

Amendment to HB 263

1 Amend RSA 169-C:23, II as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 ***II. In no case shall the court order family reunification or placement with a parent***
4 ***or guardian who has been convicted of an offense against a child as defined in RSA 651-***
5 ***B:1, VII. Nor shall the permanency plan for a child in placement involve family***
6 ***reunification or placement with a parent or guardian who has been convicted of an offense***
7 ***against a child as defined in RSA 651-B:1, VII.***

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill prohibits the court in an abuse and neglect proceeding from ordering family reunification or placement with a parent or guardian who has been convicted of a sexual offense against a child.

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