

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SENATE

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE
FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

Monday, April 27, 2026

THE COMMITTEE ON Executive Departments and Administration

to which was referred **HB 1555-FN**

AN ACT

relative to the administration and enforcement of
the state fire code.

Having considered the same, the committee recommends that the Bill

OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT

BY A VOTE OF: 5-0

AMENDMENT # 2026-1650s

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For the Committee

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Ben Mickens 271-1403

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