

Amendment to SB 486

1 Amend RSA 541-A:19, X as inserted by section 24 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 X. ~~[No proposed interim rule shall be adopted unless the committee has voted to approve the~~
4 ~~proposed interim rule or conditionally approve the proposed interim rule, provided that the~~
5 ~~committee legal counsel has sent written confirmation to the agency pursuant to RSA 541-A:19,~~
6 ~~VIII(b).]~~ An adopted interim rule and any ~~[new or amended]~~ form ~~[, or screenshot, mock-up, or~~
7 ~~prototype of an electronic-only form,]~~ which the rule incorporates by reference or **for which** the
8 requirements ~~[for which]~~ are set forth in the rule pursuant to RSA 541-A:19, shall be filed with the
9 director ~~[of legislative services]~~ no later than 30 days following committee approval or conditional
10 approval or in the case of a board or commission, 7 days ~~[following]~~ **of** its next regularly scheduled
11 meeting after committee approval or after receipt of the written confirmation **of compliance with a**
12 ~~[pursuant to RSA 541-A:19, VIII(b) for a committee]~~ conditional approval. An interim rule shall be
13 effective ~~[under RSA 541-A:16, III]~~ **at 12:01 a.m.** on the day after filing with the director ~~[of~~
14 ~~legislative services]~~, or at a later date, provided ~~[the]~~ **an** agency ~~[se]~~ specifies **the date** in a letter to
15 the director ~~[of legislative services]~~ and the effective date is within 30 days ~~[following]~~ **of** committee
16 approval or conditional approval or, in the case of a board or commission, within 7 days following its
17 next regularly scheduled meeting after **committee approval or conditional approval** ~~[receipt of~~
18 ~~the written confirmation pursuant to RSA 541-A:19, VIII(b)].~~ **The effective date of an interim**
19 **rule may fall outside of the 30 and 7 day time periods above if the interim rule is adopted to**
20 **conform with a new or amended statute or chaptered session law pursuant to RSA 541-**
21 **A:19, I(a), and the effective date is the same as the effective date of the statute or chaptered**
22 **session law with which the interim rule is adopted to conform.** Interim rules shall be effective
23 for a period ~~[not to exceed]~~ **no longer than** 180 days **except as extended pursuant to RSA 541-**
24 **A:14-a.** During the time an interim rule ~~[shall be]~~ **is** in effect, the agency may propose a permanent
25 rule to replace the interim rule ~~[once it expires]~~, but it shall not adopt another interim rule to replace
26 ~~[the]~~ **an** expiring interim rule.