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COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE STATEMENTS

SENATE BILLS

CORRECTED STATEMENT

SB 181-FN-A, repealing the transfer of liquor enforcement to the department of safety and establishing a committee to study the administrative structure and adjudicative process at the liquor commission.

The existing House position transfers liquor enforcement to the department of safety on July 1, 2011 and establishes a committee to study the administrative structure and adjudicative process at the liquor commission. The House and Senate conferees agreed with the House position with two changes: 1) The House position already transfers enforcement. The operations of liquor licensing and education will also move to the department of safety as of July 1, 2011. 2) The final report of the study committee established in the bill will be November 1, 2010. The first change will ensure cost effectiveness and efficiency by keeping the three major operations, enforcement, licensing and education together. The second change, the more timely reporting date, coupled with the delay, will allow the new legislature the time and information to file legislation regarding the proposed move and/or other changes regarding the structure of the liquor commission.

Rep. Linda T. Foster

CORRECTED STATEMENT

SB 520-FN-L, relative to school district liability for special education costs.

The conferees agreed to accept SB 520 as passed by the House. This bill is intended to clarify the responsibility for special education liability for students placed out of district by a parent or custodian rather than by the resident district. The bill clarifies that a child's resident district retains responsibility for special education costs. However, it is not the intent of the bill that resident districts be responsible for special education costs for parentally-placed out-of-district students if the resident district has not participated in the identification or IEP of the student and has not entered an agreement to accept those costs. The nondiscrimination section of the bill (RSA 193:3, 2 IV (d)) is not intended to guarantee admission for a student who is not otherwise qualified, for example to an honors program

Rep. Kimberly S. Casey

HOUSE BILL

HB 1490, establishing a citizens task force to study state revenues and expenditures.

The House agreed to the Senate amendment which is to give the citizens task force the ability to take grants and donations to fund their work, and both sides agreed to two further amendments. One changes the reporting date of the task force to March 31st every four years, to avoid problems

with executive staff assistance. The other appends on to the bill the content of HB 1613, relative to the general banking laws of the state, which fell victim to the vagaries of the committee of conference process but which passed the House (twice) and the Senate on voice votes.

Rep. Susan W. Almy