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The House assembled at 10:00 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker.

His Excellency, Governor John H. Lynch, joined the Speaker on the rostrum for the day's opening ceremonies.

Prayer was offered by House Chaplain, Reverend Jared A. Rardin, Pastor of the South Congregational Church in Concord.

Good Morning and Happy New Year! It is an honor for me to be back with you here in this Hall and I bring you warm greetings from my congregation at South Congregational Church here in Concord. Although I come to this task as a person of Christian faith, I celebrate the fact that we are a people of diverse faiths. For that reason, my hope each time I stand here is that even if my prayers do not speak for you, they will speak to you. O God, on this first day of our work together, we pause first to give thanks for the blessings we have known in our lives. Although many of us here in this room have known struggle and sadness, each of us have been blessed with things many in this world do not have. You have entrusted to many of us health, good fortune and material possessions beyond our need. Guide us that we may bestow on others at least as much blessing as we have received. And, as we sit today side by side, cell phone by cell phone, guide us and inspire us to lead to the very best of our ability; to call forth our deepest humanity and all the grace and justice it requires and to see that we all share flaws and strengths and that it is in being together and working together that we best honor those whom You call us to serve. Be with the people of Newtown, CT that this year may bring to them a small measure of hope and courage and be with the people of New Hampshire; the happy and the sad, the poor and the rich, the lost and the found and all of us somewhere in between. In Your Holy name we pray. Amen.

Representative Henry Parkhurst, member from Winchester, led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representatives Sad and Weber, members from Walpole, led the singing of the National Anthem.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Reps. Ronald Belanger, Bishop, Burke, LaPlante, Mary Nelson, Russell Ober and Amy Perkins, the day, illness. Reps. Azarian, Dobson, Schuett, Jeffrey Shackett, Todd Smith and Daniel Sullivan, the day, important business. Rep. Lawrence Perkins, the day, illness in the family.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Joan and Reverend Andrew Nelson, wife and son of Rep. Bill Nelson. The Honorable David Welch, former member from Kingston, guest of Reps. Pantelakos and Shurtleff. Vincent Paul Migliore, guest of Rep. Suzanne Smith. Carol Drysdale, daughter of Rep. Higgins.

COMMUNICATION

December 19, 2012

Ms. Karen Wadsworth
Clerk of the House of Representatives
State House
Concord, NH 03301

Dear Karen:

Please be advised that the following representatives-elect were sworn into office by the Governor and Executive Council on this day:

Cheshire District No. 11 (Fitzwilliam, Rindge)

Susan Emerson, r, Rindge (PO Box 646, Rindge) 03461

Cheshire District No. 14 (Dublin, Fitzwilliam, Harrisville, Jaffrey, Rindge, Roxbury)
Harry L. Young, d, Jaffrey (125 Jaquith Road) 03452

Grafton District No. 9 (Alexandria, Ashland, Bridgewater, Bristol, Grafton)
Harold T. Reilly, r, Alexandria (1684 Ragged Mtn Hwy, Hill) 03243

Hillsborough District No. 2 (Deering, Weare)
Gary S. Hopper, r, Weare (107 Buxton School Road) 03281

Hillsborough District 13 (Manchester Ward 6)
William J. Infantine, r, Manchester (89 Winward Lane) 03104

Hillsborough District No. 22 (Amherst)
Peter T. Hansen, r, Amherst (82 Amherst Road) 03031

Hillsborough District No. 35 (Nashua Ward 8)
Roland H. LaPlante, d, Nashua (4 Midhurst road) 03062

Hillsborough District No. 35 (Nashua Ward 8)
Mary S. Nelson, d, Nashua (18 Stanley Lane) 03062

Sincerely,
William M. Gardner, Secretary of State

MOTION TO SUSPEND HOUSE RULES

Reps. Shurtleff and Chandler moved that all House Rules necessary be so far suspended to allow introduction and consideration at the present time of **HB 101**, relative to calculation of the local tax cap by the Newfound area school district, and if passed, allow for immediate third reading.
Adopted by the necessary two-thirds vote.

RESOLUTION

Reps. Shurtleff and Chandler offered the following: RESOLVED, that House Bill numbered 101 shall be by this resolution read a first and second time by the therein listed title.
Adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILL

First, second reading

HB 101, relative to calculation of the local tax cap by the Newfound area school district.

CONSIDERATION OF HB 101

HB 101, relative to calculation of the local tax cap by the Newfound area school district. **OUGHT TO PASS:**
Reps. Gary B. Richardson and Rep. Lynne Ober for the committee. This bill provides that the local tax cap calculated under RSA 32:5-b for the Newfound Area School District, which is comprised of seven towns in three counties, shall not include the previous fiscal year lapsed balances brought forward. This will apply only to the FY 2014 budget. The Newfound Area School District is the only district to adopt this tax cap, which became law in July, 2011. As the district prepared the FY 2014 budget, it became evident that an unintended consequence of the recently adopted cap would allow them to raise fewer tax dollars than the year before. The tax cap approved by the District requires that the recommended budget “shall not exceed the local taxes raised for the prior year” by more than 2%. At the heart of the matter was a \$700,000 surplus in FY 2013 which the district chose to use to offset the tax rate rather than encumber and spend the surplus dollars. Had they spent the surplus, there would be no need for this bill, but they did not. Because the tax cap applies to taxes “raised”, the recommended budget would have to be \$700,000 less than what was actually spent the previous year. While the school district agreed that they adopted the cap to control budgetary growth, they did not adopt it to force additional mandatory cuts. The previous year’s budget was cut ten percent with a reduction of 15.3 teachers. Then with a mild winter, bids on many commodities, including electricity, the district had a large surplus, but could not absorb the loss of additional tax revenue without significantly damaging student programming. The committee heard testimony that a bill to find a permanent change for this unintended consequence of the cap was filed for the upcoming session. As a result, this bill would be needed once for this one school district. Based on extensive testimony the committee felt an exemption for FY 2014 should be passed because no school district should be penalized by a recently discovered flaw in new legislation.
Reps. Susanne Smith and Lynne Ober spoke in favor.
Rep. Ladd spoke in favor and yielded to questions.
Committee report adopted and ordered to third reading.

RESOLUTION

Rep. Shurtleff moved that **HB 101**, relative to calculation of the local tax cap by the Newfound area school district, be read a third time and passed at the present time.
Adopted.

THIRD READING AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 101, relative to calculation of the local tax cap by the Newfound area school district.

RESOLUTION

Reps. Shurtleff and Chandler offered the following: RESOLVED, that the House of Representatives inform the Honorable Senate it is ready to meet in Joint Convention for the purpose of canvassing the votes for Governor and Executive Council.

Adopted.

SENATE MESSAGE

The Senate is now ready to meet with the Honorable House of Representatives in Joint Convention for the purpose of canvassing the votes for Governor and Executive Council.

JOINT CONVENTION
(Speaker Norelli presiding)

RESOLUTION

Rep. Shurtleff and Sen. Bradley offered the following: RESOLVED, that the Honorable Secretary of State be requested to lay before the Joint Convention the return votes for Governor and Executive Council.

Adopted.

In accordance with Article 42, Part 2 of the New Hampshire Constitution, David M. Scanlan, Deputy Secretary of State, appeared before the Joint Convention and presented the return votes for Governor and the Executive Council cast in the General Election held November 6, 2012 as follows:

FOR GOVERNOR

	Maggie Hassan, d	Ovide Lamontagne, r	John J. Babiarez, lib
Belknap	16,756	15,702	821
Carroll	14,339	12,893	664
Cheshire	25,136	13,490	1,228
Coos	8,929	6,069	359
Grafton	29,412	16,476	1,587
Hillsborough	104,547	90,621	5,749
Merrimack	46,037	31,127	1,887
Rockingham	84,287	77,095	4,358
Strafford	37,120	23,387	1,831
Sullivan	<u>12,371</u>	<u>8,166</u>	<u>737</u>
TOTALS	378,934	295,026	19,251

Maggie Hassan, having a plurality of 83,908 votes, was elected.

FOR EXECUTIVE COUNCILORS**First District**

Raymond S. Burton, r	75,974
Beth Funicella, d	50,617
Howard L. Wilson, lib	<u>6,403</u>
Plurality for Burton	25,357

Second District

Colin Van Ostern, d	71,300
Michael J. Tierney, r	<u>51,590</u>
Plurality for Van Ostern	19,710

Third District

Christopher Sununu, r	75,856
Bill Duncan, d	55,432
Michael J. Baldassarre, lib	<u>6,182</u>
Plurality for Sununu	20,424

Fourth District

Christopher Pappas, d	63,641
Robert Burns, r	50,907
Kenneth E. Blevens, lib	<u>5,705</u>
Plurality for Pappas	12,734

Fifth District

Debora B. Pignatelli, d	67,216
David K. Wheeler, r	<u>60,896</u>
Plurality for Pignatelli	6,320

RESOLUTION

Rep. Shurtleff and Sen. Bradley offered the following: **RESOLVED**, that the vote for Governor and Executive Council be referred to a committee consisting of two on the part of the Senate and three on the part of the House to compare and count the same and report thereon.

Adopted.

The Chair appointed Reps. Kaen, Shurtleff and Chandler and Sens. Bradley and Larsen.

Rep. Shurtleff and Sen. Bradley moved that the Joint Convention arise.

Adopted.

The Joint Convention adjourned.

HOUSE SESSION

The Speaker reconvened the House Session.

Rep. Shurtleff moved the adoption of the amendment to House Rules, as proposed by the Rules Committee and as printed in the House Calendar.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE RULES

Proposed by the Rules Committee.

Amend the first sentence of Rule 4 to read as follows:

The Speaker shall refer all bills, resolutions, memorials, accounts and other matters coming before the House to the appropriate committee.

Amend Rule 18 to read as follows:

Before any petition is received and read, the substance of the petition shall be in concise form, the name of the member(s) presenting it shall be recorded on the petition, and a summary of the substance of the petition shall be printed in the House Calendar. The Clerk of the House shall state the substance of the petition in summary and a copy shall be placed on file with the House Clerk.

Amend the first sentence of Rule 20 (b) to read as follows:

A motion to lay on the table a Constitutional Amendment Concurrent Resolution shall require a majority vote.

Amend Rule 30 as follows:

Delete reference to the committee on Constitutional Review and Statutory Recodification and the committee on Redress of Grievances from the introductory paragraph. Also delete 30(c) and 30(q), duties of those committees. Delete 30(n) (1), 30(n) (2) and 30(n) (3), subcommittees of the Committee on Legislative Administration.

Amend Rule 57(b) 3 & 4 to read as follows:

3. Personal privilege in accordance with Mason's Manual of Legislative Procedure, Sec. 220-226, 2010 edition.

4. Unanimous consent granted in accordance with Mason's Manual of Legislative Procedure, Sec. 537, 2010 edition.

Amend the first sentence of Rule 63 to read as follows:

No person, including members of the House, except law enforcement officers while actively engaged in carrying out their duties as such, shall carry or have in possession any deadly weapon as defined in RSA 625:11, V, while in the House Chamber, anterooms, cloakrooms, or any portion of the State House adjacent to any of the above.

Amend Rule 64 to read as follows:

The procedures of the New Hampshire House shall be derived from the following sources in the order of precedence listed:

Constitutional provisions.

Rules of the New Hampshire House.

Custom, usage and precedent.

Adopted parliamentary manual (Mason's Manual of Legislative Procedure, 2010 edition).

Statutory provisions.

Amend Rule 66 to read as follows:

No subpoena shall issue except by majority vote of the entire House Membership and upon the signature of the Speaker. The Committee on Rules shall determine the form of subpoenas and subpoenas *duces tecum* and specify conditions, if any, with regard to the issuance and use of such subpoenas.

Amend Rule 65 to read as follows:

Legislative action for the biennium shall be subject to the following deadlines:

First Year Session Deadline Dates

Friday, January 11, 2013

Last day to sign off all House Bills.

Friday, February 1, 2013

Last day to Introduce House Bills. Last day to amend rules by majority vote.

Thursday, February 21, 2013

Last day to report House Bills going to a second committee.

Thursday, February 28, 2013

Last day to act on House Bills going to a second committee.

Thursday, March 7, 2013	Last day to report House Bills not in a second committee, except budget bills.
Thursday, March 14, 2013	Last day to act on House Bills not in a second committee, except budget bills.
Thursday, March 21, 2013	Last day to report all House Bills, except budget bills. Last day to report list of retained House Bills.
Thursday, March 28, 2013	Last day to report budget bills. Last Day to act on all House Bills, except budget bills.
Thursday April 4, 2013	CROSSOVER - Last day to act on budget bills.
Thursday, May 2, 2013	Last day to report Senate Bills going to a second committee.
Thursday, May 9, 2013	Last day to act on Senate Bills going to a second committee.
Thursday, May 30, 2013	Last day to report all remaining Senate Bills. Last day to report list of retained Senate Bills.
Thursday, June 6, 2013	Last day to act on Senate Bills.
Thursday, June 13, 2013	Last day to form Committees of Conference.
Thursday, June 20, 2013	Last day to sign Committee of Conference reports (4:00 pm).
Thursday, June 27, 2013	Last day to act on Committee of Conference reports.
Thursday, June 27, 2013	Last day to act on Committee of Conference reports.

MOTION TO DIVIDE

Rep. Jasper moved that the amendment to House Rules 4, 18, 30, 63 and 64 be divided from the remainder of the amendments to House Rules.

Reps. Jasper and Shurtleff spoke in favor.

Adopted.

The question being adoption of the remaining amendments to House Rules.

Rep. Gary Richardson spoke in favor and yielded to questions.

Adopted.

The question now being adoption of the amendment to House Rule 4.

Reps. Gary Richardson and Jasper spoke in favor and yielded to questions.

Adopted.

The question now being adoption of the amendment to House Rule 18.

Rep. Itse spoke against.

Rep. Gary Richardson spoke in favor and yielded to questions.

Rep. Baldasaro requested a roll call; sufficiently seconded.

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YEAS 264

BELKNAP

Arsenault, Beth
Holmes, Stephen

DiMartino, Lisa
Huot, David

Fields, Dennis
Raymond, Ian

Gulick, Ruth
Tilton, Franklin

CARROLL

Buco, Thomas
Crawford, Karel
Schmidt, Stephen

Butler, Edward
Lavender, Tom
Ticehurst, Susan

Chandler, Gene
McConkey, Mark
Umberger, Karen

Cordelli, Glenn
Merrow, Harry
White, Syndi

CHESHIRE

Ames, Richard
Chase, Cynthia
Lerandau, Alfred
Phillips, Larry
Shepardson, Marjorie
Young, Harry

Berch, Paul
Eaton, Daniel
Ley, Douglas
Roberts, Kris
Tatro, Bruce

Burridge, Delmar
Emerson, Susan
Mann, John
Robertson, Timothy
Weber, Lucy

Butynski, William
Johnsen, Gladys
Parkhurst, Henry
Sad, Tara
Weed, Charles

COOS

Coulombe, Gary
Richardson, Herbert

Hammon, Marcia
Theberge, Robert

Hatch, William
Thomas, Yvonne

Moynihan, Wayne

GRAFTON

Aguiar, James
Bradley, Lester
Friedrich, Carol
Ladd, Rick Jr

Almy, Susan
Brown, Rebecca
Gionet, Edmond
Lauer, Linda

Bailey, Brad
Cooney, Mary
Harding, Laurie
Lovett, Sid

Benn, Bernard
Ford, Susan
Higgins, Patricia
Massimilla, Linda

Mulholland, Catherine
Smith, Suzanne

Nordgren, Sharon
Sykes, George

Pastor, Beatriz
Townsend, Charles

Piper, Wendy
White, Andrew

HILLSBOROUGH

Backus, Robert
Boisvert, Ronald
Chandley, Shannon
DiSilvestro, Linda
Gale, Sylvia
Goley, Jeffrey
Hackel, Paul
Harriott-Gathright, Linda
Jasper, Shawn
Kelley, John
Leishman, Peter
Long, Patrick
McNamara, Richard
Porter, Marjorie
Rosenwald, Cindy
Shaw, Barbara
Sullivan, Peter
Vaillancourt, Steve
Winters, Joel

Barry, Richard
Booras, Efstathia
Connor, Evelyn
Eaton, Richard
Gargas, Carolyn
Gorman, Mary
Haefner, Robert
Heden, Ruth
Judy, Jean
Knowles, Mary Ann
Levasseur, Nickolas
MacKay, Mariellen
Murotake, David
Ramsey, Peter
Sanborn, Laurie
Smith, Timothy
Sweeney, Shawn
Walsh, Robert Jr
Woodbury, David

Beaulieu, Jane
Campbell, David
Cote, David
Flanagan, Jack
Garrity, Patrick
Grady, Brenda
Hammond, Jill
Hinch, Richard
Katsiantonis, George
Kopka, Angeline
LeVasseur, Richard
Manley, Jonathan Sr
O'Brien, Michael Sr
Rhodes, Brian
Schmidt, Janice
Soucy, Timothy
Takesian, Charlene
Warden, Mark

Belanger, James
Carroll, Douglas
Danielson, David
Gage, Ruth
Gidge, Kenneth
Graham, John
Hansberry, Daniel
Jack, Martin
Katsiantonis, Thomas
Kurk, Neal
Levesque, Melanie
McCloskey, David
Ober, Lynne
Rokas, Ted
Shattuck, Gilman
Spratt, Stephen
Vail, Suzanne
Williams, Kermit

MERRIMACK

Alicea, Caroletta
Burns, Scott
Ebel, Karen
Gile, Mary
Hunt, Jane
Kotowski, Frank
Myler, Mel
Richardson, Gary
Tilton, Joy
Watrous, Rick

Andrews, Christopher
Carey, Lorrie
Frambach, Mary
Henle, Paul
Karrick, David Jr
Lockwood, Priscilla
Patten, Dick
Rogers, Katherine
Turcotte, Alan
Webb, Leigh

Bartlett, Christy
Carson, Clyde
Frazer, June
Hess, David
Kelly, Sally
MacKay, James
Ratzki, Mario
Schamberg, Thomas
Wallner, Mary Jane

Bouchard, Candace
Davis, Frank
French, Barbara
Hirsch, Geoffrey
Kidder, David
Moffett, Howard
Rice, Chip
Shurtleff, Stephen
Walz, Mary Beth

ROCKINGHAM

Andrews-Ahearn, E. Elaine
Cahill, Michael
Danais, Romeo
Flockhart, Eileen
Helmstetter, Barbara
Mann, Maureen
Moody, Marcia
Pantelakos, Laura
Schlachman, Donna
Sytek, John
Whittemore, Lisa

Borden, David
Cali-Pitts, Jacqueline
Elliott, Robert
Friel, William
Hoelzel, Kathleen
McKinney, Betsy
Muns, Chris
Priestley, Anne
Sherman, Thomas
Till, Mary

Briden, Steven
Copeland, Timothy
Emerson-Brown, Rebecca
Griffin, Mary
Lovejoy, Patricia
McMahon, Charles
Nigrello, Robert
Sanders, Elisabeth
St.James, Kevin
Ward, Gerald

Burtis, Elizabeth
Cushing, Robert Jr
Ferrante, Beverly
Heffron, Frank
Lundgren, David
Milz, David
Oligny, Jeffrey
Scarlotta, Joe
Sweeney, Joe
Wazlaw, Brian

STRAFFORD

Baber, William
Gardner, Janice
Grossman, Kenneth
Kaen, Naida
Miller, David
Schmidt, Peter
Stevens, Audrey

Berube, Roger
Ginsburg, Philip
Hooper, Dorothea
Ketel, Stephen
Perry, Robert
Smith, Marjorie
Verschueren, James

Bixby, Peter
Grassie, Anne
Horriggan, Timothy
Malloy, Dennis
Rogers, Rose Marie
Spainhower, Dale
Wall, Janet

Burdwood, Greg
Gray, James
Hubbard, Pamela
Menear, H. Robert III
Rollo, Deanna
Spang, Judith
Ward, Kenneth

SULLIVAN

Cloutier, John
Grenier, James
Smith, Steven

Donovan, Thomas Jr
Irwin, Virginia
Sweeney, Cynthia

Gagnon, Raymond
O'Hearne, Andrew
Tanner, Linda

Gottling, Suzanne
Schmidt, Andrew

NAYS 109

BELKNAP

Burchell, Richard
Flanders, Donald
Vadney, Herbert

Comtois, Guy
Greemore, Robert Jr
Worsman, Colette

Cormier, Jane
Luther, Robert

Fink, Charles
Sylvia, Michael

CARROLL

Ahlgren, Christopher

Nelson, Bill

Wright, Donald

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Schmidt, Janice
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Winters, Joel

Barry, Richard
Campbell, David
Cote, David
Gale, Sylvia
Gorman, Mary
Hammond, Jill
Jack, Martin
Kelley, John
Leishman, Peter
MacKay, Mariellen
O'Brien, Michael Sr
Rokas, Ted
Shattuck, Gilman
Spratt, Stephen
Vaillancourt, Steve
Woodbury, David

Beaulieu, Jane
Carroll, Douglas
DiSilvestro, Linda
Gargas, Carolyn
Grady, Brenda
Hansberry, Daniel
Judy, Jean
Knowles, Mary Ann
Levasseur, Nickolas
Manley, Jonathan Sr
Porter, Marjorie
Rosenwald, Cindy
Shaw, Barbara
Sullivan, Peter
Walsh, Robert Jr

Boisvert, Ronald
Chandlee, Shannon
Eaton, Richard
Garrry, Patrick
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Ramsey, Peter
Rowe, Robert
Smith, Timothy
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Karrick, David Jr
MacKay, James
Ratzki, Mario
Schamberg, Thomas
Wallner, Mary Jane

Andrews, Christopher
Carey, Lorrie
Frambach, Mary
Henle, Paul
Kelly, Sally
Moffett, Howard
Rice, Chip
Shurtleff, Stephen
Walz, Mary Beth

Bartlett, Christy
Carson, Clyde
Frazer, June
Hirsch, Geoffrey
Kidder, David
Myler, Mel
Richardson, Gary
Tilton, Joy
Watrous, Rick

Bouchard, Candace
Davis, Frank
French, Barbara
Hunt, Jane
Lockwood, Priscilla
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Rogers, Katherine
Turcotte, Alan
Webb, Leigh

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Cahill, Michael
Elliott, Robert
Flockhart, Eileen
Lovejoy, Patricia
Muns, Chris
Schlachman, Donna
Wazlaw, Brian

Borden, David
Cali-Pitts, Jacqueline
Emerson-Brown, Rebecca
Hayes, Jack
Mann, Maureen
Nigrello, Robert
Sherman, Thomas
Whittemore, Lisa

Briden, Steven
Copeland, Timothy
Ferrante, Beverly
Heffron, Frank
McKinney, Betsy
Pantelakos, Laura
Till, Mary

Burtis, Elizabeth
Cushing, Robert Jr
Fesh, Robert
Helmstetter, Barbara
Moody, Marcia
Scarlott, Joe
Ward, Gerald

STRAFFORD

Baber, William
Gardner, Janice
Hooper, Dorothea
Ketel, Stephen
Perry, Robert
Smith, Marjorie
Verschuere, James

Berube, Roger
Ginsburg, Philip
Horrigan, Timothy
Malloy, Dennis
Rogers, Rose Marie
Spainhower, Dale
Wall, Janet

Bixby, Peter
Grassie, Anne
Hubbard, Pamela
Menear, H. Robert III
Rollo, Deanna
Spang, Judith
Ward, Kenneth

Burdwood, Greg
Grossman, Kenneth
Kaen, Naida
Miller, David
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Burchell, Richard
Flanders, Donald
Sylvia, Michael

Comtois, Guy
Greemore, Robert Jr
Tilton, Franklin

Cormier, Jane
Holmes, Stephen
Vadney, Herbert

Fink, Charles
Luther, Robert
Worsman, Colette

CARROLL

Ahlgren, Christopher
McConkey, Mark
Wright, Donald

Chandler, Gene
Nelson, Bill

Cordelli, Glenn
Schmidt, Stephen

Crawford, Karel
Umberger, Karen

CHESHIRE

Hunt, John

COOS

Rappaport, Laurence

Rideout, Leon

GRAFTON

Bailey, Brad
Reilly, Harold Sr

Bradley, Lester

Doolan, Ralph Jr

Gionet, Edmond

HILLSBOROUGH

Belanger, James
Cebrowski, John
Daniels, Gary
Graham, John
Hopper, Gary
LeBrun, Donald
McCarthy, Michael
Murphy, Kelleigh
Ober, Lynne
Peterson, Lenette
Sandblade, Emily
Sweeney, Shawn
Willette, Robert

Boehm, Ralph
Christiansen, Lars
Danielson, David
Hansen, Peter
Infantine, William
LeVasseur, Richard
Meaney, Richard
Notter, Jeanine
Palmer, Stephen
Pratt, Calvin
Souza, Kathleen
Ulery, Jordan

Burt, John
Coffey, James
Flanagan, Jack
Hikel, John
Jasper, Shawn
Marston, Dick
Murotake, David
O'Brien, William
Parison, James
Renzullo, Andrew
Straight, Philip
Villeneuve, Moe

Byron, Frank
Culbert, Patrick
Gagne, Larry
Hinch, Richard
Lambert, George
Martel, Andre
Murphy, Keith
O'Flaherty, Tim
Pellegrino, Tony
Sanborn, Laurie
Stroud, Kathleen
Warden, Mark

MERRIMACK

Hess, David
McGuire, Dan

Hoell, J.R.
Reed, Dennis

Kotowski, Frank
Walsh, Thomas IV

McGuire, Carol

ROCKINGHAM

Abrami, Patrick
Birdsell, Regina
Danaïs, Romeo
Dumaine, Dudley
Garcia, Marilinda
Hagan, Joseph
Introne, Robert
Kolodziej, Walter
Milz, David
Peckham, Michele
Sapareto, Frank
Sweeney, Joe
Tucker, Pamela

Allen, Mary
Charron, Gene
DeSimone, Debra
Emerick, J. Tracy
Gordon, Richard
Harris, Jeffrey
Itse, Daniel
Lundgren, David
O'Connor, John
Priestley, Anne
Schroadter, Adam
Tamburello, Daniel
Waterhouse, Kevin

Baldasaro, Alfred
Chirichiello, Brian
Devine, James
Friel, William
Grace, Curtis
Hodgdon, Bruce
Kappler, Lawrence
Major, Norman
Oigny, Jeffrey
Rice, Frederick
Sedensky, John
Tasker, Kyle
Webb, James Sr

Bick, Patrick
Comerford, Timothy
Duarte, Joe
Garcia, Bianca
Griffin, Mary
Hoelzel, Kathleen
Khan, Aboul
McMahon, Charles
Packard, Sherman
Sanders, Elisabeth
St.James, Kevin
Thompson, David
Weyler, Kenneth

STRAFFORD

Beaudoin, Steven
Jones, Laura

Bickford, David
Mullen, John Jr

Gray, James
Pitre, Joseph

Groen, Warren

SULLIVAN

Grenier, James

Rollins, Skip

Smith, Steven

and the amendment to House Rule 30 was adopted.

The question now being adoption of the amendment to House Rule 63.

MOTION TO LAY ON THE TABLE

Rep. Hoell moved that the amendment to House Rule 63 be laid on the table.

On a division vote, 161 members having voted in the affirmative and 205 in the negative, the motion failed.

Rep. Gary Richardson offered a floor amendment to House Rule 63.

Floor Amendment to House Rule 63

Amend the first sentence of Rule 63 to read as follows:

No person, including members of the House, except law enforcement officers shall actively engaged in carrying out their duties as such, shall carry or have in possession any deadly weapon as defined in RSA 625:11, V while in the House Chamber, anterooms, cloakrooms, **or House gallery.**

Rep. Gary Richardson spoke in favor and yielded to questions.
Rep. Webb requested a roll call; sufficiently seconded.

YEAS 271 - NAYS 102**YEAS 271****BELKNAP**

Arsenault, Beth
Fink, Charles
Huot, David
Worsman, Colette

Burchell, Richard
Flanders, Donald
Raymond, Ian

DiMartino, Lisa
Gulick, Ruth
Tilton, Franklin

Fields, Dennis
Holmes, Stephen
Vadney, Herbert

CARROLL

Ahlgren, Christopher
Cordelli, Glenn
Ticehurst, Susan

Buco, Thomas
Lavender, Tom
White, Syndi

Butler, Edward
Merrow, Harry

Chandler, Gene
Nelson, Bill

CHESHIRE

Ames, Richard
Chase, Cynthia
Johnsen, Gladys
Mann, John
Sad, Tara
Weed, Charles

Berch, Paul
Eaton, Daniel
Johnson, Jane
Parkhurst, Henry
Shepardson, Marjorie
Young, Harry

Burridge, Delmar
Emerson, Susan
Lerandeau, Alfred
Phillips, Larry
Tatro, Bruce

Butynski, William
Hunt, John
Ley, Douglas
Robertson, Timothy
Weber, Lucy

COOS

Coulombe, Gary
Rappaport, Laurence

Hammon, Marcia
Theberge, Robert

Hatch, William
Thomas, Yvonne

Moynihan, Wayne

GRAFTON

Aguiar, James
Brown, Rebecca
Harding, Laurie
Lovett, Sid
Pastor, Beatriz
Sykes, George

Almy, Susan
Cooney, Mary
Higgins, Patricia
Massimilla, Linda
Piper, Wendy
Townsend, Charles

Benn, Bernard
Ford, Susan
Ladd, Rick Jr
Mulholland, Catherine
Reilly, Harold Sr
White, Andrew

Bradley, Lester
Friedrich, Carol
Lauer, Linda
Nordgren, Sharon
Smith, Suzanne

HILLSBOROUGH

Backus, Robert
Boisvert, Ronald
Carroll, Douglas
Cote, David
Flanagan, Jack
Garrity, Patrick
Graham, John
Hansberry, Daniel
Hinch, Richard
Katsiantonis, George
Kopka, Angeline
LeVasseur, Richard
Manley, Jonathan Sr
Murotake, David
Pratt, Calvin
Rosenwald, Cindy
Shaw, Barbara
Sullivan, Peter
Walsh, Robert Jr
Woodbury, David

Beaulieu, Jane
Booras, Efsthathia
Chandley, Shannon
Danielson, David
Gage, Ruth
Goley, Jeffrey
Hackel, Paul
Harriott-Gathright, Linda
Jack, Martin
Katsiantonis, Thomas
Kurk, Neal
Levesque, Melanie
Marston, Dick
O'Brien, Michael Sr
Ramsey, Peter
Rowe, Robert
Smith, Timothy
Takesian, Charlene
Warden, Mark

Belanger, James
Byron, Frank
Coffey, James
DiSilvestro, Linda
Gale, Sylvia
Gorman, Mary
Haefner, Robert
Heden, Ruth
Jasper, Shawn
Kelley, John
Leishman, Peter
Long, Patrick
McCloskey, David
Palmer, Stephen
Rhodes, Brian
Schmidt, Janice
Soucy, Timothy
Vail, Suzanne
Willette, Robert

Boehm, Ralph
Campbell, David
Connor, Evelyn
Eaton, Richard
Gargas, Carolyn
Grady, Brenda
Hammond, Jill
Hikel, John
Judy, Jean
Knowles, Mary Ann
Levasseur, Nickolas
MacKay, Mariellen
McNamara, Richard
Porter, Marjorie
Rokas, Ted
Shattuck, Gilman
Spratt, Stephen
Vaillancourt, Steve
Williams, Kermit

MERRIMACK

Alicea, Caroletta
Burns, Scott
Ebel, Karen
Gile, Mary
Hunt, Jane
Lockwood, Priscilla
Myler, Mel
Richardson, Gary
Tilton, Joy
Watrous, Rick

Andrews, Christopher
Carey, Lorrie
Frambach, Mary
Henle, Paul
Karrick, David Jr
MacKay, James
Patten, Dick
Rogers, Katherine
Turcotte, Alan
Webb, Leigh

Bartlett, Christy
Carson, Clyde
Frazer, June
Hess, David
Kelly, Sally
McGuire, Dan
Ratzki, Mario
Schamberg, Thomas
Wallner, Mary Jane

Bouchard, Candace
Davis, Frank
French, Barbara
Hirsch, Geoffrey
Kidder, David
Moffett, Howard
Rice, Chip
Shurtleff, Stephen
Walz, Mary Beth

ROCKINGHAM

Andrews-Ahearn, E. Elaine
Burtis, Elizabeth
Cushing, Robert Jr
Ferrante, Beverly
Helmstetter, Barbara
Lundgren, David
Muns, Chris
Pantelakos, Laura
Schlachman, Donna
Till, Mary
Weyler, Kenneth

Bick, Patrick
Cahill, Michael
Devine, James
Flockhart, Eileen
Hodgdon, Bruce
Mann, Maureen
Nigrello, Robert
Peckham, Michele
Sherman, Thomas
Ward, Gerald
Whittemore, Lisa

Borden, David
Cali-Pitts, Jacqueline
Elliott, Robert
Hayes, Jack
Hoelzel, Kathleen
Milz, David
Oligny, Jeffrey
Rice, Frederick
Sweeney, Joe
Wazlaw, Brian

Briden, Steven
Charron, Gene
Emerson-Brown, Rebecca
Heffron, Frank
Lovejoy, Patricia
Moody, Marcia
Packard, Sherman
Sapareto, Frank
Tasker, Kyle
Webb, James Sr

STRAFFORD

Baber, William
Burdwood, Greg
Gray, James
Hubbard, Pamela
Menear, H. Robert III
Rollo, Deanna
Spang, Judith
Ward, Kenneth

Berube, Roger
Gardner, Janice
Grossman, Kenneth
Kaen, Naida
Miller, David
Schmidt, Peter
Stevens, Audrey

Bickford, David
Ginsburg, Philip
Hooper, Dorothea
Ketel, Stephen
Perry, Robert
Smith, Marjorie
Verschueren, James

Bixby, Peter
Grassie, Anne
Horrigan, Timothy
Malloy, Dennis
Rogers, Rose Marie
Spainhower, Dale
Wall, Janet

SULLIVAN

Cloutier, John
Grenier, James
Sweeney, Cynthia

Donovan, Thomas Jr
Irwin, Virginia
Tanner, Linda

Gagnon, Raymond
O'Hearne, Andrew

Gottling, Suzanne
Schmidt, Andrew

NAYS 102**BELKNAP**

Comtois, Guy
Sylvia, Michael

Cormier, Jane

Greemore, Robert Jr

Luther, Robert

CARROLL

Crawford, Karel
Wright, Donald

McConkey, Mark

Schmidt, Stephen

Umberger, Karen

CHESHIRE

Roberts, Kris

COOS

Richardson, Herbert

Rideout, Leon

GRAFTON

Bailey, Brad

Doolan, Ralph Jr

Gionet, Edmond

HILLSBOROUGH

Barry, Richard
Culbert, Patrick
Hopper, Gary
Martel, Andre
Murphy, Kelleigh
Ober, Lynne
Renzullo, Andrew
Straight, Philip
Villeneuve, Moe

Burt, John
Daniels, Gary
Infantine, William
McCarthy, Michael
Notter, Jeanine
Parison, James
Sanborn, Laurie
Stroud, Kathleen
Winters, Joel

Cebrowski, John
Gagne, Larry
Lambert, George
Meaney, Richard
O'Brien, William
Pellegrino, Tony
Sandblade, Emily
Sweeney, Shawn

Christiansen, Lars
Hansen, Peter
LeBrun, Donald
Murphy, Keith
O'Flaherty, Tim
Peterson, Lenette
Souza, Kathleen
Ulery, Jordan

MERRIMACK

Hoell, J.R.
Walsh, Thomas IV

Kotowski, Frank

McGuire, Carol

Reed, Dennis

ROCKINGHAM

Abrami, Patrick
Chirichiello, Brian
DeSimone, Debra
Fesh, Robert
Gordon, Richard
Harris, Jeffrey
Khan, Aboul
McMahon, Charles

Allen, Mary
Comerford, Timothy
Duarte, Joe
Friel, William
Grace, Curtis
Introne, Robert
Kolodziej, Walter
O'Connor, John

Baldasaro, Alfred
Copeland, Timothy
Dumaine, Dudley
Garcia, Bianca
Griffin, Mary
Itse, Daniel
Major, Norman
Priestley, Anne

Birdsell, Regina
Danais, Romeo
Emerick, J. Tracy
Garcia, Marilinda
Hagan, Joseph
Kappler, Lawrence
McKinney, Betsy
Sanders, Elisabeth

Scarlotta, Joe
Tamburello, Daniel

Schroadter, Adam
Thompson, David

Sedensky, John
Tucker, Pamela

St.James, Kevin
Waterhouse, Kevin

STRAFFORD

Beaudoin, Steven
Pitre, Joseph

Groen, Warren

Jones, Laura

Mullen, John Jr

SULLIVAN

Rollins, Skip

Smith, Steven

and floor amendment to House Rule 63 was adopted.

Rep. Burt offered a floor amendment to House Rule 63.

Floor Amendment to House Rule 63

Amend the first sentence of Rule 63 to read as follows:

No person, including members of the House, except law enforcement officers while actively engaged in carrying out their duties as such, shall carry or have in possession any deadly weapon as defined in RSA 625:11, V while in the House Chamber, anterooms, cloakrooms, or any portion of the State House adjacent to any of the above, *except for any person with a legal State of New Hampshire Pistol/Revolver License in accordance with Chapter 159 of New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated 1955, as Amended 1979.*

Rep. Groen spoke in favor.

Rep. Eaton spoke against and yielded to questions.

Rep. Burt spoke in favor, yielded to questions and requested a roll call; sufficiently seconded.

YEAS 156 - NAYS 209

YEAS 156

BELKNAP

Burchell, Richard
Flanders, Donald
Tilton, Franklin

Comtois, Guy
Greemore, Robert Jr
Vadney, Herbert

Cormier, Jane
Holmes, Stephen
Worsman, Colette

Fink, Charles
Luther, Robert

CARROLL

Ahlgren, Christopher
McConkey, Mark
Umberger, Karen

Chandler, Gene
Morrow, Harry
Wright, Donald

Cordelli, Glenn
Nelson, Bill

Crawford, Karel
Schmidt, Stephen

CHESHIRE

Emerson, Susan

Hunt, John

Johnson, Jane

COOS

Rappaport, Laurence

Richardson, Herbert

Rideout, Leon

GRAFTON

Bailey, Brad

Bradley, Lester

Ladd, Rick Jr

Reilly, Harold Sr

HILLSBOROUGH

Barry, Richard
Byron, Frank
Culbert, Patrick
Gagne, Larry
Hikel, John
Jasper, Shawn
LeVasseur, Richard
Meaney, Richard
Notter, Jeanine
Palmer, Stephen
Pratt, Calvin
Sandblade, Emily
Stroud, Kathleen
Villeneuve, Moe

Belanger, James
Cebrowski, John
Daniels, Gary
Graham, John
Hinch, Richard
Kurk, Neal
Marston, Dick
Murotake, David
O'Brien, William
Parison, James
Renzullo, Andrew
Shaw, Barbara
Sweeney, Shawn
Warden, Mark

Boehm, Ralph
Christiansen, Lars
Danielson, David
Haefner, Robert
Hopper, Gary
Lambert, George
Martel, Andre
Murphy, Keith
O'Flaherty, Tim
Pellegrino, Tony
Rowe, Robert
Souza, Kathleen
Takesian, Charlene
Willette, Robert

Burt, John
Coffey, James
Flanagan, Jack
Hansen, Peter
Infantine, William
LeBrun, Donald
McCarthy, Michael
Murphy, Kelleigh
Ober, Lynne
Peterson, Lenette
Sanborn, Laurie
Straight, Philip
Ulery, Jordan
Winters, Joel

MERRIMACK

Hess, David
Reed, Dennis

Kotowski, Frank
Walsh, Thomas IV

McGuire, Carol

McGuire, Dan

ROCKINGHAM

Abrami, Patrick
Chirichiello, Brian
DeSimone, Debra

Allen, Mary
Comerford, Timothy
Devine, James

Baldasaro, Alfred
Copeland, Timothy
Duarte, Joe

Birdsell, Regina
Danaïs, Romeo
Dumaine, Dudley

Elliott, Robert
Garcia, Bianca
Hagan, Joseph
Introne, Robert
Kolodziej, Walter
Nigrello, Robert
Peckham, Michele
Sapareto, Frank
Sweeney, Joe
Tucker, Pamela

Emerick, J. Tracy
Garcia, Marilinda
Harris, Jeffrey
Itse, Daniel
Major, Norman
O'Connor, John
Priestley, Anne
Scarlotta, Joe
Tamburello, Daniel
Waterhouse, Kevin

Ferrante, Beverly
Gordon, Richard
Hodgdon, Bruce
Kappler, Lawrence
McMahon, Charles
Oligny, Jeffrey
Rice, Frederick
Schroadter, Adam
Tasker, Kyle
Webb, James Sr

Fesh, Robert
Griffin, Mary
Hoelzel, Kathleen
Khan, Aboul
Milz, David
Packard, Sherman
Sanders, Elisabeth
St.James, Kevin
Thompson, David
Weyler, Kenneth

Beaudoin, Steven
Jones, Laura

Bickford, David
Pitre, Joseph

Gray, James
Verschueren, James

Groen, Warren

Cloutier, John

Grenier, James

Rollins, Skip

Smith, Steven

STRAFFORD

SULLIVAN

NAYS 209

BELKNAP

Fields, Dennis
Sylvia, Michael

Gulick, Ruth

CARROLL

Lavender, Tom

Ticehurst, Susan

Buco, Thomas
White, Syndi

Butler, Edward

CHESHIRE

Burridge, Delmar
Johnsen, Gladys
Parkhurst, Henry
Sad, Tara
Weed, Charles

Butynski, William
Lerandeau, Alfred
Phillips, Larry
Shepardson, Marjorie
Young, Harry

Ames, Richard
Chase, Cynthia
Ley, Douglas
Roberts, Kris
Tatro, Bruce

Berch, Paul
Eaton, Daniel
Mann, John
Robertson, Timothy
Weber, Lucy

COOS

Hatch, William

Moynihan, Wayne

Coulombe, Gary
Theberge, Robert

Hammon, Marcia
Thomas, Yvonne

GRAFTON

Benn, Bernard
Ford, Susan
Lauer, Linda
Nordgren, Sharon
Sykes, George

Brown, Rebecca
Friedrich, Carol
Lovett, Sid
Pastor, Beatriz
Townsend, Charles

Aguiar, James
Cooney, Mary
Harding, Laurie
Massimilla, Linda
Piper, Wendy
White, Andrew

Almy, Susan
Doolan, Ralph Jr
Higgins, Patricia
Mulholland, Catherine
Smith, Suzanne

HILLSBOROUGH

Boisvert, Ronald
Chandley, Shannon
Eaton, Richard
Goley, Jeffrey
Hammond, Jill
Jack, Martin
Knowles, Mary Ann
Levesque, Melanie
McCloskey, David
Rhodes, Brian
Shattuck, Gilman
Sullivan, Peter
Williams, Kermit

Booras, Efsthathia
Connor, Evelyn
Gage, Ruth
Gorman, Mary
Hansberry, Daniel
Jeudy, Jean
Kopka, Angeline
Long, Patrick
O'Brien, Michael Sr
Rokas, Ted
Smith, Timothy
Vail, Suzanne
Woodbury, David

Backus, Robert
Campbell, David
Cote, David
Gale, Sylvia
Grady, Brenda
Harriott-Gathright, Linda
Katsiantonis, George
Leishman, Peter
MacKay, Mariellen
Porter, Marjorie
Rosenwald, Cindy
Soucy, Timothy
Vaillancourt, Steve

Beaulieu, Jane
Carroll, Douglas
DiSilvestro, Linda
Gargas, Carolyn
Hackel, Paul
Heden, Ruth
Kelley, John
Levasseur, Nickolas
Manley, Jonathan Sr
Ramsey, Peter
Schmidt, Janice
Spratt, Stephen
Walsh, Robert Jr

MERRIMACK

Bartlett, Christy
Carson, Clyde
Frazer, June
Hirsch, Geoffrey
Kelly, Sally
Myler, Mel
Rogers, Katherine
Turcotte, Alan
Webb, Leigh

Bouchard, Candace
Davis, Frank
French, Barbara
Hoell, J.R.
Kidder, David
Patten, Dick
Schamberg, Thomas
Wallner, Mary Jane

Alicea, Caroletta
Burns, Scott
Ebel, Karen
Gile, Mary
Hunt, Jane
MacKay, James
Ratzki, Mario
Shurtleff, Stephen
Walz, Mary Beth

Andrews, Christopher
Carey, Lorrie
Frambach, Mary
Henle, Paul
Karrick, David Jr
Moffett, Howard
Richardson, Gary
Tilton, Joy
Watrous, Rick

ROCKINGHAM

Andrews-Ahearn, E. Elaine
Burtis, Elizabeth
Cushing, Robert Jr
Grace, Curtis
Lovejoy, Patricia
Pantelakos, Laura
Till, Mary

Bick, Patrick
Cahill, Michael
Emerson-Brown, Rebecca
Hayes, Jack
Mann, Maureen
Schlachman, Donna
Ward, Gerald

Borden, David
Cali-Pitts, Jacqueline
Flockhart, Eileen
Heffron, Frank
Moody, Marcia
Sedensky, John
Wazlaw, Brian

Briden, Steven
Charron, Gene
Friel, William
Helmstetter, Barbara
Muns, Chris
Sherman, Thomas
Whittemore, Lisa

STRAFFORD

Baber, William
Gardner, Janice
Hooper, Dorothea
Ketel, Stephen
Mullen, John Jr
Schmidt, Peter
Stevens, Audrey

Berube, Roger
Ginsburg, Philip
Horrigan, Timothy
Malloy, Dennis
Perry, Robert
Smith, Marjorie
Wall, Janet

Bixby, Peter
Grassie, Anne
Hubbard, Pamela
Menear, H. Robert III
Rogers, Rose Marie
Spainhower, Dale
Ward, Kenneth

Burdwood, Greg
Grossman, Kenneth
Kaen, Naida
Miller, David
Rollo, Deanna
Spang, Judith

SULLIVAN

Donovan, Thomas Jr
O'Hearne, Andrew

Gagnon, Raymond
Schmidt, Andrew

Gottling, Suzanne
Sweeney, Cynthia

Irwin, Virginia
Tanner, Linda

and floor amendment to House Rule 63 failed.

Rep. Cloutier voted Yea and intended to vote Nay.

Rep. Kurk offered a floor amendment to House Rule 63.

Floor Amendment to House Rules

Amend the first sentence of Rule 63 to read as follows:

No person, including members of the House, except law enforcement officers while actively engaged in carrying out their duties as such, shall carry or have in possession any deadly weapon as defined in RSA 625:11, V, while in the House Chamber, anterooms, cloakrooms, or any portion of the State House adjacent to any of the above; ***provided, however, that during any time while the House is in session, the Speaker shall designate two individuals, one to remain on the floor of the Chamber and one to remain in the gallery, who may be members or other persons permitted in the House Chamber, anterooms, cloakrooms, or any portion of the State House adjacent to any of the above, to be armed with a firearm, except that for a particular occasion the Speaker may deem such a requirement unnecessary or inappropriate.***

Rep. Kurk spoke in favor and yielded to questions.

Rep. Daniel Eaton spoke against and yielded to questions.

On a division vote, 117 members having voted in the affirmative and 247 in the negative, the floor amendment to House Rule 63 failed.

SENATE MESSAGE**CONCURRENCE**

HB 101, relative to calculation of the local tax cap by the Newfound area school district.

The House recessed at 1:15 p.m.

RECESS

The House reconvened at 2:15 p.m.

(Speaker Norelli in the Chair)**AMENDMENT TO HOUSE RULES (CONT'D)**

The question now being adoption of the amendment to House Rule 63.

Reps. Baldasaro and Dumaine spoke against and yielded to questions.

Reps. Hikel, Notter, James Belanger, Rice and Peterson spoke against.

Rep. Shurtleff spoke in favor.

Rep. Flanagan requested a roll call; sufficiently seconded.

YEAS 196 - NAYS 153**YEAS 196****BELKNAP**

Arsenault, Beth
Huot, David

DiMartino, Lisa
Raymond, Ian

Fields, Dennis

Gulick, Ruth

CARROLL

Buco, Thomas
Ticehurst, Susan

Butler, Edward
White, Syndi

Crawford, Karel

Lavender, Tom

CHESHIRE

Ames, Richard
Chase, Cynthia
Ley, Douglas
Robertson, Timothy
Weber, Lucy

Berch, Paul
Eaton, Daniel
Mann, John
Sad, Tara
Weed, Charles

Burridge, Delmar
Johnsen, Gladys
Parkhurst, Henry
Shepardson, Marjorie
Young, Harry

Butynski, William
Lerandeau, Alfred
Phillips, Larry
Tatro, Bruce

COOS

Coulombe, Gary
Theberge, Robert

Hammon, Marcia

Hatch, William

Moynihan, Wayne

GRAFTON

Aguir, James
Cooney, Mary
Higgins, Patricia
Mulholland, Catherine
Smith, Suzanne

Almy, Susan
Ford, Susan
Lauer, Linda
Nordgren, Sharon
Sykes, George

Benn, Bernard
Friedrich, Carol
Lovett, Sid
Pastor, Beatriz
Townsend, Charles

Brown, Rebecca
Harding, Laurie
Massimilla, Linda
Piper, Wendy
White, Andrew

HILLSBOROUGH

Backus, Robert
Campbell, David
DiSilvestro, Linda
Gargas, Carolyn
Hackel, Paul
Heden, Ruth
Knowles, Mary Ann
Long, Patrick
McNamara, Richard
Rhodes, Brian
Shaw, Barbara
Sullivan, Peter
Williams, Kermit

Beaulieu, Jane
Carroll, Douglas
Eaton, Richard
Goley, Jeffrey
Hammond, Jill
Jack, Martin
Kopka, Angeline
MacKay, Mariellen
O'Brien, Michael Sr
Rosenwald, Cindy
Smith, Timothy
Vail, Suzanne
Woodbury, David

Boisvert, Ronald
Chandley, Shannon
Gage, Ruth
Gorman, Mary
Hansberry, Daniel
Judy, Jean
Leishman, Peter
Manley, Jonathan Sr
Porter, Marjorie
Schmidt, Janice
Soucy, Timothy
Vaillancourt, Steve

Booras, Efsthia
Cote, David
Gale, Sylvia
Grady, Brenda
Harriott-Gathright, Linda
Kelley, John
Levesque, Melanie
McCloskey, David
Ramsey, Peter
Shattuck, Gilman
Spratt, Stephen
Walsh, Robert Jr

MERRIMACK

Alicea, Caroletta
Burns, Scott
Ebel, Karen
Gile, Mary
Karrick, David Jr
MacKay, James
Ratzki, Mario
Shurtleff, Stephen
Walz, Mary Beth

Andrews, Christopher
Carey, Lorrie
Frambach, Mary
Henle, Paul
Kelly, Sally
Moffett, Howard
Richardson, Gary
Tilton, Joy
Watrous, Rick

Bartlett, Christy
Carson, Clyde
Frazer, June
Hirsch, Geoffrey
Kidder, David
Myler, Mel
Rogers, Katherine
Turcotte, Alan
Webb, Leigh

Bouchard, Candace
Davis, Frank
French, Barbara
Hunt, Jane
Lockwood, Priscilla
Patten, Dick
Schamberg, Thomas
Wallner, Mary Jane

ROCKINGHAM

Andrews-Ahearn, E. Elaine
Cahill, Michael
Flockhart, Eileen
Mann, Maureen
Schlachman, Donna
Wazlaw, Brian

Borden, David
Cali-Pitts, Jacqueline
Heffron, Frank
Moody, Marcia
Sherman, Thomas
Whittemore, Lisa

Briden, Steven
Cushing, Robert Jr
Helmstetter, Barbara
Muns, Chris
Till, Mary

Burtis, Elizabeth
Emerson-Brown, Rebecca
Lovejoy, Patricia
Pantelakos, Laura
Ward, Gerald

STRAFFORD

Baber, William
Ginsburg, Philip
Hubbard, Pamela
Miller, David
Rollo, Deanna
Stevens, Audrey

Berube, Roger
Grassie, Anne
Kaen, Naida
Pelletier, Marsha
Schmidt, Peter
Verschuere, James

Bixby, Peter
Grossman, Kenneth
Malloy, Dennis
Perry, Robert
Spainhower, Dale
Wall, Janet

Burdwood, Greg
Horrigan, Timothy
Menear, H. Robert III
Rogers, Rose Marie
Spang, Judith
Ward, Kenneth

SULLIVAN

Cloutier, John
Irwin, Virginia
Tanner, Linda

Donovan, Thomas Jr
O'Hearne, Andrew

Gagnon, Raymond
Schmidt, Andrew

Gottling, Suzanne
Sweeney, Cynthia

**NAYS 153
BELKNAP**

Comtois, Guy
Greemore, Robert Jr
Tilton, Franklin

Cormier, Jane
Holmes, Stephen
Vadney, Herbert

Fink, Charles
Luther, Robert
Worsman, Colette

Flanders, Donald
Sylvia, Michael

CARROLL

Ahlgren, Christopher
Morrow, Harry
Wright, Donald

Chandler, Gene
Nelson, Bill

Cordelli, Glenn
Schmidt, Stephen

McConkey, Mark
Umberger, Karen

CHESHIRE

Emerson, Susan

Hunt, John

Johnson, Jane

COOS

Rappaport, Laurence

Richardson, Herbert

Rideout, Leon

GRAFTON

Bailey, Brad
Ladd, Rick Jr

Bradley, Lester
Reilly, Harold Sr

Doolan, Ralph Jr

Gionet, Edmond

HILLSBOROUGH

Barry, Richard
Byron, Frank
Daniels, Gary
Gidge, Kenneth
Hikel, John
Kurk, Neal
Marston, Dick
Murphy, Keith
O'Flaherty, Tim
Peterson, Lenette
Sandblade, Emily
Sweeney, Shawn
Warden, Mark

Belanger, James
Cebrowski, John
Danielson, David
Graham, John
Hinch, Richard
Lambert, George
McCarthy, Michael
Murphy, Kelleigh
Palmer, Stephen
Pratt, Calvin
Souza, Kathleen
Takesian, Charlene
Willette, Robert

Boehm, Ralph
Coffey, James
Flanagan, Jack
Haefner, Robert
Hopper, Gary
LeBrun, Donald
Meaney, Richard
Notter, Jeanine
Parison, James
Renzullo, Andrew
Straight, Philip
Ulery, Jordan
Winters, Joel

Burt, John
Culbert, Patrick
Gagne, Larry
Hansen, Peter
Jasper, Shawn
LeVasseur, Richard
Murotake, David
O'Brien, William
Pellegrino, Tony
Sanborn, Laurie
Stroud, Kathleen
Villeneuve, Moe

MERRIMACK

Hess, David
McGuire, Dan

Hoell, J.R.
Reed, Dennis

Kotowski, Frank
Walsh, Thomas IV

McGuire, Carol

ROCKINGHAM

Abrami, Patrick
Birdsell, Regina
Copeland, Timothy
Duarte, Joe
Ferrante, Beverly
Garcia, Marilinda
Harris, Jeffrey
Introne, Robert
Kolodziej, Walter
Nigrello, Robert
Priestley, Anne
Scarlotta, Joe
Tamburello, Daniel
Webb, James Sr

Allen, Mary
Charron, Gene
Danaïs, Romeo
Dumaine, Dudley
Fesh, Robert
Gordon, Richard
Hayes, Jack
Itse, Daniel
Major, Norman
O'Connor, John
Rice, Frederick
Schroadter, Adam
Thompson, David
Weyler, Kenneth

Baldasaro, Alfred
Chirichiello, Brian
DeSimone, Debra
Elliott, Robert
Friel, William
Grace, Curtis
Hodgdon, Bruce
Kappler, Lawrence
McMahon, Charles
Oligny, Jeffrey
Sanders, Elisabeth
Sedensky, John
Tucker, Pamela

Bick, Patrick
Comerford, Timothy
Devine, James
Emerick, J. Tracy
Garcia, Bianca
Griffin, Mary
Hoelzel, Kathleen
Khan, Aboul
Milz, David
Packard, Sherman
Sapareto, Frank
Sweeney, Joe
Waterhouse, Kevin

STRAFFORD

Beaudoin, Steven
Mullen, John Jr

Gray, James
Pitre, Joseph

Groen, Warren

Jones, Laura

SULLIVAN

Grenier, James

Rollins, Skip

Smith, Steven

and the amendment to House Rule 63 was adopted.

PROTEST

Whereas the Constitution of the State of New Hampshire, Part the Second, Article 24 provides that every member of the New Hampshire House of Representatives has the right to have their protest against any vote, with the reasons, entered into the Journal of the House;

Therefore, I hereby protest the change to the Rules of the New Hampshire House of Representatives adopted on Wednesday, January 2, 2013 for the following reason and request the recording of the same in the Journal of the House of Representatives of the State of New Hampshire:

The prohibition on carrying deadly weapons on the floor of the chamber of the New Hampshire House of Representatives, anteroom and gallery per Rule 63 deprives the members of the New Hampshire House of Representatives and the general public of their natural rights recognized in the Constitution of the State of New Hampshire, Part the First, Article 2-a, *"All persons have the right to keep and bear arms in defense*

*of themselves, their families, their property and the state.”; thus depriving them of the means to protest their natural rights recognized under Article 2, “All men have certain natural, essential, and inherent rights – among which are, the enjoying and **defending** life and liberty; acquiring, possessing, and **protecting**, property; and, in a word, of seeking and obtaining happiness.”; without providing any substantive of effective protection of those rights in return; leaving the members of the House of Representatives, and the members of the general public who choose to attend our proceedings liable to the machinations and evil designs of wicked men.*

The deprivation of the right of self-defense without providing any reciprocal protection of life, liberty or property ought to render that deprivation null and void per The Constitution of the State of New Hampshire, Part the First, Article 3, “*When men enter into a state of society, they surrender up some of their natural rights to that society, in order to ensure the protection of others; and, **without such an equivalent, the surrender is void.***”

This change to the Rules of the New Hampshire House of Representatives is unconstitutional and unconscionable.

Reps. Allen, Baldasaro, Barry, Beaudoin, James Belanger, Bick, Boehm, Burt, Byron, Cebrowski, Charron, Coffey, Comerford, Comtois, Cordelli, Cormier, Danaïs, DeSimone, Devine, Duarte, Dumaine, Emerick, Ferrante, Fesh, Fink, Flanagan, Friel, Gagne, Bianca Garcia, Marilinda Garcia, Gionet, Gordon, Greemore, Groen, Hansen, Harris, Hayes, Hikel, Hinch, Hoell, Hoelzel, Gary Hopper, Introne, Itse, Jones, Kappler, Khan, Kolodziej, Lambert, LeBrun, McCarthy, Carol McGuire, Meaney, Mullen, Keith Murphy, Kelleigh Murphy, Nottter, William O’Brien, O’Flaherty, Oligny, Palmer, Parison, Pellegrino, Peterson, Pitre, Pratt, Rappaport, Reed, Reilly, Renzullo, Frederick Rice, Rollins, Sandblade, Sanders, Schroadter, Sedensky, Kathleen Souza, Shawn Sweeney, Sylvia, Tamburello, Tasker, Thompson, Tucker, Ulery, Vadney, Villeneuve, Warden, James Webb, Weyler, Willette, Worsman and #2 illegible signatures.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE RULES (CONT’D)

The question now being adoption of the amendment to House Rule 64.

Reps. Ulery and Tucker spoke against.

Rep. Jasper spoke against and yielded to questions.

Rep. Gary Richardson spoke in favor.

On a division vote, 193 members having voted in the affirmative and 145 in the negative, the amendment was adopted.

ENROLLED BILL REPORT

The Committee on Enrolled Bills has examined and found correctly Enrolled House Bill numbered 101.

Rep. Shurtleff, Sen. Prescott for the Committee

RESOLUTION

Rep. Shurtleff offered the following: RESOLVED, that the House now adjourn from the early session, that the business of the late session be in order at the present time and when the House adjourns today it be to meet Thursday, January 3, 2013 at 11:00 a.m.

Adopted.

LATE SESSION

UNANIMOUS CONSENT

Reps. Itse and Frederick Rice addressed the House.

RECESS MOTION

Rep. Shurtleff moved that the House stand in recess for the purposes of the introduction of bills and receiving Senate messages.

Adopted.

The House recessed at 4:10 p.m.

RECESS