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COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE STATEMENT

HOUSE BILL

CORRECTED STATEMENT

HB 1314, relative to approval of changes to a capital budget project.

The bill's original provision would require that any changes to the plan, location, or design of a capital budget project, after the project has been approved, be ratified by the capital budget overview committee rather than the long range capital planning and utilization committee as is now done. There were no changes in this provision. The conferees agreed with the provision added by the Senate that a sum of \$1,279,529 would be appropriated to the Milford School District for the construction of kindergarten classrooms. The state is currently paying \$150,000 per year for portable classrooms in Milford. This sum would come from unexpended funds appropriated in the 2009 capital budget for asbestos abatement at the Hillsborough County Courthouse. The courthouse project came in under budget. The conferees also agreed to appropriate one-half of the cost, up to \$125,000, as part of the state's share to repair Manchester's Dorr's Pond Dam, which overflows and floods residences and commercial establishments, in part, due to water flowing into it from nearby state-owned Goldfish Pond. The City of Manchester would be responsible for the rest of the repairs. While the \$125,000 is a new capital item to be bonded, the \$550,000 for bonding of Goldfish Pond in the current capital budget will be lapsed. The net effect of this section is \$425,000 less being bonded by the State of New Hampshire in this biennium.

Rep. John R. Cloutier