

HB 1060-FN - AS INTRODUCED

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HOUSE BILL ***1060-FN***

AN ACT relative to the requirements for licensure as an engineer.

SPONSORS: Rep. Barton, Graf. 1; Rep. R. Brown, Carr. 8; Rep. Harrington, Straf. 18; Rep. Pauer, Hills. 36; Rep. Turcotte, Straf. 4

COMMITTEE: Executive Departments and Administration

ANALYSIS

This bill removes the requirement for licensure as an engineer that the 10 years of accumulated engineering experience be under the direction of a licensed professional engineer. This bill further removes that the education or experience required be satisfactory to the board of professional engineers.

Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.
Matter removed from current law appears ~~[in brackets and struckthrough.]~~
Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty-Six

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Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

1 1 Professional Engineers; General Requirements for Licensure. Amend RSA 310-A:12, II to read
2 as follows:

3 II. Applicants who have the minimum of a bachelor of science degree, or the equivalent, from
4 an ABET or other accredited 4-year institution in an engineering curriculum and more than 10 years
5 of accumulated engineering experience ***in the practice of engineering, regardless of whether***
6 ***such experience was*** under the direction of a licensed professional engineer [~~and satisfactory to the~~
7 ~~board~~] may apply to sit for the professional engineers examination. Such an applicant may request a
8 waiver of the fundamentals of engineering examination.

9 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

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**HB 1060-FN- FISCAL NOTE
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FISCAL IMPACT:

The Legislative Budget Assistant has determined that this legislation has a total fiscal impact of less than \$10,000 in each of the fiscal years 2026 through 2029.

AGENCIES CONTACTED:

Office of Professional Licensure and Certification