

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
SENATE
REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE
FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

Thursday, January 29, 2026

THE COMMITTEE ON Executive Departments and Administration
to which was referred **SB 423**

AN ACT reestablishing the commission to study the
incidence of post-traumatic stress disorder in first
responders.

Having considered the same, the committee recommends that the Bill

OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT

BY A VOTE OF: 4-0

AMENDMENT # 2026-0355s

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For the Committee

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