

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SENATE

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE
FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 29, 2026

THE COMMITTEE ON Executive Departments and Administration

to which was referred **HB 1727**

AN ACT

relative to the inter-agency data sharing for the purpose of distributing summer electronic benefit transfer (EBT) benefits.

Having considered the same, the committee recommends that the Bill

ought to pass with amendment

by a vote of: 4-0

Amendment # 2026-1748s

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For the Committee

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