten worse; I hear from other parents how bad it is but not everyone can pull their children.

Ruth Bowler

As an educator in the Nh public schools, I am appalled that this bill is even being considered.

Hon. Linda Rea Camarota

As a teacher registered nurse for 17 years, I can attest to age-inappropriate, sexually explicit entries and graphics in story-like books. I am not talking about anatomy and physiology biology/health education type texts. Go to a public school's library, paid by taxpayers, and you will find books showing unsafe, sexual acts being performed by young schoolchildren. I personally was given by a parent one of these books to review. I was compelled to bring it before the school board to advise them of this selection. Not one board member responded to the parents' concern. I believe the legislature needs to help ensure that school boards and administrations respect young children's exposure to age-inappropriate, valueless material. Thank you for your service.
Hon. Linda Rea Camarota

JoAnn McClellan

Anyone who doesn't get why this Bill must be supported and passed doesn't understand how a child's brain & their thinking and reasoning develops as they mature and those voting on such bills need to learn before they cast a vote.....

THINK iMPRESSIONABLE, HIGHLY SUGGESTIBLE and with limited experience with which to put things in perspective and understand. We are confusing our children and confusion can create fear.

Darlene Gildersleeve

Pornography and graphic content and pictures don't belong in schools. If I can't read it put loud in a group of children amd show rhe content publicly below 18 then it doesn't belong in front of a vulnerable, innocent youth.

Pornography , even in comic or a drawing form opens a fan of worms of curiosity. Curiosity leads to experimentation which can lead to disease, addictions and more.

If someone wants ro access materials OUTSIDE of school (including online libraries), that is between the child and supervision that is the parent's concern.

The ability of a minor child undee 18 to access pirn, including in books like "Flamer" is absolutely not OK. Please SUPPORT HB1419.

Thank you,

Darlene Gildersleeve

Hopkinton, NH

Tawna Fisher

I want children to remain safe from sexual harassment and content in our schools in NH!

Jessica Patch

Keep our children innocent they do not need to be subjected to perversion.

Rep Nikki McCarter

Please vote OTP to keep obscene and objectionable materials out of our TAXPAYER funded schools.

Ryan Johnston

Kids do not need to be influenced by students and teachers with mental health issues containing sexuality . Teach math not drag queen books

David Hunt

I am emailing in support of this bill. Sexually explicit materials do not belong in schools. Period.

This is perversion, this is child sex grooming.

And it must stop.

Julie S

Please support this bill we don't want sex explicit books in our schools for our children to see.

Michelle Johnston

Sexual material does not belong in schools. We have a mental health crisis amongst our children that seems to have a clear correlation with our schools stepping outside their role as preparers of our children into productive society.

Michael Cahill

The state of New Hampshire has a duty (per the state Constitution) to provide an opportunity for an adequate education. It has done so through public schools. By this, I mean schools that are available for every student - not those that receive tax dollars but pick and choose who will attend their school. Money diverted from traditional public education to provide choices (in many cases already made) should instead be invested in the system that serves our students well.

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Kirsten Larsen Schultz

It is a sad state that this bill even needs to be put forward but after all of the obscene materials we have seen in our schools, this bill is needed. Schools should be a safe haven for learning, full stop. Minors should not have free access to pornographic materials at school. Please vote OTP and pass this common sense legislation for the best interest of all NH children and parents.

Arielle Roy

No obscene or sexual material should be in schools. We should concentrate on academic excellence.

Janet Larsen

Promotes focus on the important subjects in school and leaves the sex and slang outside

Debbir Magee

Seriously, pornography in schools. I don't think so. Who is promoting pornography in schools?!?! PROTECT OUR CHILDREN! This would be a crime in a normal world! Do not cave to the Marxists trying to destroy our children's mental health. This is traumatizing and life-long. This is what they want - to destroy. Not age-appropriate. Probably never appropriate. Stand up for the most innocent and vulnerable among us. "Whoever causes one of the little ones to stumble, it would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck, and he were drowned in the depth of the sea." Matthew 17:6

Melissa Ferreira

I do not support this offensive and sexual materials in school. Neither libraries or teachers should teach it.. Especially when it comes to ‘gender affirming’, that is personal and private for families only to discuss with their children! Enough of the brainwashing trans agenda garbage!! Keep our children safe. There are only two true sexes. Male and female. You CANT change what God made!

Thomas Sullivan Jr.

Teaching children about sexuality is the parents' role, not the government's.

Kelly Moore

This is a stunning example of uneducated voters brainwashed by disinformation. Schools have books for learning. Some so called "offensive' books can be about your body, such as how to potty train or wash your hands. Some institutions have books about sex abuse or domestic violence. These are relevant topics in this current world. If we we remove this education from our schools and libraries, there are plenty of other places for children to access it. Movies that at PG 13, Online Games, their phones have pornography all over them. Children are getting emails about mail order brides.

I would much prefer my son check out a book by Toni Morrison who is an excellent writer than watch fake, nasty girls and guys on a porn site that is easily accessed by their phone. If they took out a book that I as their parent, with knowledge of their maturity level deemed inappropriate then I would remove it from their hands.

This would law would deeply impact our Nation's very constitution by limiting freedom of speech.

Kelly Mullin

Protect our kids from this garbage in school!!!

Dianne Bzik

Quality public education amd information are vital to a strong democracy.

David Kiley

Where did the authority to permit obscene and or sexually explicit material in our education system come from?

It's not in part 2 Article 83, so get rid of it.

Maxim of Law
95ll. The inclusion of one is the exclusion of another. The certain designation
of one person is an absolute exclusion of all others. 11 Coke, 586.

Zeina Eyceoz

In a state with a motto of Live Free or Die we shouldn't be banning information and books. Trust educators and librarians to provide the information. Do not interfere with curriculum and the educator's ability to deliver it. This is too much government oversight and discriminatory behavior. This has no place in NH!

Barbara Liscord

Catherine Schlottmann

Please support HB 1419, which is relative to prohibiting obscene or harmful sexual material in schools. I have seen some of the books that are allowed in middle school and high school libraries. The images in them showed sexual acts. This is not appropriate for young impressionable minds to see. Youth are curious and if material is readily available to look at, they will seek it out. Books should not be banned..however obscene pictures and sexual books should not be available for students in schools. I kindly ask that you would do what is best for the children and support HB 1419. Thank you.

John Bzik

I am against book banning!

Kristina Mitchell

As a parent of 5 children it is my duty to educate my children on controversial subjects. The education that should be happening in schools is simply reading, writing, and arithmetic. Opportunities such as music, art, and the trades are another space where the school can be beneficial to students. Please encourage educators to stick to the basics and stand for decency in the classroom.

Thank you.

Deneen Dickler

Obscenity is in the eye of the beholder. Students today can turn on their TV or computer and see anything outlined in this bill, all day, any day. Genitals are part of the human anatomy. Sex is a normal healthy part of life. This bill treats parts of our bodies and normal activities as shameful. Children should not be taught shame and to feel bad about their bodies or normal feelings.

Loriann Arel

I am in support of this bill.

Lisa Clark

I wholeheartedly endorse the bill to eliminate obscene and inappropriate books from schools. Such content has no place in educational environments where students should feel secure and focused on learning. By supporting this bill, we send a clear message that our schools prioritize providing a wholesome educational experience, free from material that could be disruptive or harmful to students' well-being. Removing inappropriate content ensures that schools remain spaces for intellectual growth and development, fostering an environment conducive to learning and respect.

Karen Monasky

This is a no brainer.
There is no reason for sexualized material to be available to minor children in a school. Period.
Most parents ASSUME that the school is protecting their child. Why would we need a law for this?
But unfortunately, there are people who want to provide sexualized material, and they work for the school.
Please Do the Right Thing and Vote for this important bill.
Thank you.

Patrice Leach

Stop the sexualizing and grooming of our children

Tania Centra

HB 1419 would limit a school’s ability to have materials, such as books or movies, regarding gender identity or sexual orientation. This would prevent youth from learning about or exploring identities that they may be questioning. This will also impact a student's ability to learn about societies of the world, their community, different cultures and customs.

Kathleen Malsbenden

Banning any books in schools tramples my rights as a member of my school district to review books I may or may mot like. It also tramples on every person's rights to freedom of exercising their personal choices of what they want to read. Bills like this are reminiscent of Nazi Germany. Why do weveven want to go there? .

mollie allen

I oppose this bill. It is not up to the state to decide what material is suitable or unsuitable for school libraries.

Katie Coppola

I oppose this bill as a School Library Média Specialist. This is just another terrible tactic to take away the freedom to read under a guise of helping children.

Aaron Penkacik

There is no reason that our children should be exposed to pornographic material. It does nothing to support academics and only serves to confuse children who are already struggling with hormonal changes.

David Sanders

I can't believe it's come to this....we have to write a bill to ban pornography from schools. Just because it's claimed to be "educational" doesn't mean it's not pornography. With some of the books that are being given to kids under the false pretense of "education", why not just show them PornHub? The government must not peddle porn at all, let alone in schools, whether it's "educational" or PornHub. This bill should pass unanimously, but if it doesn't, we'll know who wants to give porn to kids....those representatives should be reported to the police.

Laura LaValley

NH does not need to become another Fascist Florida by starting to ban books.

Jessica Kliskey

I'm not sure who is old enough to remember when parents were arrested for allowing their children exposure to pornography. Allowing books that show sexual content in our public schools is pornography. Please support HB1419.

Bryan Richardson

Dear House Education Committee; Schools should be a safe place, free from material that is obscene or harmful to minors. Please Support this bill. Thank You!

Jeff Roy

Our children don't need to be exposed to obscene or sexually explicit materials in school. Our children are bombarded daily with an overly sexualized society. What happened to the innocence of children? I have two school age children, It's difficult enough as parents to protect our children. Schools should be the last place children should have access to this material.

Mary Jenkins

I oppose this bill and hope that you will, too. It encourages disruptive, harmful book challenges and keeps people from the right to read. The bill pushes a political agenda instead of encouraging exploration of ideas, different perspectives, and a wider world. The bill is dangerous and misguided. Please call an end to aggressive, unwarranted book banning by opposing HB1419.

Kera Clements

I am a parent of two public school students. I support HB-1419 to protect our children and ensure they have access to appropriate, non-pornographic reading materials and resources.

Gwendolyn Clark

I support the banning of sexual and sexuality explicit materials in our school because I moved here from Maine almost two years ago and I have seen first hand just how detrimental and destructive these types of materials in our schools can been to the education of our children.. I am a retired teacher and I cannot see what the reasoning and purpose of including this material in education could possibly be. Teachers and Administrators have one job and that is to teach our children in math, science, English, history, not to subject our children to outside influences and subjects that are solely the responsibility and right of the familys. Teacher by and providing sexually explicit materials in the schools is encouraging sexuality and , deviant behaviors to occur in the schools and educational settings. It is highly inappropriate. The Focus on basic education will be lost and our children will be set up to fail in life. Please keep sexually explicit materials and teaching out of NH schools.

Grace Mattern

I thought this was the "Live Free or Die" state. Why would we dictate to local school districts what they can do? There are more sensible proposals to review school and library materials in the legislature this year and lawmakers should consider those rather than adopt this bill.

Aaren Dow

Our government must not remove material from libraries because it doesn't match someones ideals or beliefs because the 'line' might keep moving back and back, until you suddenly discover you are on the other side of the line now!!

Jennifer Friedman

As a librarian and a school board member I strongly oppose the banning of books. Allow the professionals to do their jobs, which is to ensure that a library collection has materials representing all kinds of people and ideas. Parents who don't want their child reading certain materials should do the hard work of parenting, which includes explaining that some people live lives that they don't agree with or approve of.

Lynn McRae

HB1419 *supposedly* attempts to prohibit material that is ‘obscene or harmful’ to minors in schools. But what its underlying real deal is that ***it is an attempt to move forward on book bans across the state** based on the sponsors' own words and language of the introduced bill. NH SHOULD NOT open itself to the "culture wars" causing havoc and embarrassment as in other states. Besides, why should the sponsors of this bill be the *be-all and end-all judges and jurors" of determining what's obscene and harmful? I happen to think multiple movies and books describing atrocities from the Viet Nam era are "obscene and harmful," but I certainly don't demand that all books or movies on Viet Nam be eradicated from teaching accurate history! I happen to think Gov. Abbot in TX behaves in a way that is "obscene and harmful" when he allows desperate immigrants, including children, to drown or be shredded by his razor wire stunt. Please vote again HB1419. It's bad for public education and it bad for New Hampshire.
Thank you, Lynn McRae Lyme

Virginia Carroll

I do not believe that teachers should be teaching sexual information to our children. Such information should be taught at home when a child is able to fully understand what is being taught.

Jason Rich

Academia should and must be taught in the schools not anything to do with sexuality or gender.

Diane Fisher

Unfortunately I am unable to attend in person this day. However, I absolutely support this bill and urge for it's passage. It is incumbent upon all of us to stand up for common sense values and change the destructive direction that has taken over and is threatening the core principles that are the foundation of our freedom. Thank you for your attention to this.

Judy Lacasse

Teachers need to teach fundamentals: Reading, writing, Science, History, and especially Math .
Leaving all Health and Sexual matters to parents/guardians.

Sheila Tripodi

I am in full support of removing the K-12 schools from any and ALL sexually explicit teaching, books etc.

Ella Klein

As a school librarian beginning in 1988, I served on many committees creating and refining collection development policies that reflected the values of the community. These policies evolved over time. They included members of the community from varied viewpoints.

This bill is redundant and should be discarded.

Harrison Bourne

Passing this bill is an attack on education. The problem is folks have different triggers and tolerances of what qualifies as obscene or sexuality, so it's impossible to anticipate to what someone might take offense. For example, The Iliad is an epic about war to which most folks don't object; however, it is very violent and contains veiled references to sexuality. Would that be an issue? Basically, all the books we use have some kind of material that someone might find objectionable—great literature always challenges us to examine ourselves and values. Any books sterile enough to not offend anyone aren't worth reading. Growth frequently comes from discomfort, and this bill seeks to dampen that growth. Please vote it down.

Carol Conti

I oppose HB 1419.

1) books are needed to learn
2) students learn at school
3) therefore, schools need more books, not less
4) this bill discriminates against children who want to learn
5) this bill discriminates against parents, who want their children to learn

Paul LaFerriere

I support this bill to protect children from obscene or harmful sexual materials in schools.

Teachers need to teach fundamentals: Reading, writing, Science, History, and especially Math. They have enough responsibility doing that. This should be their only focus! Just look at the test scores in the State of NH! It's not a teacher's job to teach children about sexuality or other aspects of this topic. That is a parent's job, or a mental health professional. And not a School Counselor, either.

Anything of sexual nature that has forms of pornographic materials should not be allowed in schools! Especially Elementary and Junior High schools. I also will add the high school. Schools need to be a safe haven for learning, All minors under the age of 18 in all school systems in the State of New Hampshire should not have free access to pornographic materials at school. No teacher should be pushing ANY books or learning material that has to do with gender, gender changes, how to perform sexual acts, etc. That is a parent's role, not a school's role, to help the children. When this is allowed to happen, you allow the schools to sexualize and groom our children. The government has no right to tell a parent how to raise or teach their children. Period! And the Board of Education should never allow this in the schools. You are not raising the children, you are teaching them.

Early exposure to sexual content can have serious damaging effects on minors, including changes in views on sexuality and gender that may be unrealistic or harmful to themselves, relationships, and may cause them to start sexual activity sooner, and having a higher chance of casual, unsafe, or risky sex. This can lead up to more exposure of sexual mistreatment, violence, or intimidation, forcing teens to do things they don't want to do. Do you really think young children will have the ability to understand the information before them? Heck no! There is no legitimate educational need to expose children to such content. Let kids be kids. And if they need information regarding anything in this nature, then it is up to the kids to go to their parents or guardians to get the answer, or professional mental health help. Not a teacher.

Lynn Lippitt

Dear Education Commitee Members,

Banning LGBTQ+ materials in schools to prevent children from being exposed to people who may be different from themselves or their families is shortsighted. There is no evidence that having positive LGBTQ+ materials in schools causes harm to anyone. There is evidence that when children see themselves represented in books and other materials it helps their mental health. These books and materials aren't responsible for creating LGBTQ+ people. They allow them to see that they are not alone if they are LGBTQ+ or live in a household with two parents of the same gender. The addition of diversity in books also lessens the hatred of self and others based on fear and provides role models for youth to be accepting of their own and others' differences. This lack of acceptance of LBTQ+ people has led to youth being harassed, bullied, and even murdered by other youth (personal knowledge of this). Self-harm and suicide are also statistically higher for LGBTQ+ youth.

Banning LGBTQ+ material in schools is a slippery slope to banning materials about anyone who is different based on a particular political or religious viewpoint. In addition, to confuse the representation of LGBTQ+ people in books as "sexual" in nature is hypocritical when the depiction of heterosexual people in books is not. Age-appropriate material is important regardless of the sexual orientation or gender identity of the people portrayed.

Please vote no on HB1419.

Thank you.

Aaron MacLean

I oppose this Bill because the bill contains vague language left open to interpretation and contains violations of the Code of Conduct. The bill sets up a process to follow that ends with the state board of education and does not truly allow local school districts to develop their own policies around reviewing potentially objectionable material.

There are more sensible proposals to review school and library materials in the legislature this year and lawmakers should consider those rather than adopt this bill.

Katie Hatcher

This is absolutely ridiculous!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! Prohibiting access to LGBTQ information in schools is absurd and increasing the stigma against that population.

Greg Mikkelsen

Fact: "The percentage of Bristol students achieving proficiency in math is 30-34% (which is lower than the New Hampshire state average of 38%) for the 2020-21 school year. The percentage of students achieving proficiency in reading/language arts is 50-54% (which is approximately equal to the New Hampshire state average of 52%) for the 2020-21 school year. "

Get your act together and improve. LEAVE ALL THE PERVERSIONS OUT OF THE SCHOOL.

If you can't teach something so objective as basic arithmetic, you are not qualified to teach something so subjectively personal. Leave it out of schools and with parents. Teachers are not parents!

In the words of Pink Floyd " HEY TEACHERS! Leave them kids alone."

Beverly Woods

Please vote no. Book banning is a terrible idea and accomplishes nothing good for anyone.

Ari Carr

It is extremely important for youth to learn about sexual and gender identity. Preventing youth from learning about identities that they may identify with is harmful.

Jean Holden

We need to remove and prohibit all the harmful sexual materials in the schools. Our children don't need to see that kind of filth.

Shamera Simpson

My name is Shamera and I am a staff member of the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, a nationwide community dedicated to saving lives and bringing hope to those affected by suicide. I am also a New Hampshire resident with a
connection to suicide and I am here to speak in opposition of HB 1419, a bill that would limit school's ability to have materials, such as books or movies, regarding gender identity or sexual orientation. This discriminatory and misguided legislation would prevent youth from learning about exploring identities that they may be questioning and has the potential to cause significant harm to LGBTQ youth and their families.

AFSP is the leading national not-for-profit organization exclusively dedicated to saving lives and bringing
hope to those affected by suicide; our New Hampshire Chapter carries out this mission across the state. As the
nation's largest private funder of suicide prevention research, we know that suicide is a leading yet preventable public health problem.

LGBTQ youth are at increased risk of attempting suicide compared to their straight, cisgender peers; transgender youth report an even higher prevalence of suicide attempts than their LGB or straight peers.
The social stigma, prejudice, and discrimination associated with minority sexual orientation contributes to
elevated rates of suicidality and poorer mental health found in LGB people. This includes institutional discrimination resulting from laws and public policies that create inequities or fail to provide protections
against discrimination.

As a society and as New Hampshire we have a duty to protect our children, especially our most vulnerable.
ALL of New Hampshire's young people deserve to feel that they belong and are safe within their own communities. We firmly believe that HB 1419 will cause direct harm to LGBTQ youth and adversely affect
youth suicide prevention efforts, and therefore we strongly urge you to oppose this bill.

Richard Friedman

I oppose this bill which will allow the licensing of “deputy physicians,” formerly referred to as “assistant physicians,” and creates a path these “deputy physicians” to avoid traditional residency training. This will decrease the competence of physicins in our state.

Richard Cleveland

Libraries serve all patrons. Our patrons are diverse people representing a range of identities, backgrounds, and affiliations. As a librarian, the thought of limiting or removing materials simply because they represent the diversity of the communities that we serve is abhorrent to me. As a queer man, I grew up rarely seeing characters who reflected me in stories and culture. We are living in a glorious time where diverse authors are creating stories that represent a range of identities, and it does readers a grave disservice to not provide them with stories that represent themselves. These stories not just benefit LGBT+ students, but heterosexual and cisgender students also benefit from these stories. Books are windows into lives that we normally would never have a chance to learn about. To remove books about gender identity is as harmful and bigoted as removing books by non-white authors simply because they "dare" not be the cultural norm. Diversity is the lifeblood of our society and culture, and it desperately needs to be protected.

Nicole Lovejoy

I believe that sexual/pornographic material should not be taught in schools.

Mary Cozzens

I do not think it is the education system responsibility to teach about sexual acts, Personal hygiene and reproductive system is appropriate for school age children, Material that is provided in the bill such as the following highlighted material is not of educational benefit to our children to become productive members of our society. Also is vague in how it will be demonstrated will it be physically demonstrated on our children? I do not support this for our children. It is not educational it is sexual abuse in my opinion. Not for a teacher to be talking about in school. Health education such as the reproductive systems and personal hygiene are acceptable anything beyond that is not appropriate for SCHOOL age children, minors.

I vote NO and DO NOT SUPPORT THIS BILL!

Kim Perkinson

I am a parent of a transgender adult, a former school counselor and currently work as a healthcare administrator for an outdoor education group and a summer camp. I feel that this bill is harmful because removing information from schools does NOT stop students from asking questions and needing answers. I have worked with students who's parents are less then accepting of any LBGTQIA+, making it extremely difficult for students who are struggling with their identity, which is connected to an increased risk of serious harm, including depression, self-harm, and/or suicidal thoughts or behavior. Schools are a place for educating ALL students. Would we remove all mention of the holocaust, slavery, antisemitism, Declaration of Independence, current wars we are fighting, Covid? I do not think so! Removing any educational material that would allow these students to know that they are not alone or that it is a safe space for them to seek support and/or understanding does not stop them from seeking the information is less safe ways, ie social media, internet, friends who also don't have the answers, etc. Isn't school supposed to be educational and safe for ALL? If we take this information out of schools, it does not stop children from wondering, it only isolates and increases mental health issues. We all know that teaching abstinence did not stop children from experimenting with sex, not talking about LBGTQIA+ will not stop students from questioning. Make school a safe and educational place for ALL.

Linda Smith

I don’t want explicit sexual/pornographic material taught to our children in schools!!

Jennifer Parino

I support this bill because that type of material has no need to be in our public school system. Let our kids be kids and stop allowing the filth and perversion in. Let’s teach kids the subjects that we were taught when we were children. Reading, writing, arithmetic, science, history, etc. Leave sex out of schools.

Sandi Guillemettr

I support this bill

Don Guillemette

I support this bill

Laurie Downey

I support this bill as I believe minors should not be exposed to sexually explicit material in schools or online school libraries. Parents should have the sole responsibility of teaching their children regarding age appropriate matters.

Kelley Potenza

It is absolutely unreal that we have to pass a bill for this. Anyone who is against this should not be allowed to be an elected official in NH. We are all set with having any more Stacie Laughton's holding office. https://www.justice.gov/usao-ma/pr/new-hampshire-woman-charged-tyngsborough-daycare-investigation

Dawn Platte

Exposing children to pornography is a form of child abuse. Why are we allowing schools, with taxpayer money, to do so?

Bianca Weber

It is important that this bill passes as parents should be able to decide what their children are taught in regards to controversial topics, i.e. sexual orientation, etc. It doesn't matter if the information being distributed to children is straight, gay or bi. It all has no business being in a school.

Thomas Blamey

I am writing in favour of this Bill because if a child cannot view pornography in a theatre or purchase pornography in a store the same standards should apply to education. Let parents share this information with their children, not self-appointed surrogates.

Laura Cassily

Freedom of speech begins at the library. Censorship is a common tactic by authoritarian regimes to keep people ignorant and has no place in the United States. No one should be limiting or removing books from schools because of their personal religious or moralistic beliefs.

Joanna Brown

There is a great amount of grossly inappropriate and pornographic materials showing up in our schools the past few years. Please stop it by passing this bill. Common sense no longer exists and we need to pass laws to protect our innocent children.

Dean Desmarais

Please support this

Maureen Adams

Do the right thing for children and society. Showing porn to children has been proven harmful. It's harmful to their mental well being and has long lasting detrimental effects. It can also lead to sexual aggression toward others. There are age appropriate laws for a reason. Do the right thing for these children.

Sean Morrison

As a parent I alone should have full day over what MY children are taught when it comes to sexuality. This should NOT need to be said but it obviously does. NOONE in any public school has a degree in gender studies, just like they don't have a medical or psychological degree. Ergo, ALL of the aforementioned matters should not be dealt with in schools, but rather referred out to experts. But we all know it's about the Democrat party's Divide and Conquer agenda being rammed into all of our children's minds to all of their detriment, in Democrat Party-owned schools.

Cathy Allyn

We don't want laws that will lead to book banning. Let the librarians and teachers do what they have been trained to do - they know best. Schools have been in existence for centuries - they don't need untrained people deciding what is "harmful." Let the experts do their jobs - there is no problem that needs to be addressed. Again, we don't want laws that will lead to book banning.

Robert Valeri

Morals in the USA and New Hampshire are deteriorating exponentially. We must stop influencing children under 18 in schools to be morally disgusting people. HELP!!!!!!!!!

Rhianna Berrigan

Anyone opposing protecting children from inappropriate, sexual material should be investigated as a potential pedophile. Y’all are sick and we are WATCHING.

Mary Ann Cozzens

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I vote Yes and SUPPORT THIS BILL! prohibiting obscene or harmful sexual materials in schools!

NICHOLAS Bellows

Librarians receive training and acquire expertise in the process of selecting materials that are appropriate for the students that they work with. Their role commits them to helping their students and their families find books that are just right for their kids. Leave these decisions to the librarians. They are the professionals and they are the experts.

Dana Buckley

As a New Hampshire parent and school board member I support HB1419. There is no legitimate reason to justify the presence of graphic sexual material(s) in NH public schools. It is universally the case that when students are exposed to graphic sexual material it is for the purposes of advancing a particular political or social agenda. The use of graphic sexual material in the classroom to inculcate impressionable students into a particular worldview is unacceptable. Parents of minor students have the right to not only be made aware of the materials and content that their children are being exposed to but also to exempt their children from anything that they may find objectionable. It is extremely disconcerting that there are some in our state legislature that would find it acceptable for NH schools to expose students to graphic/obscene sexual material. Please support HB1419.

Vincent Penzo

I am complete support of this bill which will prohibit schools from disseminating materials that are harmful to minor students. Our children are being exposed to this material at too young an age, and without parental control over when and how they are confronted with this knowledge. There are too many individuals and groups in our society who think it is their right to push their views on human sexuality on others. And yes, I am afraid that there are those whose intention is to 'groom' young children into certain types of sexual behavior. We must protect our children from this! I also support requiring school boards to adopt complaint resolution policies to address complaints regarding harmful material by parents or guardians. It is sad that we have to even be talking about this these days, but the least we can do is take action and prevent school children from being exposed to this inappropriate material at such a young age.

Thomas Newkirk

I am writing to oppose HB 1419, but let me say at the outset that there are parts of this bill that I do agree with. First, that there is no place for "obscene" material in schools, as defined in this bill. And second, that schools should have a policy in place for parents or community members to challenge material they feel is inappropriate (which is the case in the Oyster River Cooperative School District). However, there are major problems with this bill:

a. No demonstrated need. There is scant evidence that materials of this type are present in schools. Complaints about school materials usual concern depictions of lifestyles and behavior that deviate from the heterosexual norm. To a person who believes homosexuality is perverse and immoral, a depiction of that lifestyle might seem "obscene." But that one view should not restrict availability to the general population. Books dealing with race and ethnicity are also frequent targets. For example, the most challenged book in the previous decade was Sherman Alexie's. The Absolutely True Story of a Part-time Indian, a powerful and disturbing book, but hardly an "obscene" one. I predict similar books will be the ones challenged.

b. Flaws in the proposed policy. There are two problems with the proposed policy. First, the timeframe for making the original decision (2 weeks) is too short, particularly if multiple titles are being challenged. An administrator cannot simply drop other important duties to quickly read multiple books and reviews of those books. And second, the policy invests too much authority to the principal, when it is the superintendent who should take ultimate responsibility. In our district policy we have ad hoc committees, including community members, that advise the superintendent on these challenges—and I believe that is a better plan. Templates for review processes are already available from the NH School Boards Association and used in schools.

c. Unrestricted appeal to the State Board of Education. This bill allows an appeal to the State Board of Education if a complainant is not satisfied with the local decision—even if that decision has followed established policy. Even a frivolous complaint, vetted by the local school district, can go forward. Let's be clear—we vest considerable authority in local superintendents and boards. Superintendents can hire and fire teachers and commit to multi-million dollar contracts, without second-guessing from the State Board of Education. They can do this so long as they follow policy and the law. Why should a case dealing with a controversial book be so different? Why is the State Board of Education a better judge of community standards than local officials who are members of the community?

Joan Comrie

I don’t want pornographic images in any school books.

Brenda French

Stop the insanity!

It's out of control.

Lori Robertson

It is our honor to protect our children from obscene material.
I fully support HB1419

Martha Jaquith

Please support this bill. Our children need us to protect them.

Anthony Gelatt

As a former Boy Scout of America leader, obscene material distribution is not allowed. Why should I pay taxes for distribution of obscene material at government school? I can't think of a time where our tax dollars should be wasted on distribution of sexual story lines, explicit pornographic images to minors at Government schools.

Katherine Demers

I cannot imagine the type of adult who is against this bill. If this continues to be allowed, public school enrollment is going to continue to go down. How about we start trying to save our schools, and keep go back to academics.

Reta Chaffee

As stated by the NEA-NH, this "bill contains vague language left open to interpretation and once again contains violations of the Code of Conduct. The bill sets up a process to follow that ends with the state Board of Education and does not truly allow local school districts to develop their own policies around reviewing potentially objectionable material. There are more sensible proposals to review school and library materials in the legislature this year and lawmakers should consider those rather than adopt this bill".

John Guzowski

Stop providing porn to lids in school inder the guise of ‘diversity and sexual freedom’

Carol Hillard

I support this bill

Faye Mudge

I am an adult with a Granddaughter who has not been in school for awhile .
I think most parents should agree with supporting a House Bill to protect and prevent it's contents in a sexual nature and be exposed to it.

Denise Coll

There is no need to be exposing our kids to any kind of porn or any indecent material in our school systems in New Hampshires. We as parents and grandparents will fight this !! Put prayer back in school not porn.

Rosanna Anderson

Please protect our children by supporting this bill.

Lorna Landry

What is definition of "serious" ; section II (3)?

If passed into law this bill may decrease the pool of educators and administrators willing to work in NH public schools.

As written, this bill will also exclude sex education, which per research cited by CDC has these benefits:

Delay initiation of sexual intercourse

Have fewer sex partners

Have fewer experiences of unprotected sex

Increase their use of protection, specifically condoms

Improve their academic performance.

Angela Hall

The purpose of school is to foster a love of learning and should be a safe space that preserves the innocence of childhood. This is not the space for any child to be exposed to things they are not mature enough for. This shouldn't even be an issue with any adult who wishes to safe guard our children.

Tammy MacNeil

Dear committee members, I am a former school psychologist. Please take into consideration that I am and expert in knowing what is developmentally and educationally appropriate for school children. I have reviewed many of the books that contain this material and many of them are NOT appropriate for children. If these images were on a movie screen it would be rated R or NC-17. If a child drew some of these images in class, they would be sent to the principals office. It's that simple, if you can't draw it then you shouldn't be looking at it or reading about it in a book that adults provided you. Having these books available to students in school creates confusing situations and stress. One more important point, these books are not being banned: they just don't belong in school. Public libraries have these books and guardians can decide if their children should read them. I have attended round table discussions with librarians, lawyers, police and other educations and this topic goes in circles. Parents who object to these books with pornographic images and scenes are often called phobic. Most of us are not. We just want age appropriation and situational appropriate materials in school. Kids, such as a child with two moms (like my niece) do benefit from stories with families that are like theirs. These books are welcomed, as long as they are not explicit. Please pass HB1419 and once and for all keep our students safe from the stress and confusion these books can cause. Thank you!!!

Jean Lewandowski

Last year's version of this bill failed for good reason. It reeks of McCarthy-era witch-hunts during which citizens turned on each other, disrupting lives and careers based on a few people's opinion about what is "prurient interest." Would health and biology teachers be hauled before a tribunal for displaying "pornography" if they taught about human physiology? Would we end up like Florida schools pulling dictionaries and encyclopedias off library shelves to protect themselves from legal peril? And what in the world would make the sponsors think that some of provisions are even necessary? I taught in public schools for 30 years, and the language and imagery in this bill is much more disturbing than anything I saw during my career. I urge the committee to reject this bill and take up legislation that ensures adequate funding, improves student outcomes, and supports public educators.

Judith Raskin

Every time I see another bill related to banning of specific books based on someone's interpretation of whether it is "acceptable", I flash to scenes of the Nazi incited book burnings. No one HAS to read these books -- I think it is the parents' role in guiding their children about what is appropriate and what is not. This bill seems to me just another step in the state's violation of local decision-making. The schools already have processes in place to review books. This decision should not be made because someone doesn't like the author or book. This bill contains vague language left open to interpretation and once again contains violations of the Code of Conduct. The bill sets up a process to follow that ends with the state Board of Education -- doesn't the State Board of Education already have enough to do! They don't need yet another "oversight" task. This should be left at the local level.

Angel Brisson

Dear Representatives,

Thank you for your service in the House and for listening to our family's testimony in support of HB 1419.

Simply put, this bill shouldn't even be necessary. It horrifies us that obscene, pornographic material is even in school materials! I've seen some of the pornography when parents showed it in meetings. It included books detailing fellatio between minors, books on masturbation, and so on. And we can't fathom how a school would sanction such material! Showing children, including in high school, pornography is how predators groom children. Are schools now in the business of grooming children, thereby making child vulnerable to predators?!

Pornographic material does not belong in schools. For that obvious and fundamental reason, we ask that you *please* pass HB 1419.

Sincerely,
Angel Brisson

Josie Nevers

HB 1419 would limit a school's ability to have materials regarding gender identity or sexual orientation. This would prevent youth from learning about or exploring identities that they may be questioning. When transgender youth are unable to access information in a safe and trusted locations, they can feel rejected, unsupported, misunderstood, continue to question themselves, etc. - which is connected to increased risk of serious harm, including depression, self-harm, and/or suicidal thoughts or behavior.

Susan DeRoy

please approve this bill to stop
The madness! Sex education belongs at home not school.

Michele Hobbs

This needs to be passed. Our children do not to be exposed to this evil subject

Rene Archambault

Our children should not be taught about sex in k-12 atmosphere. Mental health is out of control in NH now. If this bill passes it will exacerbate the crisis

Karen Chase

This bill is reprehensible on the part of the sponsors. After reading this bill in its entirety I got to section 189:77 Enforcements and Penalties and am of the opinion that the sponsors of this bill are very impressed with their moral superiority making them willing to pit residents of this state against each other and against teachers. This bill is shameful and shame on the Sponsors: (Prime) Cordelli (R), Bernardy (R), Noble (R), Kristine Perez (R), Alicia Lekas (R), Mazur (R), Seidel (R), Ammon (R), Quaratiello (R), Avard (R). NH you are better this.

Melissa Beachy

I strongly support this bill as a mother of a young child. If bills like this do not go through to protect children I will not be sending my children to any public schools ever.

David Currier

I support this bill

Alexis Berndt

The vast majority of this bill restates settled law. This bill does not provide additional protection to children. What it does do is create an avenue for parents to have a legally protected right to spew vile hate speech at school board meetings, and threaten a school district with lawsuits. The punitive nature if this bill is explicitly designed to scare school districts into censoring material that is perfectly acceptable causing harmless material to be banned because any parent complains. In our current environment, there is no doubt this bill was be used almost exclusively by homophobic parents to harm LGBT+ youth and that is very obvious from the fact that this bill is progressing on strictly partisan lines. This bill tries to masquerade as protecting children but it doesn't add anything protective it just lets people do bad shit

Sally Staude

We MUST remove the obscene materials from our school libraries. The ALA is advising schools to purchase this garbage in an intentional attempt to change our family and moral values! This MUST STOP!!! Remove all of it!!!!

Jodi Gilman Jones

This is about book bans. Stop! We don’t need government monitoring books for students. How about making sure they have food and shelter!

Nancy Brennan

I trust librarians and teachers. Banning books to burning books is a short jump.

Kristin Whitworth

It is the role of elected school boards to work with their districts to develop policies for requests for reconsideration from parents or guardians. While any parent or guardian has say in what books their student should, or should not, read, no one has the right to make that decision for another family.

Newmarket Lavoie

It is incumbent upon us to protect our children. Support this bill & protect our youth.

Melanie Kap

I support this bill.

Melody Rochford

Protecting the innocence of children should be a no-brainer.

Leane Garland

As the US Supreme Court found when it tried to rule on pornography, one person's "obscene material" is another person's educational material. I am not comfortable with a law based on a small group's biased agenda of what is "obscene". I am certainly OPPOSED to the time-consuming and invasive processes in the law that restrict curriculum and punish already beleaguered teachers. We are losing well-qualified professionals due to these types of restrictions on instructional information information. Let us not harass teachers further!

Sharon Racusin

Encouraging a bounty system is egregious and should be outlawed so that cruel and fearful adults cannot use it. What in the world is wrong with the sponsors of this awful bill. I OPPOSE!

Susan Holcombe

This is a poorly written bill with porr definitions which can result in multiple lawsuits and intimidation of teachers.

shannon Hill

I believe that Nudity or any explicit information does not belong in the schools at all. Schools should be teaching all major subjects. Match, Science, Social studies, English, LA, Personal finance. I also feel that our children should be learning about their constitutional rights. Nudity, or any sexual content does not belong in schools period. I also call for the resignation of any public official who thinks this material of any kind is alright to be in school.
You are very sick people and should not be around children.
Get back to the basics and stop trying to indoctrinate our children.
Thank You,
Shannon and James Hill

Barbara Ballou

There is absolutely no need for this bill. There are NOT any schools in NH that are teaching with inappropriate materials. Appropriate materials for appropriate grade levels are being used. Children need to be exposed to history, culture, science and languages. Leave education to the experts that are hired to do the job,

Ellen Gallo

This bill is obviously encouraging people to rally around book bans by awarding money to those successful, and meant to create further division and damage our public school system further by those in our state's legislature aiming to do just that-including our Head of Education, Mr. Eldelblut-which is why in this bill, the buck stops with him.

Peggy LaBrosse

I believe that what we expose our young children to can affect them for the rest of their lives. The research is showing the numbers of people, especially young boys, and girls who were exposed to pornography at a young age are now having pornography addiction. Many of these children were exposed by accident. I can't believe that now we would purposely expose children to images that could cause them damage for the rest of their lives. Thank you.

margaret powell

I oppose this bill

John LaBrosse

I believe we have a duty and responsibility to keep kids from being exposed to pornographic material in school. Research shows that exposure to explicit materials damages children's menial and social development.

Donald Ewing

It is shocking to me that there needs to be a law preventing giving obscene/pornographic materials to children in our schools; but apparently such a law is needed.

How did we get here? I read the news regularly; where was the public discussion and demand that we provide obscene/pornographic materials to young children? I doubt that parents provide such materials to their young children, and I wonder how Child Protective Services would react if they did. I suspect most parents would have a neighbor arrested if they shared such materials with their child.

I didn't see any NH Department of Education studies citing how giving obscene/pornographic materials to students was beneficial to their education or other development. My local schools are not publishing documents that I've seen claiming the benefits of sharing such materials with young students. So, how do these materials get into schools in the first place?

Apparently some school employees are putting obscene/pornographic materials in school for their own personal reasons, which may or may not be innocent, without educational benefit or public approval, and undoubtedly against the wishes of most, if not all, parents.

Sadly, most of our schools are doing a poor job of teaching children the basic things they need for successful futures, perhaps because schools are spending too much time and money on other things.

Hundreds of students are sexually abused by school employees every year. Allowing obscene/pornographic materials in school will provide pedophiles with alternative explanations for their misbehavior.. There should be clear direction, no obscene/pornographic materials should be allowed in schools. Children need to be protected.

Please support HB 1419.

Charlie Gallagher

I support 1419.

Jessica Green

Good Morning,

I support HB1419 to prohibit obscene and harmful sexual materials in school. Minors should not be able to review obscene sexual material in schools, funded by taxpayers dollars.

Thank you for your time.

Claire Ketteler

Dear House Education Committee,

I urge you to vote in favor of HB1419-FN as written. Pornographic materials describing sexual acts are not protected by the First Amendment of the U.S. Constitution and so materials that are pornographic in nature should be able to be evaluated in order to be removed from K-12 school libraries if necessary. HB1419 allows for a process that a parent could take to get a pornographic material removed from a school library.

The FCC has banned at all times of the day or night broadcast of obscene content on radio or TV. Obscene content appeals to an average person's prurient interest; depicts or describes sexual conduct in a "patently offensive" way; and, taken as a whole, lacks serious literary, artistic, political or scientific value.

Many of these materials in school and public libraries are so graphic and offensive that they are not allowed to be read in a public forum that is broadcast, so why should they be available to children?

Additionally. violation of NH Criminal Code TITLE LXII Chapter 650 is a misdemeanor to make available obscene material and a felony when “such act involves a child in material deemed obscene pursuant to this chapter” ?
Furthermore, Federal law 18 U.S.C. 1470. Transfer of obscene material to minors reads
“Whoever, using the mail or any facility or means of interstate or foreign commerce, knowingly transfers obscene matter to another individual who has not attained the age of 16 years, knowing that such other individual has not attained the age of 16 years, or attempts to do so, shall be fined under this title, imprisoned not more than 10 years, or both.”

Pornographic material is harmful to children and teenagers this is why there are laws against children having access to it. Why obscene and pornographic material has been allowed in school libraries is an outrage. There is no benefit to having obscene and pornographic materials freely available in school libraries for children to access on their own. It is important to begin a process whereby these materials will not end up in the hands of children.

Thank you
Claire Ketteler

Gabby Mutrie

The vague nature of this bill will only make it easier to promote miseducation and stigma about bodily health in our community by making it easier for legislators to create more vague, non-scientific, and theologically backed legislation that only uplifts their personal beliefs based off of what they personally pick and choose is “sexual material”, and does not help our community whatsoever. Our children and future generations will be negatively impacted by this, which has been proven time and time again in other states with their own kinds of vague “sexual material” laws that has thus allowed their legislators to pass openly discriminatory and anti-scientific- based miseducation.

Wade Spears

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Rachel Bettencourt

This explicit and inappropriate content has no place in our schools. Please protect our Childrens innocents.

Mae Paonessa

Children don’t need to have access to any sexual “material” without their parental guidance’s consent

Black Jenn

Why do we insist on exposing our children to adult sexual content? We, as fully developed adults, have an obligation to protect our children from matters they are not yet equipped to handle. The fact that we need a bill to codify what adults in schools should already know, reflects poorly on the current state of our schools.

Penny Culliton

It is unclear who would be making decisions regarding what is harmful to anyone. It is unclear what sort of "harm" might even occur by the reading or viewing of any sort of material. This is one of the worst bills I have seen in my 60 years in the state.

Deborah Cole

Libraries should support all readers and the librarians are trained to choose materials which will support their student's education, both academic and worldly. Not all books are for everyone, and no librarian will force a student to read a book.

Charles Bradley

Let's give childhood back to our children!
This bill should be amended to include childrens' library in our public libraries.

CHRISTINE HEATON

As a public school teacher, librarian, and parent of school children, I vehemently oppose this bill. I trust my colleagues, my children's educators, and others to parent as they see fit.

In my job as a certified public school librarian and English teacher, I spend at least three hours a week vetting titles for inclusion in my school's collection. I already make decisions about titles to exclude content that is offensive, lewd and inappropriate. The process includes reading reviews, visiting Barnes & Noble, reading advance reader copies, flipping through the book itself for illustration and proper indexing, and gathering information on how the title could be used in the curriculum or to support the curriculum or district goals. All of this is cataloged publicly and listed transparently online in an OPAC for my community and for the world to access. (Which is why that Granite Grok character was such a boil on society - He literally manufactured an issue to monetize clicks to pubic and school libraries and the public fell for it!) Education and librarianship is my chosen profession. I and proud to find the most appropriate items for students and teachers, and I take the task very seriously. So seriously that I have never encountered a challenge in the decade that I have been the Library Media Specialist. In addition, my district already has a comprehensive materials inclusion protocol as well as a thorough review procedure that includes members of the community it serves. This is all that is needed, not an overarching law that smacks of censorship and book banning, not to mention a mistrust of educators to be professional and parents to communicate with their own children.

This bill oversteps what the state government in NH should be representing and making a priority. Let the librarians do their jobs. Let individual communities determine what is best for themselves. Do not take away the rights of the individual communities to create their own procedures and protocols that will be best for the needs of their population.
A blanket bill is not the New Hampshire way.

Michele Kirschbaum

I believe the author's of this bill have good intentions; they want to protect children, but the bill, if it becomes law, will do just the opposite.
I taught in New Hampshire schools for 32 years. One of the aspects of my work of which I am most proud is that I and my colleagues always tried to keep kids safe. One way educators keep kids safe is by being able to have frank conversations about one's body. This bill will make this very difficult to do; educators will feel as if they will get in trouble if they are trying to report the abuse of a child. Children need the knowledge and vocabulary about their bodies not only for their protection but also for their sexual and overall health as well. This bill, if it becomes law, will, inadvertently, make children less safe because school will no longer be a place where such lessons and conversations can take place without fear of punishment.

Secondly, I'm concerned that great works of literature like Romeo and Juliet or A Midsummer Night's Dream will no longer be able to be studied or performed. It seems art students will no longer be able to study a work like Michelangelo's David. There is a lot of graphic wording in this bill. If this bill were to become law, I don 't think that the bill, itself, could be read aloud to a high school civics class without a teacher fearing discipline for having discussed it. Now, there's irony for you! If a student has the vocabulary word "morbid", will that be perceived to encourage a "morbid interest of minors" the bill mentions? Are the crypt scenes in Romeo and Juliet too morbid to study? Where will the allegations against educators end? This bill is extreme and should not become law.

Susan Taylor

This bill effectively allows any parent to remove books or materials for all children since they would decide what was sexual or obscene. Any parent already has the right to keep their child from reading a particular book but not the right to make that decision for other children. The vast majority of books that are banned by bills, such as HB1419, are written by communities of color or LGBTQ+ people.. In the past years NH had the highest literacy rate in the nation. Why are supporters of this bill trying to ban books that parents may want their children to read. It's up to each parent to decide what is appropriate for their children but not for other children they don't even know.

Ryleigh Sinclair

Transgender kids need more support in life, not more blockades to keep them from wanting to live their life how they need. They're not pets to be controlled. They're going to grow up to be human adults (if they survive the dysphoria that comes with being transgender), and this bill would tell them that they're nothing. Not very 'live free or die' of the state.

Siobhan Doherty-Rogers

I am opposed to book banning and censorship. What is obscene and harmful sexual materials in schools is too often open to individual interpretation. Local school board districts should be able to develop policies to review school and library materials.

Mary McQuaid

This bill goes against core values of librarianship and the ability of all to choose what they would like to read. In a library, the books are there for students to choose of their own free will, and the books are not forced upon anyone. It is the role of the library to provide a variety of materials for everyone to choose their own content, and it is the job of trusted librarians to choose content for their patrons. Whether in public or school libraries, librarians have been trained on how to select materials. Librarians already spend a significant amount of time vetting books; they make decisions about appropriate content, and find books that their patrons will enjoy. School librarians work hard to purchase material that is right for their students, and does not include lewd or distasteful content. Books that librarians purchase win awards, are highly rated, and are written for the students they serve.

This bill is unnecessary, and indicates that the government does not trust trained librarians to do their jobs. The bill undermines the work of educators, and discounts the education that librarians have worked hard for. The government should trust the education experts who are qualified, and should not pass this bill.

Sara Smith

I oppose this bill which is worded to be overly broad and vague and implies all material about sex is inappropriate.

Tye Thompson

I am opposed to this bill. This legislation would limit a schools ability to have materials like books or movies about gender identity or different sexual orientations. Access to information and representation in literature and movies is essential across different identities for health and well-being of our young people. We should not pass legislation that limits information and representation.

Christine Hamilton

I trust our educators to make appropriate decisions, and believe this kind of blanket banning is a slippery slope for our government limiting access to information and freedom of speech, specifically in the arts. I do not support this bill.

Hillary Nelson

I am the parent of two LGBTQ+ adults and I am dismayed and appalled by the efforts by the Republican members of our state legislature to marginalize people like my kids. This legislation, and all the rest of the anti-lgbtq+ legislation that has been brought forward this session and last, can be traced directly back to dark money Christian Nationalist groups who want to eradicate the rights of anyone who does not hold their same religious and political beliefs. I would like to see our state legislature focus on protecting individual freedoms instead of trying to eradicate them. This legislation is just hatred wrapped up in misleading rhetoric. Sincerely, Hillary Nelson, Canterbury

Katherine shea

There is absolutely no justification for explicit material to be provided in a school.

Katherine Prudhomme O'Brien

I am a fellow State Representative, from Derry, and was twice elected to the Derry Public Library Board of Trustees.. I support children having access to needed accurate sexual health information so that they can make the best decisions for their own future mental and physical health. As a child and teenager I loved to read and I often needed a safe place to be other than the where I lived. I spent countless hours at libraries in many communities where I found books to find answers to help me address issues of mental and physical health. I know that many youth in difficult situations experience the same thing, they may be abused at home, they may be struggling with questions of their religious beliefs or sexual identity.

When I was involved in the child services system in the state I lived in as a child, one issue of particular concern to my social workers was trying to determine if I was safe in the home I was in. That issue was about sexual abuse. It was made clear to me by them often that adults giving children pornography is unequivocally considered to be child sexual abuse. It is a form of grooming children to accept further sexual abuse and is considered a sign that a child is in danger of further abuse. I received a constant stream of conserved questions regarding pornography and if a specific adult was giving it to me or leaving it out for me to see. Child sexual abuse is a top reason why children are removed from the places where they live and placed in foster care.

It is one of reasons why I was placed in foster care.

It cannot stand that there are two wildly opposite standards of what is age appropriate sexual material for minors to access depending on what adult gives it to them it.. If a parent shows pornography to their child or actively provides the child access to pornography, state employed social workers will remove the children from their parents care for this reason. I have to ask, why are the standards so different in the form of adults providing access to pornographic library materials? If graphic pictures of minors performing oral sex is now acceptable for librarians to give to minors, why do we still have laws on our books that it isn't legal for any other adult to do so? If a soccer coach or stranger sitting on a park bench gave the same material as is in the book Gender Queer to children on their team or to a kid walking by, they could well be arrested. A rationale that the coach or stranger determined that the child was at risk of not having enough information and acceptance about homosexuality would not be acceptable to social workers or law enforcement personnel.

When I ask opponents of this bill at what age they would give their child access to the pictures shown in the book Gender Queer, not one single one of them has been able to answer that question. Many of them do not even have children. They are embarrassed by this question and cannot yet accept that they themselves are fighting to sexualize children and give them pornography. This cognitive dissonance is extraordinary dangerous and damaging to children.

They start the conversation saying that LQBTQ youth need access to accurate sex education and I agree they do, but we do not need to provide children with pornography in order to do so.

When I was a library trustee, many libraries adopted policies regarding the viewing of pornography by patrons on public computers that could be viewed by staff and other patrons. The reason they

opposed it was that it was sexual harassment of staff to be exposed to pornography and that it was totally unacceptable for children to view as well.
If that was the standard used for pornography on public computers, why is same standard now abandoned without question when it relates to graphic books for children !?
Public schools libraries do not have publicly available catalogs, despite the fact that the public funds them, they are essentially considered to be private catalogs. .Information is only available to staff and current students and usually the parents of current students.
The general public doesn't usually find a need to access the catalog of books at a school library because they also cannot obtain those materials.
The expectation of taxpayer citizens of what is in those libraries can now be very different that what the reality is in an environment where librarians promote books like Gender Queer for minors. I appreciate the sentiment of librarians to help all youth struggling with sensitive topics but it goes too far when they use this veil of privacy (secrecy) to give children graphic sexuality explicit content in a manner that would not be otherwise legal.

Julie Threlkeld

I oppose this legislation, yet another attempt by radicals to trample on the rights of students to have access to literary works that are not only not obscene, but can open their eyes to experiences different than their own, or reassure them that they are not alone in the world. This puts even more of a burden on already stretched school and school board resources, piling on the threat of civil action and professional disciplinary action as well. Who is going to want to go into teaching, school administration, and library science in New Hampshire? We are already having trouble attracting people to the state and keeping them in the state, and NH isn't exactly diverse.

Aside from the immorality of banning books that have been selected by trained librarians and do not meet the criteria for obscenity, and centralizing the decision on what is considered "obscene" with one person in the community, this legislation has an incalculable financial impact, as is shown in the body of the bill itself:

"The Department of Justice states bringing these enforcement actions would place increased demands on the Department and result in increased litigation costs. The Department cannot anticipate how many enforcement actions may be brought under the legislation or the resources needed to bring such actions. Accordingly, the Department indicates that the fiscal impact cannot be determined. The Department of Education states it cannot estimate this bill’s impact on local school districts, if any. Any impact could vary from district to district."

Please put this bill where it belongs, in the trash bin.

Carmen Lorentz

This bill limits the ability of a school to have materials regarding gender identity or sexual orientation in classrooms or libraries. We don't need a "book ban" in state law. It doesn't do our children any good. This is a dangerous path to head down. Please ITL this bill. It has no place in NH. Thank you.

This is to make sure that parents and guardians have a say and the ability to protect their children from harmful or obscene materials.. Just as retailers are not allowed to sell pornography, alcohol or cigarettes to children, this insures that parents or guardians have the right to protect their children in a school environment.

Samuel Pphillips

Not in favor of banning books and materials per se, but some subjects and materials are not fit for young children, particularly some in school today. Parents have a right to determine what and when their children are subject too.

Nancy Biederman

House Bill 1419-FN Testimony

I gave testimony today, January 18th, in support of HB 1419. When I spoke today, I mentioned a situation that occurred when I challenged a book being used in the my child's high school curriculum. The book “American Like Me” was suggested to be purchased for every 11th and grade 12th graders for the Summer Reading program at a cost of $40,000. This book promoted hatred toward white people and law enforcement and was very one sided. Not other option was available for students and no opposing viewpoints were being presented to the students. All profits from this book were being funneled into helping people enter our country illegally.

I approached my child’s teacher and the principal about my concerns about this book. I was able to opt out my child from using this book in class, but I was still concerned with the other students in the school. I then approached the school board and discussed my concerns. I informed them that the two administrators who recommended the school board to purchase this book had only read the first two chapters of the book. I also discovered that the school board did not follow their own policies on adopting new classroom materials by having the C &E committee review the book first. After multiple meetings with the school board, it was decided that next time they did this, they would follow policies. Will they? I have no idea, but opponents of this bill say that school boards follow their policies and do right by them. Clearly that didn’t happen in my case. What recourse do parents have at that time? I did contact the Department of Education and was told there was nothing further that I could do. Having another place, such as the State School Board, where parents could get their concerns about school boards not following their own policy would be helpful. We need to hold school boards accountable.

As a teacher of 15 years, I have never seen a need to use sexualized materials to teach any concept in my Kindergarten to 8th grade classroom. I always maintained a line that I wouldn’t cross in my classroom. There were topics that I would not discuss in my classroom and I would not allow to be discussed. That line seems to have been erased in today’s classrooms. If a child had a personnel concern, I would send that child to the school staff member that would be help them. I would not make it a whole class discussion or decide that every student in the class needed to be exposed to this topic. The latest need of educators to discuss topics that are not age appropriate and exposing children to ideas and concepts that are against a family’s values is disheartening. Showing and providing graphic images to underage children is child abuse, plain and simple. There have been multiple studies on the effects of children being exposed to sexual pictures, and the long-term effects are known.

To those who said there are not graphic materials in school libraries or classrooms only need to do a bit of research. At my own district’s high school library, the books Gender Queer, Boy Toy, Kite Runner and others books that show graphic pictures of sexual acts and links to sites that children

should not have access to. The book series Heart Stoppers is in the Middles school library and shows graphic pictures too. It was also sold at the Scholastic Book fair this year and kept even after parents complained to the principal. The school librarians run the bookfair. We have been successful in having the YA book policy at the middle school being studied by the district. By their own admission, the librarians say that most YA books contain adult topics and themes. Why are they in a school library for 10 to 13 year olds?
To those that say there is a review process for materials that parents are concerned about. Yes, there is a policy for the libraries and the school board to follow on any challenged book or material. The only problem with many of these policies, is that there is no parent input on these committees. There is only staff members and these staff members were the ones that picked and approved of the material in the first place. Are they going to say now that they are professionals made a mistake? Again, another reason parents need another level of help to make sure that schools are being held accountable.

Thank you,

Nancy Biederman
15 years teaching experience in K-8
Masters Degree in Early Childhood Education

David Holt

This is an attempt to move forward on book bans across the state, which is horrendous!

Justin McClellan

Fantastic bill with all the appropriate cut outs for literary, artistic, or scientific purposes. Targets sexuality, abuse and masochistic works that should not be in front of our kids.

Anna Benevides

Thank you for taking the time to read my testimony, and for your service to the people of New Hampshire. I am opposed to HB141. I am a resident of Gilford and have a 16 year old at Gilford High School.

I urge you to trust the expertise and training of school librarians and their commitment to working with students and their families to find “just right” books.

Thank you again for your time and service.

Sincerely,
Anna Benevides

Dani Slavin

Hi, my name is Dani Slavin and I'm a voter from Durham. I'm testifying in opposition to HB1419. While I agree it is important to keep inappropriate and non educational materials out of schools, I believe this bill is written in such a way that could prevent important topics from being discussed and taught in schools. Specifically, I am concerned that materials discussing LGBTQ+ topics, as well as materials discussing rape and sexual assault, could be deemed inappropriate according to the procedure set out in this bill. The bill states that a material should be judged by what is "patently offensive to prevailing standards in the adult community with respect to what is suitable for minors." Given the recent rise in homophobic and transphobic sentiment in this country, it's possible some parents or guardians will argue that any material containing or referencing homosexual relationships is unsuitable for all minors. I'm also concerned about this bill, should it become law, being used to ban materials that discuss rape or sexual assault. While these topics are unsavory, it's crucial that minors, teens especially, be educated on these topics, as many of them are likely to become victims of these types of crimes. It's been shown that educating the youth, some of whom are LGBTQ+, on sexual health and safety makes them more likely to practice safe sex, and to know what to do in potentially dangerous situations. Ensuring that minors are educated on topics relating to sexual misconduct makes them less likely to be victims of it. Keeping them educated on sex, including LGBTQ-specific sexual topics, gives them the best chance of staying healthy and safe throughout their lives. Putting into a law a procedure that creates a pathway to removing these topics from schools would be doing a disservice to our students. This bill puts both of those categories of education at risk, and I ask you to vote against HB1419 as written. Thank you for your time.

Melanie Renfrew-Hebert

NH House Bill 1419 is unnecessary, harmful, and discriminatory, and I urge you to vote against it. There are already existing laws and policies that protect minors from exposure to inappropriate or harmful material in schools. And, since this bill has been left ridiculously vague as far as defining what constitutes obscene or harmful material, it appears designed only to create confusion, inconsistency, and legal challenges for schools and districts. The truth is, I suspect, to restrict the access of students, especially LGBTQ students, to accurate and inclusive information and resources about their sexual orientation and gender identity. LGBTQ students face higher rates of bullying, harassment, discrimination, and suicide than their non-LGBTQ peers, and they need supportive and affirming education and guidance to help them cope and thrive. This bill would prevent schools from providing LGBTQ students with the material they need to learn about themselves, their health, their rights, and their history. This bill is discriminatory, targeting and stigmatizing our LGBTQ students and educators, and violating their constitutional rights to free speech, privacy, and equal protection. This bill is not in the best interest of the students, educators, or communities of NH. It is a backward and hateful attempt to erase and silence LGBTQ people and their contributions to society. Please vote NO on NH House Bill 1419, and stand with the LGBTQ population of NH.

Betty Gay

Since there is so much angst about describing which reading materials are inappropriate for schoolchildren, I suggest the following: If schoolboard members are not comfortable listening to a parent read the questionable materials aloud at a recorded public meeting to be televised, then it is inappropiate for students to read.

Pornographic materials are doing great harm to kids, and concerned parents have a hard time protecting their chilren from its prevalence in our society. School is one place where parents should not have to worry about their children being exposed to pornography. Teachers have so little time to teach priceless classics as it is. Don't squander classes on sexual abuse and violence. In our culture kids already are exposed to way too much of that.

HB 1419-FN - AS INTRODUCED

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HOUSE BILL ***1419-FN***

AN ACT relative to prohibiting obscene or harmful sexual materials in schools.

SPONSORS: Rep. Cordelli, Carr. 7; Rep. Bernardy, Rock. 36; Rep. Noble, Hills. 2; Rep. K. Perez, Rock. 16; Rep. A. Lekas, Hills. 38; Rep. Mazur, Hills. 44; Rep. Seidel, Hills. 29; Rep. Ammon, Hills. 42; Rep. Quaratiello, Rock. 18; Sen. Avard, Dist 12

COMMITTEE: Education

ANALYSIS

This bill prohibits material that is obscene or harmful to minors in schools and creates a procedure for removal and cause of action.

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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.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Four

AN ACT relative to prohibiting obscene or harmful sexual materials in schools.

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

1 Justifiable and Non-Commercial Private Dissemination. Amend RSA 650:4, I to read as follows:

I. Institutions or persons having scientific, ***higher*** educational, governmental or other similar justification for possessing obscene material; or

2 New Subdivision; Prohibition of Materials Harmful to Minors in Schools.. Amend RSA 189 by inserting after section 74 the following new subdivision:

Prohibition of Materials Harmful to Minors in Schools.

189:75 Definitions.

I. For the purpose of this subdivision:

(a) "Educator" shall mean a professional employee of any school district whose position requires certification by the state board pursuant to RSA 189:39. Administrators, educational specialists, and teachers are included within the definition of this term.

(b) "Higher education" shall mean any institution in the university system of New Hampshire or community college system of New Hampshire.

(c) "Material" means any printed matter, visual presentation, web-based content, live performance, or sound recording including, but not limited to, books, magazines, motion picture films, pamphlets, phonographic records, pictures, photographs, figures, statues, plays, dances, or other representation.

(d) "Nudity" shall mean the showing of the human male or female genitals, pubic area, or buttocks with less than a fully opaque covering; or the showing of the female breast with less than a fully opaque covering of any portion thereof below the top of the nipple; or the depiction of covered male genitals in a discernibly turgid state. A mother's breastfeeding of her baby shall not under any circumstance constitute "nudity," irrespective of whether or not the nipple is covered during or incidental to feeding.

(e) "Sadomasochistic abuse" shall mean flagellation or torture by or upon a person or animal, or the condition of being fettered, bound, or otherwise physically restrained, for the purpose of deriving sexual satisfaction, or satisfaction brought about as a result of sadistic violence, from inflicting harm on another or receiving such harm oneself.

(f) "Sexual conduct" shall mean actual or simulated sexual intercourse, deviate sexual intercourse, sexual bestiality, masturbation, or sadomasochistic abuse; actual or simulated lewd exhibition of the genitals; actual physical contact with a person's clothed or unclothed genitals, pubic

area, buttocks, or, if such person is a female, breast with the intent to arouse or gratify the sexual desire of either party; or any act or conduct which constitutes sexual battery or simulates that sexual battery is being or will be committed. A mother's breastfeeding of her baby shall not under any circumstance constitute "sexual conduct."

(g) "Sexual excitement" means the condition of the human male or female genitals when in a state of sexual stimulation or arousal.

II. For purposes of this subdivision, material is harmful to minors when:

(1) Taken as a whole, it predominantly appeals to the prurient, shameful, or morbid interest of minors;

(2) The material depicts or describes nudity, sexual conduct, sexual excitement, or sadomasochistic abuse in a manner that is patently offensive to prevailing standards in the adult community with respect to what is suitable for minors;

(3) The material lacks serious literary, scientific, medical, artistic, or political value for minors; and

(4) The material is inappropriate to the age of the minors to whom it is being made available or presented.

III. No school or school district, person employed by a school or a school district, or person who contracts with a school or school district shall provide or make available, to any minor student, any material that is harmful to minors.

189:76 Complaint Process.

I. No later than November 1, 2025, each local school board shall adopt a complaint resolution policy consistent with this section to be used to address complaints submitted by parents or guardians alleging that material that is harmful to minors has been provided or is currently available to a student enrolled in the local school system who is the child of such parent or guardian. The policy shall be posted on the district web site. The complaint resolution process shall at a minimum require that:

(a) Complaints be submitted in writing to the principal of the school where the student is enrolled; and

(b) Complaints shall provide a reasonably detailed description of the material that is alleged to be harmful to minors.

II. Within 14 calendar days of receiving a written complaint unless another time frame is mutually agreed upon, the school principal or his or her designee shall review the complaint and take reasonable steps to investigate the allegations in the complaint, including, but not limited to, reviewing the material that is alleged to be harmful to minors, if it is available and meeting with the parent or guardian who submitted the complaint.

III. The school principal or his or her designee shall determine whether the material that is the subject of the complaint is harmful to minors.

IV. The school principal or his or her designee shall determine whether student access to the material that is the subject of the complaint shall be removed or restricted.

V. Within 10 school days of receiving the complaint, unless another schedule is mutually agreed to by the parent or permanent guardian and the school principal or his or her designee, the school principal or his or her designee shall inform the parent or guardian in writing as to whether the material that is the subject of the complaint was determined to be harmful to minors, and whether student access to such material will be removed or restricted. If access to the material is determined to be removed or restricted for any student beyond the student who is the child of the parent of guardian, then notice of such restrictions shall be provided to the parents or guardians of all affected students.

VI. Appeals of determinations by the principal or his or her designee provided for in paragraphs IV and V of this section shall be filed with the local school board within 14 calendar days of the determination by the school principal or his or her designee. As part of the appeal process, the local school board shall permit the parent or guardian to provide input as part of the agenda at a regularly scheduled board meeting. Unless another time frame is mutually agreed upon by the parent or guardian and the local school board the review and final disposition of the appeal by the local school board shall be completed within 30 calendar days of receiving the written appeal. Appeals referenced in this paragraph may be filed by any aggrieved parent or guardian, including a parent or guardian who is not the original complainant, but who is the parent or guardian of a student for whom access to material is determined to be removed or restricted.

VII. An aggrieved parent or guardian may appeal the local school board decision to the state board of education who shall hear the appeal pursuant to RSA 21-N:11, III. Such appeal must be filed within 30 calendar days of the decision of the local school board. An aggrieved parent of guardian may include a parent or guardian who is not the original complainant but who is the parent or guardian of a student for whom access to material is determined to be removed or restricted.

189:77 Enforcement and Penalties.

I. Either the attorney general, department of education, or any person claiming to be aggrieved by a violation of sections 75 or 76 of this subsection may initiate a civil action against a school or school district in superior court for legal or equitable relief for violations of sections 75 or 76 of this subsection, provided that such actions shall be limited to claims that a school or school district has not adhered to the complaint process in RSA 189:76 or that material complained of pursuant to RSA 189:76 continues to be made available to a minor student in a manner inconsistent with any final determination made pursuant to RSA 189:76.

II. Any petitioner, if successful, shall be awarded special or general damages of not less than $1,000 for each violation, and costs and reasonable legal fees. Such damages, costs, and fees shall be in addition to equitable relief awarded.

III. Violation of RSA 189:75 paragraph III by an educator shall be considered a violation of the educator code of conduct that justifies disciplinary sanction by the state board of education, but only if such violation occurs after a final determination that the material is involved is harmful to minors pursuant to RSA 189:76 and involves the provision of such material to a minor student in violation of any final determination made pursuant to RSA 189:76. For purposes of this paragraph, a determination is final once all appeals are exhausted or when the deadline for an appeal has expired.

3 Effective Date. This act shall take effect January 1, 2025.

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HB 1419-FN- FISCAL NOTE
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FISCAL IMPACT: [X] State [ ] County [X] Local [ ] None

Estimated State Impact - Increase / (Decrease)				
	FY 2024	**FY 2025**	**FY 2026**	**FY 2027**
Revenue	$0	$0	$0	$0
Revenue Fund(s)	None			
Expenditures	$0	Indeterminable		
Funding Source(s)	General Fund			
Appropriations	$0	$0	$0	$0
Funding Source(s)	None			

- Does this bill provide sufficient funding to cover estimated expenditures? [X] See Below
- Does this bill authorize new positions to implement this bill? [X] N/A

Estimated Political Subdivision Impact - Increase / (Decrease)				
	FY 2024	**FY 2025**	**FY 2026**	**FY 2027**
Local Revenue	$0	$0	$0	$0
Local Expenditures	$0	Indeterminable		

METHODOLOGY:

This bill, effective January 1, 2025, prohibits schools, school districts, an employee of a school or school district, or a contractor of a school or school district from disseminating materials that the statute defines as harmful to minor student and requires school boards to adopt complaint resolution policies to address complaints regarding harmful material by parents or guardians. This bill authorizes the Attorney General to enforce the legislation through a civil action against a school or school district. If successful as the petitioner in a civil enforcement action, the Attorney General shall be awarded damages of no less than $1,000 for each violation and costs and reasonable legal fees. The Department of Justice states bringing these enforcement actions would place increased demands on the Department and result in increased litigation costs. The Department cannot anticipate how many enforcement actions may be brought under the legislation or the resources needed to bring such actions. Accordingly, the Department indicates that the fiscal impact cannot be determined.

The Department of Education states it cannot estimate this bill's impact on local school districts, if any. Any impact could vary from district to district.

AGENCIES CONTACTED:

Department of Justice and Department of Education