

Amendment to HB 641-LOCAL

1 Amend RSA 353:11, I and II as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing them with the following:

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3 I. The legislative body of a municipality may vote to collect a municipal fee on each
4 occupancy, as defined in RSA 78-A:3, VI, for the purpose of establishing a municipal capital
5 improvement or tourism support fund, which is intended to increase or stabilize local hotel and
6 other room rental occupancy.

7 II. As authorized by the legislative body vote, the fee may be collected as a daily charge of
8 up to \$2 per occupancy, or as a percentage of the price of the occupancy, provided that the rate shall
9 not exceed \$2 per occupancy per 24-hour period. If the average daily price of the occupancy does
10 not exceed \$40, the occupancy fee shall not be collected. Enforcement powers for nonpayment shall
11 be the same as those provided under RSA 31:39-c, RSA 31:39-d, and RSA 47:17-b, relative to
12 enforcement of ordinances.