

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SENATE

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE
FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

Friday, April 10, 2026

THE COMMITTEE ON Health and Human Services

to which was referred **HB 1117-FN**

AN ACT

relative to the right of licensed health care providers to freely communicate with patients, colleagues, and the public about medical information, emerging therapies, and treatment options.

Having considered the same, the committee recommends that the Bill

BE REFERRED TO INTERIM STUDY

BY A VOTE OF: 4-0

Senator Regina Birdsell
For the Committee

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Sophie Walsh 271-3469

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