

Sen. Gray, Dist 6
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Amendment to HB 1307

1 Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 AN ACT relative to the first session of annual meetings.

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5 Amend RSA 40:13, IV as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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7 IV. The first session of the meeting, governed by the provisions of RSA 40:4, 40:4-a, 40:4-b,
8 40:4-f, and 40:6-40:10, shall consist of explanation, discussion, and debate of each warrant article,
9 ***including warrant articles pertaining to the operating budget and the default budget.*** A
10 vote to restrict reconsideration shall be deemed to prohibit any further action on the restricted
11 article until the second session, and RSA 40:10, II shall not apply. Warrant articles may be
12 amended at the first session, subject to the following limitations:

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14 Amend RSA 40:13, IX(c) as inserted by section 2 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

15 (c) "Contracts" as used in this subdivision means contracts previously approved, in the
16 amount so approved, by the legislative body in either the operating budget authorized for the
17 previous year or in a separate warrant article for a previous year.

18 Amend the bill by replacing section 3 with the following:

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20 3 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill requires explanation and debate of warrant articles pertaining to the operating budget and default budget at the deliberative session.