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HOUSE CALENDAR

NOTICE

MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE:

This week's calendar lists contains the complete list of appointments to chaptered study committees. Each of these has a reporting date contained in the authorizing legislation. Rereferred bills, on the other hand, must be reported out of committee by November 1.

In order that members may stay informed about developments in electric restructuring and the proposed PSNH settlement, I have asked Joel Anderson of House Committee Research to prepare a newsletter containing general information about the proceedings. The first edition will be mailed with this week's calendar, with periodic updates thereafter. Let us know what you think about the format and content. Our goal is to keep you informed and prepared for the important decisions we will be called on to make next session.

Because of repairs to the LOB garage over the next few weeks, parking will be limited to only one level. Please observe the temporary parking signs. The city of Concord is doing construction work on Park Street, so travel and parking may not be available there next week. We regret any inconvenience.

Donna Sytek, Speaker

NOTICE

House Calendars will be published every two weeks during July and August. Members and staff who need to schedule meetings should make arrangements with the Clerk's Office for room availability/assignment and publication of meeting notices. Please note Calendar will close on Wednesdays.

CLOSES NOON WEDNESDAY: TO BE MAILED THURSDAY:

August 18 August 19

September 1 September 2

Karen O. Wadsworth, Clerk of the House

NOTICE

DEADLINES FOR FILING THE YEAR 2000 BILLS

SEPTEMBER 7 - Tuesday	First day that requests for drafting of bills for introduction in the second-year session may be filed with the Office of Legislative Services.
OCTOBER 7 - Thursday	Last day to file bill drafting requests.
NOVEMBER 1 - Monday	Last day to report all re-referred bills from the first-year session.
NOVEMBER 10 - Wednesday	Last day to file legislation relating to subject matter of study committees.
NOVEMBER 22 - Monday	Last day to sign off all bills requiring fiscal notes (FNs) and study committee bills. Sign off shall be 10 calendar days after receipt by the sponsor of the draft legislation, or November 22, whichever day is earlier.
DECEMBER 6 - Monday	Last day to sign off all other bills. Sign-off shall be 10 calendar days after receipt by the sponsor of the draft legislation, or December 6, whichever day is earlier.
DECEMBER 21 - Tuesday	Availability of chairmen's copies of all bills and resolutions.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SUPREME COURT

NOTICE

No. 99-346, Request of the House for an Opinion of the Justices (Municipal Tax Exemptions for Electric Utility Personal Property)

The following request of the house for an opinion of the justices was adopted on June 9, 1999, and filed with the supreme court on June 10, 1999:

Whereas, there is presently pending before the House of Representatives HB 536, as amended by document number 1999-1063h, authorizing municipalities to exempt from the local property tax personal property employed in the generation and production of electric power; and

Whereas, section 2 of HB 536 as amended provides that the governing body of a town or city may make the determination to exempt from local property taxation so much of the equipment for the generation and production of electric power and for such a term of years as the governing body determines will attract new construction of electric generation facilities, retain existing electric generation facilities, or foster economic development; and

Whereas, section 2 of HB 536 as amended further provides that the determination, including but not limited to the fair market value of the equipment exempted, the term of the exemption, any agreement for payment of taxes, and/or any agreement for payment in lieu of taxes, shall be subject to approval of the legislative body of the municipality; and

Whereas, legislation proposing new tax exemptions should be scrutinized to determine its constitutionality; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives:

That the Justices of the Supreme Court be respectfully requested to give their opinion on the following questions of law:

1. Do the provisions of HB 536 as amended, which exempt from local property taxes so much of the equipment for the generation and production of electric power and for such a term of years as may be determined by the municipality, violate constitutional requirements of uniformity and equality governing the assessment and collection of property taxes and the constitutional prohibition against authorizing gifts to corporations organized for profit, as provided by part II, article 5 of the New Hampshire constitution?
2. Do the provisions of HB 536 as amended, which exempt from local property taxes so much of the equipment for the generation and production of electric power and for such a term of years as may be determined by the municipality, violate the constitutional provision that government is instituted for the common benefit, protection, and security, of the whole community, and not for the private interest or emolument of any one man, family, or class of men under part I, article 10 of the New Hampshire constitution?
3. Is the classification of taxable property provided for in HB 536 as amended based on a reasonable distinction which promotes a proper object of public welfare and does not require any taxpayer to pay more than his or her fair share of the tax burden as required by part I, article 12 of the New Hampshire constitution?

That the clerk of the House of Representatives transmit copies of this resolution and copies of HB 536, as amended by document number 1999-1063h, to the justices of the New Hampshire supreme court.

Typewritten memoranda on the questions presented by the request may be furnished by any attorney, legislator, organization, interested party or member of the public on or before **August 16, 1999**. An original and fifteen copies of any memorandum must be filed with the clerk's office.

Date: July 2, 1999

Howard J. Zibel, Clerk

Supreme Court

COMMITTEES CREATED BY 1999 CHAPTERS

EXTENDED REPORTING DATES FOR CHAPTERED STUDY COMMITTEES

ALTERNATIVE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS EFFECT AND JURISDICTION COMMISSION, (HB 1120, Chapter 103:1, Laws of 1998). Report date extended by HB 73, Chapter 10, Laws of 1999.

SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES UNDER THE STATE SUBSTANCE ABUSE DELIVERY SYSTEM, (HB 1174, Chapter 247:1, Laws of 1998). Report date extended by SB 19, Chapter 38:1, Laws of 1999. Duties amended by SB 197, Chapter 255, Laws of 1999.

UPDATING NEW HAMPSHIRE LAWS RELATED TO FENCES STUDY, (HB 1154, Chapter 62:1, Laws of 1998). Report date extended by HB 583, Chapter 74:1, Laws of 1999.

CHAPTER AND STATUTORY COMMITTEES AMENDED

HERITAGE COLLECTIONS COMMITTEE (RSA 227-C:18). Committee's responsibilities defined in HB 686, Chapter 60, Laws of 1999.

CHAPTERED STUDIES

HB 2 (Chapter 225:19, Laws of 1999) – PROTECTION OF WATERFRONT PROPERTIES FROM EROSION STUDY

Reps. William E. Leber, Michael D. Whalley and Charles L. Vaughn, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Beverly A. Hollingworth, Carl R. Johnson and Leo W. Fraser, Jr., appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 58 (Chapter 40:2, Laws of 1999) – ADOPTION IN NEW HAMPSHIRE STUDY

Reps. David A. Bickford (Children), Pamela D. Coughlin (Children), Barbara Hull Richardson (Children) and Andre A. Martel (Health), appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Debora B. Pignatelli and Mary E. Brown, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 82 (Chapter 155:2, Laws of 1999) – FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS AMONG HOSPITALS, HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS, AND INSURANCE COMPANIES STUDY

Reps. Keith R. Herman (Commerce), Sheila T. Francoeur (Commerce) and Martha Fuller Clark, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Katherine W. Wheeler, James W. Squires and Gary R. Francoeur, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 117 (Chapter 17:55, Laws of 1999) – TAX EQUITY AND EFFICIENCY COMMISSION

Reps. David J. Alukonis, Kenneth L. Weyler, Jeffrey C. MacGillivray, Raymond Buckley and Linda T. Foster, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Clifton C. Below, Beverly A. Hollingworth, Mark D. Fernald, Arthur P. Klemm, Jr. and Frederick W. King, Sr., appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 214 (Chapter 42:1, Laws of 1999) - WOMEN'S HEALTH CARE STUDY Report date extended and membership increased on study from HB 1536, Chapter 118:1, Laws of 1998.

Reps. Martha Fuller Clark (Commerce), Margaret A. Case (Health), Jane S. Langley (Commerce), Andre A. Martel (Health) and Terie T. Norelli, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Katherine W. Wheeler (Insurance), Sylvia B. Larsen (Public Institutions), Caroline McCarley (Public Institutions), Leo W. Fraser, Jr. (Insurance) and James W. Squires (Public Institutions). appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 227 (Chapter 11:2, Laws of 1999) – MAINTENANCE OF VOTER CHECKLISTS STUDY

Reps. Janet S. Arndt, Mary Lou Nowe and Jane A. Clemons, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Rick A. Trombly, Lou D'Allesandro and Patricia Krueger, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 288 (Chapter 23:3, Laws of 1999) LAND USE MANAGEMENT AND PROTECTION OF FARMLAND, RURAL CHARACTER AND ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AND SPRAWL STUDY (Membership increased and report date extended on study from HB 1238, Chapter 197:2, Laws of 1998)

Reps. Robert H. Rowe, Harold P. Melcher (Environment), Robert W. Brundige (Municipal), Martha Fuller Clark and Judith T. Spang (Resources), appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Debora B. Pignatelli, Mark D. Fernald, Clifton C. Below, Richard L. Russman and Carl R. Johnson, appointed by the Senate President.

HB 291 (Chapter 282:2, Laws of 1999) – SEED STERILIZATION TECHNOLOGY STUDY

Reps. David L. Babson, Jr. (Environment), Harold P. Melcher (Environment), Ronald J. Belanger (Commerce) and Donald B. White (Science), appointed by the Speaker of the House.

Sens. Katherine W. Wheeler (Environment), Carl R. Johnson (Environment) and Sheila Roberge (Energy and Economic Development), appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 307 (Chapter 24:2, Laws of 1999) – NEGOTIATED RISK AGREEMENTS WHEN PATIENTS DESIRE TO REMAIN IN A FACILITY OVER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES STUDY

Reps. Janeen A. Dalrymple, Robert F. Chabot and Gloria Seldin, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Rick A. Trombly, George F. Disnard and Patricia Krueger, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 340 (Chapter 71:2, Laws of 1999) – MERCURY SOURCE REDUCTION AND RECYCLING ISSUES STUDY

Reps. George T. Musler (Environment), John S. Cobb and Harold V. Lynde (Science), appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Carl R. Johnson (Environment), Katherine W. Wheeler (Environment) and Clifton C. Below, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 357 (Chapter 89:2, Laws of 1999) – ISSUES RELATED TO INVESTIGATIONS, TRIALS, CONVICTIONS, AND SENTENCING OF SEX OFFENDERS STUDY

Reps. Maxwell Sargent (Criminal Justice), Donnalee Lozeau, Loren Jean (Judiciary) and Patricia M. O'Keefe, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Edward M. Gordon, Rick A. Trombly and Debora B. Pignatelli, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 365 (Chapter 36:2, Laws of 1999) – CURRENT PRACTICE OF POSTING ROADS AND ITS EFFECT ON THE ECONOMY STUDY

Reps. John E. Tholl, Jr., Charles W. Morse and Candace White Bouchard, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Edward M. Gordon, Sheila Roberge and Clifton C. Below, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 369 (Chapter 258:2, Laws of 1999) – YOUTH TOBACCO USE PREVENTION AND EDUCATION STUDY

Reps. Kathleen M. Flora (Criminal Justice), Janeen A. Dalrymple (Health), Stephen G. Avery (Commerce) and Barbara Hull Richardson (Children), appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. B. Larsen (Education), James A. Squires (Public Institutions), Mark D. Fernald (Judiciary) and George F. Disnard (Public Affairs), appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 379 (Chapter 201:2, Laws of 1999) – SULLIVAN COUNTY REGIONAL REFUSE DISPOSAL DISTRICT

Reps. Betsy L. Patten, Richard C. Leone and Linda T. Foster, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Clifton C. Below, Carl R. Johnson and George F. Disnard, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 402 (Chapter 47:2, Laws of 1999) – METHODS TO PROMOTE THE USE OF RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES STUDY

Reps. Lawrence J. Guay, John H. Thomas, Donald B. White, Gary R. Gilmore and Harold V. Lynde, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Richard L. Russman, Clifton C. Below, Frederick W. King, Sr., Leo W. Fraser, Jr. and Burton J. Cohen, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 414 (Chapter 203:2, Laws of 1999) – UNCLASSIFIED SALARY STRUCTURE FOR STATE OFFICERS STUDY

Reps. Merton S. Dyer, Robert E. Clegg, Jr. and Christine M. Konys, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Lou D'Allesandro, Clifton C. Below and Frederick W. King, Sr., appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 431 (Chapter 142:2, Laws of 1999) – USES OF THE WHITE MOUNTAIN NATIONAL FOREST STUDY

Reps. Michael D. Whalley (Resources), Richard S. Brothers (Wildlife), Linda T. Foster (Municipal) and Joseph D. Kenney (Commerce). Alternate: Rep. Gene G. Chandler, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Frederick W. King, Sr. (Energy and Economic Development and the White Mountain National Forest Community), Clifton C. Below (Internal Affairs), Carl R. Johnson (from the White Mountain National Forest Community) and George F. Disnard (Wildlife and Recreation)

HB 444 (Chapter 143:2, Laws of 1999) – PASSENGER RAIL SERVICE ON THE EASTERN LINE BETWEEN NEWBURYPORT, MASSACHUSETTS AND KITTERY, MAINE STUDY

Reps. George N. Katsakiores, James R. Splaine and James A. Whittemore, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Burton J. Cohen, Beverly A. Hollingworth and Arthur P. Klemm, Jr., appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 451 (Chapter 233:2, Laws of 1999) – FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGE HOME LOANS STUDY

Reps. Sheila T. Francoeur (Commerce), Gene B. Marshall (Commerce) and Tara G. Reardon, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Leo W. Fraser, Jr. (Banks), Mark D. Fernald (Banks) and George F. Disnard, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 456 Chapter 144:2, Laws of 1999) – ISSUES RELATING TO THE DEAF COMMUNITY STUDY

Reps. Daniel M. Burnham (Health), Andre A. Martel (Health), Sylvia A. Holley (Executive Departments), Robert E. McKinley (Education), Elizabeth K. Hoadley (Education), appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. James W. Squires (Public Institutions), Katherine W. Wheeler (Public Institutions), Caroline McCarley (Education), Lou D'Allesandro (Education) and Mary E. Brown, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 473 (Chapter 205:2, Laws of 1999) – NON-GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE MARKET STUDY

Reps. Sheila T. Francoeur, Griffin T. Dalianis and Dennis P. Vachon, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. John A. King, Gary R. Francoeur and Caroline McCarley, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 530 (Chapter 51:2, Laws of 1999) – POLICIES AND PROCEDURES OF THE JOINT HEALTH COUNCIL REVIEW STUDY

Reps. Phyllis M. Katsakiores, Andre A. Martel and Marion L. Copenhaver, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Katherine W. Wheeler, James W. Squires and Patricia Krueger, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 532 (Chapter 135:3, Laws of 1999) – COMMISSION ON EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Reps. Susan B. Durham (designee of Chairman of Education), Russell N. Cox and Iris W. Estabrook, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Caroline McCarley (Chair of Education), Sylvia B. Larsen and Richard L. Russman, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 535 (Chapter 92:3, Laws of 1999) – DEPARTMENT OF RESOURCES AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STUDY

Reps. H. Charles Royce, alternate: Michael D. Whalley (Resources), Howard C. Dickinson (Executive Departments) and Martha Fuller Clark (Commerce) appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Burton J. Cohen (Executive Departments), Frederick W. King, Sr. (Energy and Economic Development) and Lou

D'Allesandro (Environment), appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 538 (Chapter 129:2, Laws of 1999) – CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR OF NEW HAMPSHIRE COMMEMORATIVE MONUMENTS AT CERTAIN CIVIL WAR BATTLE SITES

Reps. Robert J. Letourneau, Sherman A. Packard and Linda T. Foster, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Sylvia B. Larsen, Arthur P. Klemm, Jr. and Carl R. Johnson, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 541 (Chapter 145:1, Laws of 1999) – UPGRADE OF ROUTES 11 AND 140 STUDY

Reps. William E. Leber (Merrimack), John H. Thomas (Belknap), Barbara L. Spear (Strafford) and John R. Cloutier (Sullivan), Alternate: James A. Whittemore, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. George F. Disnard, Caroline McCarley, Rick A. Trombly and Leo W. Fraser, Jr., appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 545 (Chapter 235:2, Laws of 1999) – AMBULATORY SURGICAL FACILITIES STUDY

Reps. Peter L. Batula (Health), Francine Wendelboe and Thomas E. Donovan, Jr., appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Katherine W. Wheeler (Public Institutions), Lou D'Allesandro and Leo W. Fraser, Jr., appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 562 (Chapter 292:2, Laws of 1999) – DATE OF DECISION FOR APPEALS OF ZONING MATTERS STUDY

Reps. David W. Hess, Anthony F. Simon, Priscilla P. Lockwood and Linda T. Foster, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Rick A. Trombly, Clifton C. Below, Edward M. Gordon and Gary R. Francoeur, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 592 (Chapter 55:3, Laws of 1999) – REQUIREMENTS FOR USAGE OF METHYL T-BUTYL ETHER

Reps. Jeb E. Bradley (Science), Roy D. Maxfield (Science), Jeffrey C. MacGillivray, Terie T. Norelli and Michael W. Downing (Resources), appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Richard L. Russman, Katherine W. Wheeler, Carl R. Johnson, Burton J. Cohen and Clifton C. Below, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 616 (Chapter 297:2, Laws of 1999) – ISSUES RELATING TO DRIVER TRAINING FUND PURSUANT TO RSA263:52 STUDY

Reps. Sherman A. Packard, Norman L. Major, George A. LaPorte and John P. Gleason (alternate), appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

HB 624 (Chapter 114:3, Laws of 1999) – HEALTH CARE QUALITY STUDY

Reps. Martin Feuerstein (Health), Andre A. Martel and Toni M. Crosby, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Katherine W. Wheeler, James W. Squires (Public Institutions) and Caroline McCarley, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 650 (Chapter 237:2, Laws of 1999) – STRUCTURE OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION SERVICES STUDY

Reps. William E. Leber, Kathleen N. Taylor and Russell N. Cox, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Katherine W. Wheeler, John A. King and Edward M. Gordon, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 664 (Chapter 262:2, Laws of 1999) – RIGHTS OF OWNERSHIP CEMETERY PLOTS STUDY

Reps. Betsey L. Patten, Allen K. MacNeil and William V. Knowles, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Rick A. Trombly, Gary R. Francoeur and Mary E. Brown, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 689 (Chapter 264:2, Laws of 1999) – CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AND EXPENDITURE STUDY

Reps. Lynn C. Horton, Francis W. Davis, James R. Splaine and Natalie S. Flanagan, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Rick A. Trombly, Carl R. Johnson, Clifton C. Below and Sylvia B. Larsen, appointed by the President of the Senate.

HB 727 (Chapter 146:2, Laws of 1999) – PROBLEMS AND POSSIBLE REGULATION OF OUTDOOR LIGHTING

Sens. Sylvia B. Larsen, Patricia Krueger and Burton J. Cohen, appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Eugene L. Gagnon, Mary E. Griffin and Martha Fuller Clark, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 13 (Chapter 115:2, Laws of 1999) – JOINT MAINTENANCE AGREEMENTS IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS STUDY

Sens. Carl R. Johnson, Caroline McCarley and Lou D'Allesandro, appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Bruce L. Dearborn, Perley E. Davis and Charles B. Yeaton, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 14 (Chapter 94:2, Laws of 1999) – FEDERAL WELFARE REFORM ON THE CITIES AND TOWNS OF NEW HAMPSHIRE IMPACT STUDY

Sens. Lou D'Allesandro, Burton J. Cohen, Rick A. Trombly, James W. Squires and George F. Disnard, appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Christine M. Konys, Marilyn A. Fraser (Municipal), Walter D. Ruffner (Health), Joseph P. Manning (Health) and O. Alan Thulander, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 26 (Chapter 151:2, Laws of 1999) – TRUSTEE PROCESS STUDY

Sens. Katherine W. Wheeler, Caroline McCarley and Edward Gordon, appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Sandra B. Keans, Dennis J. Withee and John M. Pratt, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 32 (Chapter 244:3, Laws of 1999) – REVIEW OF STATE'S STATUTES DEALING WITH INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS

Reps. Gary L. Daniels, Robert E. Clegg, Jr., and Edgar H. Mears, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Rick A. Trombly and Mary E. Brown, appointed by the President of the Senate.

SB 42 (Chapter 95:2, Laws of 1999) – SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS AT THE US ROUTE 1 TRAFFIC CIRCLE IN THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH STUDY

Sens. Burton J. Cohen (District 24) and Caroline McCarley, appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Leon Calawa, Jr., Winston H. McCarty and Elizabeth C. Shultis, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 60 (Chapter 96:2, Laws of 1999) – LICENSURE OF RADIOGRAPHERS AND RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS STUDY

Sens. Katherine W. Wheeler, James W. Squires and Patricia Krueger, appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Maurice E. Goulet, Nancy C. Stickney and Carolyn A. Virtue, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 65 (Chapter 29:2, Laws of 1999) – FIELD ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES RELATIVE TO CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES STUDY

Sens. Katherine W. Wheeler, Caroline McCarley and Edward M. Gordon, appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Thomas I. Arnold, Jr., Karen K. Hutchinson and Anne C. Grassie, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 75 (Chapter 97:1, Laws of 1999) – ESTABLISHMENT OF A PERMIT SYSTEM FOR VESSELS REGISTERED IN ANOTHER STATE TEMPORARILY USING THE WATERS OF NEW HAMPSHIRE STUDY

Sens. Carl R. Johnson, Burton J. Cohen and Leo W. Fraser, Jr., appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Gordon E. Bartlett, Thomas J. Boriso and Peter R. Cote, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 124 (Chapter 319:2, Laws of 1999) – INTEGRATION OF TECHNOLOGY AT THE STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL LEVELS STUDY

Sens. Clifton C. Below, George F. Disnard, Sheila Roberge, Gary R. Francoeur and Rick A. Trombly, appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Lawrence J. Guay (Science), Harold V. Lynde, Raymond Buckley (Election Law), Sylvia A. Holley and Ralph L. Akins (Municipal), appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 130 (Chapter 30:2, Laws of 1999) – PROCEDURES AND STANDARDS FOR SELECTION AND SUPERVISION OF COURT-APPOINTED GUARDIANS AD LITEM STUDY

Sens. Rick A. Trombly, John A. King and Edward M. Gordon, appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Patricia A. Dowling, L. Randy Lyman and Ruth Ginsburg, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 160 (Chapter 78:2, Laws of 1999) – IDENTIFYING OR ESTABLISHING THE DUTIES OF THE FISH AND GAME COMMISSION STUDY

Sens. George F. Disnard, Rick A. Trombly and Patricia Krueger, appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Betsy McKinney (Wildlife), Donald Carlson and Michael J. Blaisdell, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 163 (Chapter 322:2, Laws of 1999) – REDUCING VIOLENT INCIDENTS INVOLVING CHILDREN AND GUNS STUDY

Sens. Burton J. Cohen (Judiciary) and Rick A. Trombly (Judiciary), appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. David A. Welch (Criminal Justice) and Everett A. Weare (Criminal Justice), appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The Commissioner of the Department of Safety, or designee.

The Commissioner of the Department of Education, or designee.

The Attorney General, or designee.

The President of the New Hampshire County Attorneys' Association, or designee.

A representative of a sportsman's club from each executive councilor district, appointed by the Governor.

The President of Gun Owners of New Hampshire, or designee.

A representative of the Injury Prevention Center at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center.

A representative of the New Hampshire School Boards Association.

A representative from the New Hampshire School Administrators Association.

A representative from the New Hampshire Association of School Principals.

A representative from the New Hampshire Congress of Parents and Teachers, Inc.

A pediatrician from the New Hampshire Medical Society.

A representative from the New Hampshire Firearms Safety Coalition.

A representative from New Hampshire Cease Fire.

A high school student from each of the 5 regions of the New Hampshire School Administrators Association, selected by the chairperson of that region.

A representative from New Hampshire Educators for Social Responsibility.

A representative of a firearms manufacturer, appointed by the Governor.

A federally licensed firearm dealer, appointed by the Governor.

Five members of the general public, 3 of whom shall be mental health practitioners specializing in child and adolescent mental health, and one of whom shall be a representative of the New Hampshire Council of Churches, all to be appointed by the Governor.

SB 180 (Chapter 83:2, Laws of 1999) – IMPROVEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN NEW HAMPSHIRE FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

Sens. Rick A. Trombly, John A. King and Mary E. Brown, appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Russell D. Bridle, Jane P. Kelley and Nancy C. Wall, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SB 209 (Chapter 329:2, Laws of 1999) – SUPERIOR COURT JUSTICES STUDY

Sens. Edward M. Gordon (Judiciary), Rick A. Trombly (Judiciary) and Mark D. Fernald (Judiciary), appointed by the President of the Senate.

Reps. Robert H. Rowe (Judiciary), Phyllis L. Woods (Judiciary) and Janet G. Wall (Judiciary), appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

STATUTORY COMMITTEES

RSA 126-A:17 (repealed and reenacted by HB 438, Chapter 184, Laws of 1999) – ADVISORY COUNCIL ON CHILD CARE

Rep. Lionel W. Johnson, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sen. Mary E. Brown, appointed by the President of the Senate.

The President of the New Hampshire Child Care Association, or designee.

The President of the New Hampshire Family Child Care Association, or designee.

One individual representing the interests of school age child care, appointed by Plus Time NH.

The President of the New Hampshire Child Care Resource and Referral Network, or designee.

The President of the New Hampshire Association for the Education of Young Children, or designee.

Dr. Selma Deitch, Manchester, designee of the President of the New Hampshire American Academy of Pediatrics.

The Chair of the New Hampshire Head Start Directors Association, or designee.

One individual representing the concerns of the business community relative to child care services, appointed by the Business and Industry Association.

Three individuals who are consumers of child care services, appointed by the Governor. To the extent possible, economic, cultural, and geographical diversity shall be maintained among these at-large appointees, with one residing in a city, one residing in a town with a population in excess of 5,000 persons, and one residing in a town with fewer than 5,000 persons. One consumer appointee shall have a child with a disability who attends a child care program.

Professor Susan Morison, Concord, appointed by the Commissioner of the New Hampshire Regional Community-Technical College System.

One representative of the University System of New Hampshire whose area of expertise is early childhood education, appointed by the Chancellor of the University System of NewHampshire.

One representative of the Department of Education, appointed by the Commissioner of Education. The representative shall have nonvoting status for votes pertaining to the Department of Education matters.

RSA 126-M:3 (established by SB 223, Chapter 276:1, Laws of 1999) – WELLNESS AND PRIMARY PREVENTION COUNCIL

Four members appointed by the Governor, at least one of whom shall be an approved service provider and one of whom shall be a medical provider.

Rep. Barbara C. French, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sen. Katherine W. Wheeler, appointed by the Senate President.

Four members appointed by the Governor from geographically distinct family resource centers, at least 2 of whom shall be parents or consumers and one who shall be the director of a family resource center.

The Commissioner of Health and Human Services, or designee.

The Commissioner of the Department of Education, or designee.

The Administrative Judge of the District Court, or designee.

The Attorney General, or designee.

One member who is a representative of the Governor's Kids' Cabinet, appointed by the Governor.

Two members representing county government, one of whom shall be a human services administrator, appointed by the New Hampshire Association of Counties.

RSA 198:49 (established by HB 117, Chapter 17:41, Laws of 1999) – ADEQUATE EDUCATION AND EDUCATION FINANCING COMMISSION

Reps. Neal M. Kurk, David W. Hess, Jane O'Hearn, Robert E. Clegg, Jr. and Iris W. Estabrook, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sens. Caroline McCarley, George F. Disnard, Lou D'Allesandro, Sylvia B. Larsen and James W. Squires, appointed by the Senate President.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO THE COMMISSION

Four members appointed by the Governor, one of whom shall be an elementary or secondary special education teacher, one of whom shall be a primary teacher who does not teach special education, and one of whom shall be a member of the business community.

The Chancellor of the University System of New Hampshire or designee.

The Commissioner of the Regional Community-Technical College System, or designee.

One member from the State Board of Education, appointed by the Chairperson of the State Board of Education.

Eight members who shall be agreed to and jointly appointed by the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of

the House consisting of the following:

One local school board member, with the advice of the New Hampshire School Boards Association.

One school administrator, with the advice of the New Hampshire School Administrators Association.

One special education administrator at the elementary or secondary school level, with the advice of the New Hampshire Association of Special Education Administrators.

Two parents of school-age children, one of whom shall be the parent of a child with an educational disability.

One member from the business community, who shall be associated with a School Initiative program.

One school business official, with the advice of the New Hampshire Association of School Business Officials.

One member from a special education advocacy organization.

RSA 201-A:27 (established by HB 670, Chapter 238:1, Laws of 1999) – WEBSTER INTERNET SITE ADVISORY BOARD

Rep. Sylvia A. Holley, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sen. James W. Squires, appointed by the Senate President.

Hon. Larry M. Smukler, appointed by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

The State Librarian, or designee

Thomas N. Towle, Director of Information Technology Management.

The State Archivist, or designee.

One member representing the Governor's Office, appointed by the Governor.

One public member, appointed by the Governor, who shall be an end user of the information available on Webster.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

MONDAY, AUGUST 9

AMBULATORY SURGICAL FACILITIES STUDY (HB 545, Chapter 235:2, Laws of 1999), Room 205, LOB

10:00 a.m. Organizational meeting.

LICENSURE OF RADIOGRAPHERS AND RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS STUDY (SB 60, Chapter 96:2, Laws of 1999), Room 104, LOB

1:30 p.m. Organizational meeting.

PERINATAL ALCOHOL TOBACCO AND OTHER DRUG USE TASK FORCE (RSA 132:19), Room 101, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 10

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

1:30 p.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 273-FN-LOCAL***, relative to annual grants for school building aid.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Room 301, LOB

10:00 a.m. Real estate tax subcommittee work session on **HB 285**, providing that equalized value of property in small towns be calculated as a multi-year average, **HB 507-LOCAL**, relative to the taxability of certain appurtenant land to a taxable building, **HB 641-LOCAL**, clarifying the value of public utility property for property tax purposes and **SB 76-L**, allowing certain municipalities to offer tax exemptions to foster commercial and industrial construction.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11

ADOPTION IN NEW HAMPSHIRE STUDY (HB 58, Chapter 40:2, Laws of 1999), Room 206, LOB

10:00 a.m. Organizational meeting.

COMMUNITY-TECHNICAL EDUCATION COMMISSION STATUS STUDY (SB 503, Chapter 272:36, Laws of 1998), Room 306, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

CURRENT PRACTICE OF POSTING ROADS AND ITS EFFECT ON THE ECONOMY STUDY (HB 365, Chapter 36:2, Laws of 1999), Room 201, LOB

9:00 a.m. Organizational meeting.

MERCURY SOURCE REDUCTION AND RECYCLING ISSUES STUDY (HB 340, Chapter 71:2, Laws of 1999), Room 303, LOB

11:00 a.m. Organizational meeting.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Room 301, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 71-FN-LOCAL**, relative to authorizing agreements for the determination of each municipality's share of county costs, **HB 226-LOCAL**, establishing municipality bond payment schedules and percentages, **HB 521-LOCAL**, exempting initial bond issues from the 10 percent limitation on exceeding appropriations recommended by the budget committee and **SB 86**, relative to enforcement of the collection and payment of county taxes by the county treasurer.

11:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 209**, relative to authorizing the consideration of traditional village patterns in local zoning ordinances, **HB 391**, establishing a village plan alternative in zoning and land use planning laws, and **HB 446-LOCAL**, subjecting certain land in the town of Newport to local land use regulations.

2:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 569**, relative to the tax credit for service-connected total disability, **HB 595-LOCAL**, enabling municipalities to grant the elderly property tax exemption to an additional person in a household, **HB 696-FN-LOCAL**, relative to the taxation of land held by municipalities for water supply purposes and **SB 89-L**, relative to library trustees.

PET OVERPOPULATION STUDY (RSA 437-A), Room 102, LOB

1:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 12

CAPITAL BUDGET OVERVIEW COMMITTEE (RSA 17-J:2), Room 201, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 13

WORKERS' COMPENSATION ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 281-A:62), Room 308, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

MONDAY, AUGUST 16

OIL FUND DISBURSEMENT (RSA 146-D:4), Room 305, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting and hearing.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 17

ISSUES RELATING TO THE DEAF COMMUNITY STUDY (HB 456, Chapter 144:2, Laws of 1999), Room 303, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

PROBLEMS AND POSSIBLE REGULATION OF OUTDOOR LIGHTING (HB 727, Chapter 146:2, Laws of 1999), Room 103, State House

1:00 p.m. Organizational meeting.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18

EDUCATION, Room 303, LOB

10:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 514-LOCAL***, establishing open enrollment provisions in the school districts of the state. (Please note time and room change.)

FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS AMONG HOSPITALS, HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS, AND INSURANCE COMPANIES STUDY (HB 82, Chapter 155:2, Laws of 1999), Room 302, LOB

10:00 a.m. Organizational meeting.

FISCAL COMMITTEE (RSA 14:30-a), Rooms 210-211, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular business.

9:30 a.m. Audit: State of New Hampshire Year 2000 computing crisis update. Special report August 1999.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Room 301, LOB

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 19

ELECTION LAW, Room 308, LOB

9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **CACR 5**, relating to voting and elective rights of incarcerated felons. Providing that no felon, from the time of conviction until final discharge of sentence, shall vote in an election, become a candidate, or hold public office.

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

JUDICIARY, Room 303, LOB

10:00 a.m. Judicial reform subcommittee organizational meeting on **CACR 2**, relating to supreme court rules. Providing that supreme court rules shall be subject to review and approval by a special legislative committee, **CACR 22**, relative to 7-year terms for state judges. Providing that all state judges appointed on or after January 1, 2001 be commissioned for 7-year terms, which may be renewed, **HB 53**, establishing a process for reviewing judges and **HB 568**, establishing a review panel to review judicial officers.

MAINTENANCE OF VOTER CHECKLISTS STUDY (HB 227, Chapter 11:2, Laws of 1999), Room 308, LOB

11:00 a.m. Organizational meeting.

UPDATING NEW HAMPSHIRE LAWS RELATED TO FENCES STUDY, (HB 1154, Chapter 62:1, Laws of 1998), Room 306, LOB

9:30 a.m. Regular meeting.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 20

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2), Rooms 306-308, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

MONDAY, AUGUST 23

NEW PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP TO CONSERVE NEW HAMPSHIRE'S NATURAL, CULTURAL, AND HISTORICAL RESOURCES FEASIBILITY STUDY COMMISSION (SB 493, Chapter 161:2, Laws of 1998), Room 308, LOB

1:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 24

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, Room 204, LOB

1:00 p.m. Rescheduled subcommittee organizational meeting on **HB 254-LOCAL**, relative to restricting the fire marshal's authority in certain municipalities, **HB 282-FN-A**, relative to bomb dogs and making an appropriation therefor, **HB 312**, restricting the carrying of firearms in courthouses, **HB 478**, prohibiting smoking in all areas of prisons and **HB 631-FN**, authorizing the department of safety to issue photographic identification cards to persons required to have criminal background checks for employment or other lawful purposes.

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Consultant selection subcommittee meeting.

ISSUES RELATING TO THE DEAF COMMUNITY STUDY (HB 456, Chapter 144:2, Laws of 1999), Room 205, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

YOUTH TOBACCO USE PREVENTION AND EDUCATION STUDY (HB 369, Chapter 258:2, Laws of 1999), Room 208, LOB

10:00 a.m. Organizational meeting.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, Room 204, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee organizational meeting on **HB 522**, relative to the public's access to sex offender registry information, **HB 683-FN**, requiring teachers and school administrators to report incidents of disruptive behavior by students, **HB 713-FN**, relative to penalties for multiple DWI offenses, **SB 88-FN**, relative to penalties for third driving while intoxicated offenses and **SB 143**, relative to penalties for incest.

1:00 p.m. Subcommittee organizational meeting on **HB 202**, legalizing the possession and cultivation of marijuana for medicinal purposes, **HB 359**, establishing a committee to study the rights of a private citizen to pursue a criminal investigation if he or she believes it is not being pursued vigorously, **HB 427**, relative to the laws requiring a prescription to possess hypodermic needles and modifying the drug paraphernalia laws applying to syringes and **SB 29-L**, relative to the proper sheltering of dogs.

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Consultant selection subcommittee meeting.

FIELD ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES RELATIVE TO CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES STUDY (SB 65, Chapter 29:2, Laws of 1999), Rooms 306-308, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

ISSUES RELATED TO INVESTIGATIONS, TRIALS, CONVICTIONS, AND SENTENCING OF SEX OFFENDERS STUDY (HB 357, Chapter 89:2, Laws of 1999), Room 202, LOB

10:00 a.m. Organizational meeting.

NEGOTIATED RISK AGREEMENTS WHEN PATIENTS DESIRE TO REMAIN IN A FACILITY OVER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES STUDY (HB 307, Chapter 24:2, Laws of 1999), Room 205, LOB

10:00 a.m. Organizational meeting.

TAX EQUITY AND EFFICIENCY COMMISSION (HB 117, Chapter 17:55, Laws of 1999), Room 102, LOB

1:00 p.m. Organizational meeting.

USES OF THE WHITE MOUNTAIN NATIONAL FOREST STUDY (HB 431, Chapter 142:2, Laws of 1999), Room 305, LOB

10:00 a.m. Organizational meeting.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 26

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Consultant selection subcommittee meeting.

SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS AT THE US ROUTE 1 TRAFFIC CIRCLE IN THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH STUDY (SB 42, Chapter 95:2, Laws of 1999), Room 101, LOB

10:00 a.m. Organizational meeting.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 27

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Consultant selection subcommittee meeting.

MONDAY, AUGUST 30

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Consultant selection subcommittee meeting.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Consultant selection subcommittee meeting.

ISSUES RELATING TO THE DEAF COMMUNITY STUDY (HB 456, Chapter 144:2, Laws of 1999), Room 205, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 514-LOCAL***, establishing open enrollment provisions in the school districts of the state.

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Consultant selection subcommittee meeting.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Consultant selection subcommittee meeting.

JUDICIARY, Room 208, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 575***, limiting railroad liability for passenger and tourist rail service.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Consultant selection subcommittee meeting.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

ELECTRIC UTILITY RESTRUCTURING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374-F:5), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

JUDICIARY, Room 208, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 575***, limiting railroad liability for passenger and tourist rail service.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY WAITLIST FUND ALLOCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, (RSA 171-A:1-b), Room 201, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON ELDERLY AFFAIRS (RSA 17-H:2), Rooms 201-203, LOB

1:00 p.m. Regular meeting and joint meeting with the State Committee on Aging.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 514-LOCAL***, establishing open enrollment provisions in the school districts of the state.

WILDLIFE AND MARINE RESOURCES, Room 307, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 280-FN***, establishing a point system for the annual moose permit lottery.

11:00 a.m. Ad hoc crossbow study committee.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

JUDICIARY, Room 208, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 575***, limiting railroad liability for passenger and tourist rail service.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

WILDLIFE AND MARINE RESOURCES, Room 307, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 280-FN***, establishing a point system for the annual moose permit lottery.

11:00 a.m. Ad hoc crossbow study committee.

OFFICIAL NOTICES

Pursuant to RSA 326-B:12, the Joint Health Council will meet at the NH Board of Nursing, Room 17, 78 Regional Drive, Building 2, Concord, on Monday, August 23 at 5:30 p.m.

Karen O. Wadsworth, Clerk of the House

A reminder to Representatives to continue checking your mail slots at the rear of Representatives Hall throughout the summer and fall when you are in Concord. Also, the last two Senate Journals have been placed in your seatpockets.

Rob Johnson, Sergeant-at-Arms

Copies of the 2000-2001 Operating Budget are now available in the Sergeant-at-Arms Office.

Rob Johnson, Sergeant-at-Arms

Softbound volumes of the 1998 Session Laws are now available for those who signed up for them in the Office of Legislative Services, Room 109, State House. There are a number of extra volumes available to House and Senate members on a first come, first serve basis.

Richard E. Amidon, Director

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New members should have received a questionnaire regarding the New Hampshire OWLS book for all women legislators for the 20th century. Please complete and return as soon as possible or the committee will just list your name. Your cooperation is vital to this project.

Rep. Betsy McKinney

Members who are interested in receiving testimony in the PSNH Settlement may request it in the following way. Write a letter to Assistant Secretary, Claire Diccio at the Public Utilities Commission, 8 Old Suncook Road, Concord, New Hampshire 03301-7319. In that letter state that you are seeking intervention status in the PSNH Settlement Docket when it is established or in Docket #DR-96-150 which is the general docket for electric utility restructuring. When you seek intervention status, you will receive all testimony and filings that the Public Utilities Commission receives (a lot). You may also receive the testimony or make a statement to the Commission at a public hearing. Please call me with any questions at 569-2295.

Rep. Jeb E. Bradley

The Strafford County Democratic Party Family Picnic will be held on Sunday, August 8 at Swains Lake in Barrington. The picnic will take place at the home of Anne and Steve Whitney, 260 France Road, from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. The public is invited. Tickets are being sold for contributions of \$5 per adult, \$3 per child, or \$15 for families. Food, games and swimming will be available, and a lifeguard will be on duty lakeside. Tickets and directions for the event can be obtained by calling Barrington Democratic Committee Chair Rep. Marlene DeChane at 335-0860, County Democratic Committee Chair Carole Appel at 749-7344, Jim McGranaghan at 332-4351, or Anne Whitney at 664-5515. Picnic arrangements have been made by the Barrington Democratic Committee in cooperation with the Strafford County Democratic Committee.

Rep. Marlene DeChane

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