

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SENATE

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE  
FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 15, 2026

THE COMMITTEE ON Judiciary

to which was referred **HB 1308-FN**

AN ACT

relative to increasing the penalty for passing a  
stopped school bus.

Having considered the same, the committee recommends that the Bill

OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT

BY A VOTE OF: 5-0

AMENDMENT # 2026-1513s

Senator Daryl Abbas  
For the Committee

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**JUDICIARY**

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