

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SENATE

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE  
FOR THE CONSENT CALENDAR

Tuesday, May 13, 2025

THE COMMITTEE ON Judiciary

to which was referred **HB 369-FN**

AN ACT

relative to misdemeanor sexual assault  
prosecutions.

Having considered the same, the committee recommends that the Bill

OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT

BY A VOTE OF: 3-0

AMENDMENT # 2025-2168s

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For the Committee

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