

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SENATE

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE  
FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

Friday, February 21, 2025

THE COMMITTEE ON Energy and Natural Resources

to which was referred **SB 112-FN**

AN ACT

relative to purchased power agreements for electric  
distribution utilities.

Having considered the same, the committee recommends that the Bill

OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT

BY A VOTE OF: 4-1

AMENDMENT # 0542s

Senator Kevin Avard  
For the Committee

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Max Taylor 271-1403

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