

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SENATE

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE  
FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 23, 2025

THE COMMITTEE ON Executive Departments and Administration

to which was referred **HB 470**

AN ACT

relative to the use of general anesthesia, deep sedation, and moderate sedation in dental treatment.

Having considered the same, the committee recommends that the Bill

**BE RE-REFERRED TO COMMITTEE**

BY A VOTE OF: 4-0

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For the Committee

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