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Floor Amendment to SB 72-FN

1 Amend RSA 189-B:2, III as inserted by section 2 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 III. "Compelling state interest" shall include a circumstance in which the school or school
4 personnel have an actual and objectively reasonable belief, supported by a preponderance of the
5 evidence, that any action or inaction that infringes upon any of the rights identified in RSA 189-B:3
6 is likely to cause a child to be abused or neglected as defined in RSA 169-C:3, or likely to infringe on
7 the fundamental rights of a child including the rights to privacy, freedom of religion, freedom of
8 association, freedom of speech, and due process. A compelling state interest shall not be found to
9 exist solely because the school or school personnel believe that the child's best interest is served by
10 impinging upon a parent's rights.