

Sen. Sanborn, Dist 9
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Floor Amendment to HB 1626-FN

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

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3 AN ACT requiring the governor's commission on alcohol and drug abuse prevention, treatment,
4 and recovery to report on the cost effectiveness of funded programs and making an
5 appropriation therefor, relative to liquor commission shortfalls, and relative to direct
6 shipper licenses.
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8 Amend the bill by inserting after section 5 the following and renumbering the original section 6 to
9 read as 7:

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11 6 Direct Shippers Licenses; Commission to Sell. Amend RSA 176:11, II to read as follows:

12 II. In the event that the commission determines New Hampshire liquor revenues are being
13 diverted by actions taken by persons holding either liquor and wine representative licenses[5] **or**
14 liquor and wine vendor licenses[~~5 or direct shipper licenses~~] who compete directly or indirectly with
15 the commission for market share, the commission may take such marketing or merchandising
16 action, or both, as it deems necessary, including sanctions against the competing entities.

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill:

I. Requires the commissioner of the department of health and human services, in conjunction with the governor's commission on alcohol and drug abuse prevention, treatment and recovery, to make an annual report relative to the cost effectiveness and outcomes of programs funded in whole or in part by the governor's commission.

II. Suspends the law regarding liquor commission shortfalls for the biennium ending June 30, 2019.

III. Removes direct shipper licenses from consideration for diversion of revenues by the liquor commission.