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HOUSE BILL **1071**

AN ACT repealing immunity afforded health care facilities when following directives adopted in response to the COVID-19 state of emergency.

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COMMITTEE: Health, Human Services and Elderly Affairs

ANALYSIS

This bill repeals immunity afforded health care facilities when following directives adopted in response to the COVID-19 state of emergency.

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Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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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 Repeal. RSA 21-P:42-a, relative to immunity granted to health care facilities following rules
- 2 or orders issued during the COVID-19 state of emergency, is repealed.
- 3 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect upon its passage.