

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SENATE

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE  
FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 29, 2026

THE COMMITTEE ON Energy and Natural Resources

to which was referred **HB 215-FN**

AN ACT

requiring a landfill permit applicant to submit a report listing potential harms and benefits of the project.

Having considered the same, the committee recommends that the Bill

**BE REFERRED TO INTERIM STUDY**

**BY A VOTE OF: 3-2**

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For the Committee

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Joshua Schauer 271-3077

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