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HOUSE JOURNAL No. 3 (Cont.)

Thursday, January 8, 2015

Rep. Chandler moved that the House adjourn.
Adopted.

HOUSE JOURNAL No. 4

Wednesday, February 4, 2015

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

Her Excellency, Governor Margaret Wood Hassan, joined the Speaker **on the rostrum** for the day's opening ceremonies.

Prayer was offered by House Chaplain, Reverend Kate Atkinson, Rector of St. Paul's Church in Concord. Almighty, unchanging God. We come before You with our hopes and our disappointments, our joyful celebrations and our heart-wrenching losses, knowing that Your unfailing love is present through it all. We remember today former Governor John Lynch, who was honored yesterday. We give thanks for him and for all people who are inspired by values of individuality, hard work, humanitarianism and patriotism. We remember, too, U.S. Navy Seal Blake Marston, who lost his life last month. We give thanks for him and for all people who dedicate their lives to protecting their fellow citizens and defending the cause of freedom. As we rejoice with the Lynch family and grieve with the Marston family, we call to mind the many times You deepen our joys and comfort our sorrows and we give You thanks. Amen.

Representative Timothy Soucy, member from Nashua, led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The National Anthem was sung by Brooke Nelson, a student at Gilbert H. Hood Middle School in Derry.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Reps. Mary Griffin, Irwin, Manning, Marston, Martel, Oxenham, Parkhurst, Parsons, Harold (Chip) Rice, Russell and Scentsas, the day, illness.

Reps. Avellani, DeSimone, Barbara Griffin, Hoell, Infantine, Kolodziej, William O'Brien, Phillips, Porter, Andrew Schmidt, Sherman, Gregory Smith and Treleven, the day, important business.

Rep. Pamela Brown, the day, illness in the family.

Rep. O'Hearne, the day, death in the family.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Sumana Shashidar, a student at Bedford High School and Ryan Dube, a student from Lebanon High School, Pages for the day.

Sarah Hartwick, guest of Rep. Sanborn. Ralph Holder, Katrina Heinrich and Kevin Rondeau, guests of Rep. Itse. Janis Kuch, Edward and Gail Jahn, wife and guests of Rep. Kuch. Joel Weinrebe, guest of Rep. LeBreche. Jodi, Scott and Luke Nelson, family of the Singer, guests of the House.

PETITIONS

Petitioner Representative Daniel Itse on behalf of Ralph Holder. This grievance against the State of New Hampshire, the circuit court family division and a guardian ad litem seeks introduction of legislation regarding attorneys, conflicts of interest and restraining orders.

Petitioner Representative Robert Luther on behalf of Ann Marie Moynihan. This grievance against the 10th Circuit Court Family Division seeks review of court procedures in a particular case, disciplinary action against a certain judge, amendment of various statutes regarding parental rights and stalking, review of judicial salaries, establishment of a legislative committee and reimbursement of financial damages.

Petitioner Representative Daniel Itse on behalf of Katrina H. This grievance against the State of New Hampshire and the circuit court family division seeks review by the general court of a court case, the adoption of legislation if applicable and providing of relief if appropriate.

Petitioner Representative Daniel Itse on behalf of Kevin Rondeau. This grievance against the State of New Hampshire and the circuit court family division seeks review by the general court of a court case, the adoption of legislation if applicable and providing of relief if appropriate.

Petitioner Representative Daniel Itse on behalf of Timothy Sanborn. This grievance against two marital masters seeks introduction of legislation regarding the family court division and an appropriation to return funds.

The Speaker announced that copies of Petitions are on file in the Clerk's Office.

MOTION TO REFER TO COMMITTEE

Rep. Itse moved that the Petitions be referred to the Committee on Children and Family Law.

Rep. Flanagan spoke against.

Rep. Itse spoke in favor and requested a roll call; sufficiently seconded.

YEAS 135 - NAYS 212

YEAS - 135

BELKNAP

Aldrich, Glen
Howard, Jr., Raymond
Vadney, Herbert

Comtois, Guy
Hurt, George

Fisher, Robert
Luther, Robert

Fraser, Valerie
Sylvia, Michael

CARROLL

Comeau, Ed
Wright, Ted

Cordelli, Glenn

McCarthy, Frank

Nelson, Bill

CHESHIRE

Bordenet, John

McConnell, Jim

Roberts, Kris

Tilton, Benjamin

COOS

Rappaport, Laurence

Rideout, Leon

GRAFTON

Bailey, Brad
Hennessey, Erin

Brown, Duane
Hull, Robert

Darrow, Stephen
Ingbretson, Paul

Gionet, Edmond
Johnson, Eric

HILLSBOROUGH

Adams, Christopher
Burt, John
Eastman, Eric
Ferreira, Elizabeth
Gould, Linda
Hogan, Edith
McLean, Mark
Notter, Jeanine
Proulx, Mark
Seidel, Carl
Souza, Kathleen

Ammon, Keith
Christie, Rick
Edelblut, Frank
Fromuth, Bart
Goulette, William
Hopper, Gary
Moore, Josh
Ohm, Bill
Rice, Kimberly
Silva, Peter
Sullivan, Victoria

Boehm, Ralph
Coffey, James
Edwards, Elizabeth
Gagne, Larry
Halstead, Carolyn
Lachance, Joseph
Murotake, David
Parison, James
Sanborn, Laurie
Simmons, Tammy
Twombly, Timothy

Bouldin, Amanda
Donovan, Daniel
Estevez, Eric
Gidge, Kenneth
Hansen, Peter
McClarren, Donald
Murphy, Keith
Peterson, Ken
Schleien, Eric
Smith, Timothy
Ulery, Jordan

MERRIMACK

Brewster, Michael
Kuch, Bill
McGuire, Dan

French, Harold
Marple, Richard
Patten, Dick

Hill, Gregory
Martin, John
Seaworth, Brian

Horn, Werner
McGuire, Carol
Wheeler, Deborah

ROCKINGHAM

Abramson, Max
Berrien, Skip
Duarte, Joe
Guthrie, Joseph
Kappler, Lawrence
Oligny, Jeffrey

Allen, Mary
Bush, Carol
Emerick, J. Tracy
Harris, Jeffrey
Kellogg, Shem
Osborne, Jason

Baldasaro, Alfred
Chirichiello, Brian
Gannon, William
Hodgdon, Bruce
Lundgren, David
Prudhomme-O'Brien, Katherine

Bates, David
Cook, Allen
Gordon, Richard
Itse, Daniel
McMahon, Charles
Rice, Frederick

Schroadter, Adam
Tasker, Kyle
Vose, Michael

Spillane, James
Thomas, Douglas
Ward, Joanne

Sweeney, Joe
True, Chris
Woitkun, Steven

Tamburello, Daniel
Tucker, Pamela
Wood, David

STRAFFORD

Beaudoin, Steven
Hannon, Joseph
Pitre, Joseph
Sullivan
Bridge, Ernest

Cheney, Catherine
Kaczynski, Jr., Thomas
Turcotte, Leonard

DeLemus, Susan
Leeman, Don
Wuelper, Kurt

Groen, Warren
Mullen, John

Converse, Larry

Laware, Thomas

Rollins, Skip

NAYS - 212

BELKNAP

Dumais, Russell
LeBreche, Shari

Fields, Dennis
Spanos, Peter

Flanders, Donald
Tilton, Franklin

Gallagher, Brian

CARROLL

Buco, Thomas
Parker, Harold

Butler, Edward
Schmidt, Stephen

Chandler, Gene
Ticehurst, Susan

Crawford, Karel
Umberger, Karen

CHESHIRE

Abbott, Michael
Emerson, Susan
Pearson, William
Sterling, Franklin

Ames, Richard
Hunt, John
Robertson, Timothy
Tatro, Bruce

Berch, Paul
Ley, Douglas
Sad, Tara
Weber, Lucy

Chase, Cynthia
Mann, John
Shepardson, Marjorie

COOS

Fothergill, John
Richardson, Herbert

Froburg, Alethea
Theberge, Robert

Hatch, William
Tholl, John

Moynihan, Wayne
Thomas, Yvonne

GRAFTON

Abel, Richard
Brown, Rebecca
Higgins, Patricia
Nordgren, Sharon
Sykes, George

Almy, Susan
Cooney, Mary
Ladd, Rick
Piper, Wendy
Townsend, Charles

Bennett, Travis
Ford, Susan
Maes, Kevin
Shackett, Jeffrey
White, Andrew

Brown, Chris
Hennessey, Martha
Massimilla, Linda
Smith, Suzanne

HILLSBOROUGH

Backus, Robert
Belanger, James
Christensen, Chris
Danielson, David
Freitas, Mary
Haefner, Robert
Herbert, Christopher
Kurk, Neal
Mangipudi, Latha
O'Brien, Sr., Michael
Palmer, Barry
Rosenwald, Cindy
Shaw, Barbara
Sullivan, Daniel
Williams, Kermit

Balcom, John
Biggie, Barbara
Cohen, Alan
DiSilvestro, Linda
Goley, Jeffrey
Hansberry, Daniel
Hinch, Richard
LeBrun, Donald
Manley, Jonathan
O'Neil, William
Pellegrino, Anthony
Rouillard, Claire
Snow, Kendall
Takesian, Charlene
Wolf, Terry

Barry, Richard
Booras, Efsthathia
Cornell, Patricia
Flanagan, Jack
Gorman, Mary
Harvey, Suzanne
Jack, Martin
Leishman, Peter
McCarthy, Peggy
Ober, Lynne
Pierce, David
Rowe, Robert
Soucy, Timothy
Vann, Ivy
Woodbury, David

Beaulieu, Jane
Byron, Frank
Cote, David
Forest, Armand
Guerette, C. Lee
Heath, Mary
Judy, Jean
Long, Patrick
McNamara, Richard
Ober, Russell
Roberts, Carol
Shattuck, Gilman
Straight, Phillip
Walsh, Robert

MERRIMACK

Alicea, Caroletta
Doherty, David
Gile, Mary
Karrick, David
Long, Douglas
Myler, Mel
Schuett, Dianne
Walsh, Thomas

Bartlett, Christy
Ebel, Karen
Henle, Paul
Kenison, Linda
Luneau, David
Ratzki, Mario
Shurtleff, Stephen

Bradley, Paula
Frazer, June
Hess, David
Kidder, David
MacKay, James
Rogers, Katherine
Turcotte, Alan

Carson, Clyde
French, Barbara
Hirsch, Geoffrey
Kotowski, Frank
Moffett, Howard
Saunderson, George
Wallner, Mary Jane

ROCKINGHAM

Abrami, Patrick
Cahill, Michael
Christie, Andrew
Doucette, Fred
Francese, Paula
Introne, Robert

Azarian, Gary
Cali-Pitts, Jacqueline
Cushing, Robert
Elliott, Robert
Gordon, Pamela
Katsakiores, Phyllis

Barnes, Arthur
Cardon, G. Thomas
Devine, James
Ferrante, Beverly
Heffron, Frank
Lovejoy, Patricia

Borden, David
Chase, Francis
DiFranco, Debbie
Fesh, Robert
Hoelzel, Kathleen
Major, Norman

Matthews, Carolyn
Moody, Marcia
Pantelakos, Laura
Sytek, John
Weyler, Kenneth

McBeath, Rebecca
Nigrello, Robert
Potucek, John
Ward, Gerald

McKinney, Betsy
O'Connor, John
Sanders, Elisabeth
Webb, James

Milz, David
Packard, Sherman
Simpson, Alexis
Welch, David

STRAFFORD

Baber, William
Cilley, Jacalyn
Horrigan, Timothy
Schmidt, Peter
Sprague, Dale
Ward, Kenneth

Berube, Roger
DiSesa, Len
Jones, Laura
Smith, Marjorie
Stevens, Audrey

Bixby, Peter
Gardner, Janice
Kaen, Naida
Southworth, Thomas
Verschueren, James

Burton, Wayne
Gray, James
Rollo, Deanna
Spang, Judith
Wall, Janet

SULLIVAN

Cloutier, John
Smith, Steven

Gagnon, Raymond

Gottling, Suzanne

Grenier, James

and the motion failed.

COMMUNICATION

January 8, 2015

Mr. Paul Smith
Clerk of the House of Representatives
State House
Concord, NH 03301

Dear Paul:

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

Merrimack County District No. 21

Dan McGuire, r, Epsom (700 Suncook Valley Hwy.) 03234

Sincerely,
William M. Gardner, Secretary of State

MOTION TO VACATE

Rep. Hunt moved that the House vacate the reference of **HB 251-FN**, excluding circumcision from the state Medicaid Plan, and **HB 325**, relative to the release of the names of winners of multi-state lotteries, to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Affairs.

Adopted.

The Speaker referred **HB 251-FN** to the Committee on Health, Human Services and Elderly Affairs, and **HB 325** to the Committee on Executive Departments and Administration.

MOTION TO VACATE

Rep. Hinch moved that the House vacate the reference of **HCR 2**, applying to Congress to hold a convention for amendments, **HCR 3**, applying to Congress to call a convention of states under the United States Constitution, **HCR 5**, calling for an article V convention for the purpose of considering a countermand amendment to the United States Constitution, and **HCR 6**, petitioning Congress for an Article V amendment convention to the Committee on Legislative Administration.

Adopted.

The Speaker referred **HCR 2**, **HCR 3**, **HCR 5** and **HCR 6** to the Committee on State-Federal Relations and Veterans Affairs.

MOTION TO VACATE

Rep. Andrew Christie moved that the House vacate the reference of **HB 472**, relative to the parole board and parole board procedures, to the Committee on Executive Department and Administration.

Adopted.

The Speaker referred **HB 472** to the Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety.

MOTION TO VACATE

Rep. Tholl moved that the House vacate the reference of **HB 636-FN**, relative to forfeiture of property, to the Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety.

Adopted.

The Speaker referred **HB 636-FN** to the Committee on Judiciary.

MOTION TO VACATE

Rep. Rowe moved that the House vacate the reference of **HB 508**, relative to the dissolution of the New Hampshire medical malpractice joint underwriting association, to the Committee on Judiciary.
Adopted.

The Speaker referred **HB 508** to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Affairs.

MOTION TO VACATE

Rep. Major moved that the House vacate the reference of **HB 672-FN**, establishing a state bank, to the Committee on Ways and Means.
Adopted.

The Speaker referred **HB 672-FN** to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Affairs.

CONSENT CALENDAR

Rep. Flanagan moved that the Consent Calendar with the relevant amendments as printed in the day's House Record be adopted.

HB 181, relative to the definition of "meeting" under the right-to-know law, removed by Rep. Cali-Pitts.
Consent Calendar adopted.

HB 135, relative to qualifications of assistant election officials. **OUGHT TO PASS.**

Rep. James P. Gray for Election Law. This bill clarifies the age qualification for an individual to perform the duties of an assistant election official. Currently RSA 658:7-a states that an assistant election official "shall be 17 years of age as of the date on which such official initiates performance of the duties of office." By changing the words to "shall be at least 17 years of age" it is clear that 17 is the minimum age to be an assistant election official. Vote 11-0.

HB 173, relative to instruction on ballots. **INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.**

Rep. Robert A. Luther for Election Law. This bill would change the wording on the ballot from "Vote for not more than" to "You may vote for" in RSA 656:17, 659:17 and 669:23. The committee felt that to change the language would create more confusion than it would clear up. Vote 11-0

HB 106, relative to marital assets in divorce proceedings. **INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.**

Rep. Timothy O. Horrigan for Judiciary. RSA 458:16-a governs the equitable division of the property of a marriage when the marriage ends. Currently, the court is allowed on a case by case basis to decide how to divide property acquired as a gift or inheritance. This bill, if passed, would have forbidden the court from counting such property as joint property. This bill would have caused numerous unintended consequences, and the committee deemed it inexpedient to legislate. Vote 17-0.

HB 120, relative to complaint procedures before the state commission for human rights. **INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.**

Rep. Barry J. Palmer for Judiciary. This bill would prohibit parties in discrimination complaints from coming together to resolve the complaints until after a probable cause is found, thereby forcing parties to spend time and money on cases that could have been settled much earlier in the process. Further, the bill noted that "reasonable time" should be given to prepare for the hearing with the 3-member commissioner panel. The term "reasonable time" is nebulous. All testimony from businesses, that would be the defendants, supported the process as it currently exists. The committee felt this bill was a solution to a problem that does not exist. Vote 18-0.

HB 172, establishing a commission to study the operations of small claims court. **INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.**

Rep. Timothy O. Horrigan for Judiciary. The sponsor introduced HB 172, establishing a commission to study the operations of small claims court, at the request of a constituent. Since the bill was introduced, the Judicial Branch changed the rules for small claims court. The sponsor recommended an inexpedient to legislate motion because the proposed commission may no longer be needed. The sponsor desires to see how the new rules will work. Vote 16-0.

HB 102, relative to consideration of warrant articles. **OUGHT TO PASS.**

Rep. James P. Belanger for Municipal and County Government. In 1994, House Bill 1443 was introduced to correct three problems specific to communities with 10,000 or more population. These problems dealt with the number of voters needed to call a special town meeting, authority of the governing body to sell town owned land, and selectmen authority to adopt town codes not required by RSA. During that bill's process through the House and Senate, the provision that all warrant articles on a town warrant had to be dealt with prior to final adjournment was added. Since the bill was specific to towns of 10,000 or more population, that inadvertently also applied to the warrant article issue. This criteria was not an issue until, more recently, some town meetings lasting many hours or over multiple days caused some voters to move to adjourn without taking up

some warrant articles on the last part of the ballot. These were often petitioned articles and were denied an opportunity to be addressed by the town meeting because it adjourned before all business was conducted. This bill, HB 102, corrects that and provides that all towns, no matter their population, must take up all warrant articles on the warrant. They can be tabled, passed, defeated, etc., but they must be taken up and that should have been the effect in the 1994 bill and should never have had the 10,000 population stipulation applied to it. If an article is on the warrant, the meeting should take it up and deal with it. Vote 18-0.

HB 167, directing the commissioners of the department of resources and economic development and the department of environmental services to develop a business development plan to attract certain businesses to New Hampshire. **INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.**

Rep. Suzanne J. Smith for Resources, Recreation and Development. This bill would require the Department of Resources and Economic Development and Department of Environmental Services to work together to attract businesses to the state which would require a sustainable water supply. The committee heard testimony that DES has a strong partnership with DRED, and the agencies currently work together on all economic development recruitment or development projects for which environmental opportunities or concerns are identified. There were also concerns voiced that operations which are water dependent, such as breweries and beverage companies, could impact the state's water quality. Legislation enacted in 2014, Chapter 275, of Laws 2014, requires that these two agencies develop a 2-year economic development strategy and operating plan. Because this plan is in process, and DRED already markets the state to business and industry throughout the northeast, the committee unanimously agreed that HB 167 is unnecessary. Vote 17-0.

HB 174, establishing a committee to study the name and structure of the department of resources and economic development. **INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.**

Rep. Carol M. McGuire for Resources, Recreation and Development. This bill hoped to study the name and function of DRED, with the goal of renaming it to something with a less humorous acronym. After the sponsor investigated the situation, he realized that changing the name would involve something over \$200,000 and it wasn't worth it. The committee agreed. Vote 18-0.

HB 103, limiting the capabilities of wireless communication devices in motor vehicles. **INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.**

Rep. Carolyn Halstead for Science, Technology and Energy. This bill would regulate cell phone devices whether you are driving or not and thus does not help with minimizing distracted drivers. It also implies that distractions only come from cell phone use, when in reality; it is a much broader problem that can be better dealt with by education programs. The sponsor concurs with this decision but would like to keep the distraction of cell phones while driving in the forefront. Vote 19-0.

HB 132-L, relative to time-based rates for electric service. **INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.**

Rep. John E. Mann for Science, Energy and Technology. This bill would have required a utility to adjust timing of off-peak outdoor lighting rates to accommodate evening community sporting events. An alternative solution was found by the bill's sponsor, making this bill unnecessary. The sponsor recommended ITL. Vote 17-0.

HB 121, making a technical correction to the negligent driving statute. **OUGHT TO PASS.**

Rep. Brian K. Chirichiello for Transportation. This bill makes a technical correction to change RSA 626:2, I(d) to II(d). The bill was requested by the Department of Safety and approved by committee. Vote 14-0.

Referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety.

HB 134, establishing a committee to study the use of motorized scooter chairs on roadways and sidewalks. **OUGHT TO PASS.**

Rep. Pamela T. Brown for Transportation. Many of our constituents use motorized scooter chairs as their primary mode of transportation and may be in jeopardy when using such devices on roads and sidewalks. Many of our towns and cities do not have adequate sidewalks, forcing those who use this mode of transportation into the street. This bill will study and make recommendations to enhance safe use of these devices, making our roads safe for all. Vote 14-0.

REGULAR CALENDAR

HB 115, repealing the allocation of gross appropriations from the highway fund in the state budget. **OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT.**

Rep. Gene G. Chandler for Public Works and Highways. For many years, citizens and lawmakers have been concerned with the amount of Highway Fund money that goes to other agencies. While most of these funds are constitutionally allowed, concerns were raised about having a cap on the amount that could go to other agencies. In 2003, a law was passed requiring that no less than 74% of unrestricted revenue from the Highway Fund shall be allocated to the Department of Transportation; no more than 24% shall be allocated to the Department of Safety and no more than 2% to other projects or departments that comply with Part II, Article 6A of NH's Constitution. In 2008, the law was amended to adjust gross highway fund allocations over 6 years (3 biennia) from FY 2010 - FY 2014, ending with the current allocation: not less than 73% for

the Department of Transportation, not more than 26% to the Department of Safety and not more than 1% to other projects or departments that comply with Part II, Article 6A of the NH's Constitution. Since FY 2010, the legislature has approved and the Governor at the time has allowed two suspensions of RSA 9:9-b, resulting in the amount the Department of Transportation receives this FY to decrease to 66.97% and the amount Safety receives to increase to 31.87% and other projects and departments to increase to 1.16%. The committee is very concerned with this trend and strongly believes we should revert back to the original intent of RSA 9:9-b. If, during the current biennium, we had followed the language of the current statute, the Highway Fund would have received \$28 million dollars for construction projects, etc. than it did receive and almost \$39 million more since FY 2012. Is it no wonder that the general public is skeptical when it comes to trying to increase revenues to the Department of Transportation when we as a state cannot abide by the very laws we pass without suspending them and subverting the will of the legislature and NH's citizens? The amendment increases by two, the number of people who receive an annual report. Vote 15-0.

Amendment (0057h)

Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:

AN ACT relative to reports on gross appropriations from the highway fund in the tentative state budget.

Amend the bill by replacing all after the enacting clause with the following:

1 State Budget; Tentative Budget; Reports. Amend RSA 9:6 to read as follows:

9:6 Tentative Budget. Upon the receipt of the efficiency expenditure requests called for by RSA 9:4 and the preparation of the estimates of income called for by RSA 9:5, and not later than November 1 next succeeding, the commissioner of administrative services shall cause to be prepared a tentative budget conforming as to scope, contents, and character to the requirements of RSA 9:3 and containing the efficiency expenditure requests and estimates of revenue as called for by RSA 9:4 and RSA 9:5, which tentative budget shall be transmitted to the director of the budget for submittal to the governor. The tentative budget shall comply with the requirements of RSA 9:9-b. The budget shall be made available in printed format and in at least one electronic computer file format in common use at the time. The sections of the budget that state: gross appropriations from the highway fund, the highway block grant aid appropriation, the highway fund appropriation to the department of safety, and highway fund appropriations that are transferred to other agencies that comply with part II, article 6-a of the New Hampshire constitution relative to the use of highway funds, shall be reported to the president of the senate, the speaker of the house of representatives, and the ~~chairmen~~ **chairpersons** of the house and senate standing committees on finance, **the house public works and highways committee, and the senate transportation committee.**

2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect July 1, 2015.

AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill adds the house public works and highways committee and the senate transportation committee to the recipients of reports on gross appropriations from the highway fund in the tentative state budget.

Committee amendment adopted.

Committee report adopted and ordered to third reading.

HB 144, establishing a commission to study the long-term viability of the New Hampshire state port authority. **INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.**

Rep. Mark E. McConkey for Public Works and Highways. The Division of Ports and Harbors is assigned to the Pease Development Authority. There presently is an advisory committee in place (Port Authority Council). This council presently makes recommendations to the Division of Ports and Harbors concerning policy, programs and future goals. Their meetings are public and testimony presented to Public Works and Highways led the committee to believe that the proposed commission proposed in this bill was not necessary at this time. Vote 15-0.

Committee report adopted.

BILL REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT CALENDAR

HB 181, relative to the definition of "meeting" under the right-to-know law. **INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.**

Rep. Robbie L. Parsons for Judiciary. This bill would add non-meeting requirements to the right-to-know law (91-A). The purpose of adding this is unclear in that it would/could add many types of non-meetings i.e. political caucuses, meetings with counsel, etc. This addition would cause confusion with the non-public meetings, which are very specific on what reasons a public body can enter into one. HB 181 is not needed and is unclear about many things. Vote 15-2.

Rep. Rowe spoke in favor and yielded to questions.

Rep. Cali-Pitts spoke against and requested a roll call; sufficiently seconded.

YEAS 302 - NAYS 52**YEAS - 302****BELKNAP**

Comtois, Guy
Flanders, Donald
Luther, Robert

Dumais, Russell
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Fields, Dennis
Gallagher, Brian
Tilton, Franklin

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Chandler, Gene
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Comeau, Ed
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Fothergill, John
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Rappaport, Laurence
Thomas, Yvonne

GRAFTON

Abel, Richard
Brown, Chris
Darrow, Stephen
Hennessey, Martha
Maes, Kevin
Shackett, Jeffrey

Almy, Susan
Brown, Duane
Ford, Susan
Higgins, Patricia
Massimilla, Linda
Smith, Suzanne

Bailey, Brad
Brown, Rebecca
Gionet, Edmond
Hull, Robert
Nordgren, Sharon
Sykes, George

Bennett, Travis
Cooney, Mary
Hennessey, Erin
Ladd, Rick
Piper, Wendy
White, Andrew

HILLSBOROUGH

Adams, Christopher
Beaulieu, Jane
Booras, Efstathia
Coffey, James
Danielson, David
Edwards, Elizabeth
Freitas, Mary
Gidge, Kenneth
Gould, Linda
Hansen, Peter
Hinch, Richard
Katsiantonis, Thomas
Long, Patrick
McClarren, Donald
Notter, Jeanine
Ober, Russell
Pellegrino, Anthony
Rice, Kimberly
Rowe, Robert
Shattuck, Gilman
Smith, Timothy
Sullivan, Victoria
Vann, Ivy
Woodbury, David

Ammon, Keith
Belanger, James
Bouldin, Amanda
Cohen, Alan
DiSilvestro, Linda
Estevez, Eric
Fromuth, Bart
Goley, Jeffrey
Haefner, Robert
Harvey, Suzanne
Hogan, Edith
Kurk, Neal
Mangipudi, Latha
McLean, Mark
O'Brien, Sr., Michael
Ohm, Bill
Peterson, Ken
Roberts, Carol
Sanborn, Laurie
Shaw, Barbara
Snow, Kendall
Takesian, Charlene
Walsh, Robert

Balcom, John
Biggie, Barbara
Byron, Frank
Cornell, Patricia
Eastman, Eric
Flanagan, Jack
Gagne, Larry
Gonzalez, Carlos
Halstead, Carolyn
Heath, Mary
Jack, Martin
Lachance, Joseph
Manley, Jonathan
McNamara, Richard
O'Neil, William
Palmer, Barry
Pierce, David
Rosenwald, Cindy
Schleien, Eric
Silva, Peter
Soucy, Timothy
Twombly, Timothy
Williams, Kermit

Barry, Richard
Boehm, Ralph
Christensen, Chris
Cote, David
Edelblut, Frank
Forest, Armand
Gargas, Carolyn
Gorman, Mary
Hansberry, Daniel
Herbert, Christopher
Judy, Jean
Leishman, Peter
McCarthy, Peggy
Moore, Josh
Ober, Lynne
Parison, James
Proulx, Mark
Rouillard, Claire
Seidel, Carl
Simmons, Tammy
Sullivan, Daniel
Ulery, Jordan
Wolf, Terry

MERRIMACK

Alicea, Caroletta
Carson, Clyde
French, Barbara
Hill, Gregory
Kidder, David
MacKay, James
McGuire, Dan
Saunderson, George
Turcotte, Alan

Bartlett, Christy
Doherty, David
Gile, Mary
Hirsch, Geoffrey
Kotowski, Frank
Marple, Richard
Moffett, Howard
Schuett, Dianne
Wallner, Mary Jane

Bradley, Paula
Ebel, Karen
Henle, Paul
Horn, Werner
Kuch, Bill
Martin, John
Myler, Mel
Seaworth, Brian
Walsh, Thomas

Brewster, Michael
Frazer, June
Hess, David
Kenison, Linda
Luneau, David
McGuire, Carol
Patten, Dick
Shurtleff, Stephen
Wheeler, Deborah

ROCKINGHAM

Abrami, Patrick
Barnes, Arthur

Allen, Mary
Bates, David

Azarian, Gary
Berrien, Skip

Baldasaro, Alfred
Borden, David

Cahill, Michael
 Devine, James
 Emerick, J. Tracy
 Gannon, William
 Heffron, Frank
 Itse, Daniel
 Lovejoy, Patricia
 McBeath, Rebecca
 Nigrello, Robert
 Packard, Sherman
 Prudhomme-O'Brien, Katherine
 Spillane, James
 Thomas, Douglas
 Webb, James
 Wood, David

Chase, Francis
 Doucette, Fred
 Ferrante, Beverly
 Gordon, Pamela
 Hodgdon, Bruce
 Kappler, Lawrence
 Lundgren, David
 McKinney, Betsy
 O'Connor, John
 Pantelakos, Laura
 Sanders, Elisabeth
 Sweeney, Joe
 True, Chris
 Welch, David

Chirichiello, Brian
 Duarte, Joe
 Fesh, Robert
 Gordon, Richard
 Hoelzel, Kathleen
 Katsakiores, Phyllis
 Major, Norman
 Milz, David
 Oligny, Jeffrey
 Peckham, Michele
 Schroadter, Adam
 Sytek, John
 Vose, Michael
 Weyler, Kenneth

Christie, Andrew
 Elliott, Robert
 Francese, Paula
 Guthrie, Joseph
 Introne, Robert
 Kellogg, Shem
 Matthews, Carolyn
 Moody, Marcia
 Osborne, Jason
 Potucek, John
 Simpson, Alexis
 Tamburello, Daniel
 Ward, Joanne
 Woitkun, Steven

STRAFFORD

Baber, William
 Burton, Wayne
 Gardner, Janice
 Jones, Laura
 Pitre, Joseph
 Southworth, Thomas
 Turcotte, Leonard
 Whitehouse, Joshua

Beaudoin, Steven
 Cheney, Catherine
 Gray, James
 Kaen, Naida
 Rollo, Deanna
 Spang, Judith
 Verschueren, James

Berube, Roger
 DeLemus, Susan
 Hannon, Joseph
 Leeman, Don
 Schmidt, Peter
 Sprague, Dale
 Wall, Janet

Bixby, Peter
 DiSesa, Len
 Horrigan, Timothy
 Mullen, John
 Smith, Marjorie
 Stevens, Audrey
 Ward, Kenneth

SULLIVAN

Bridge, Ernest
 Grenier, James

Cloutier, John
 Laware, Thomas

Gagnon, Raymond
 Rollins, Skip

Gottling, Suzanne
 Smith, Steven

NAYS - 52

BELKNAP

Aldrich, Glen

Howard, Jr., Raymond

Hurt, George

Spanos, Peter

Cordelli, Glenn

McCarthy, Frank

McConkey, Mark

Parker, Harold

CARROLL

CHESHIRE

Roberts, Kris

Robertson, Timothy

Tilton, Benjamin

COOS

Hatch, William

Rideout, Leon

GRAFTON

Ingbretson, Paul

Johnson, Eric

Townsend, Charles

HILLSBOROUGH

Backus, Robert
 Donovan, Daniel
 Hopper, Gary
 Souza, Kathleen

Burt, John
 Ferreira, Elizabeth
 LeBrun, Donald
 Straight, Phillip

Christiansen, Lars
 Goulette, William
 Murotake, David

Christie, Rick
 Guerette, C. Lee
 Murphy, Keith

MERRIMACK

French, Harold
 Rogers, Katherine

Karrick, David

Long, Douglas

Ratzki, Mario

ROCKINGHAM

Abramson, Max
 Cook, Allen
 McMahon, Charles

Bush, Carol
 Cushing, Robert
 Rice, Frederick

Cali-Pitts, Jacqueline
 DiFranco, Debbie
 Tucker, Pamela

Cardon, G. Thomas
 Harris, Jeffrey
 Ward, Gerald

STRAFFORD

Cilley, Jacalyn

Groen, Warren

Kaczynski, Jr., Thomas

Wuelper, Kurt

SULLIVAN

Converse, Larry
 and the committee report was adopted.

MOTION TO AMEND HOUSE RULES

Rep. Carol McGuire moved that House Rules be amended to allow the deadline to amend Rules by a majority vote to be moved to today, February 4, 2015.

Rep. Carol McGuire spoke in favor and yielded to questions.

Rep. Chandler spoke against.

Rep. Flanagan requested a roll call; sufficiently seconded.

YEAS 120 - NAYS 235**YEAS - 120****BELKNAP**

Aldrich, Glen
Howard, Jr., Raymond
Sylvia, Michael

Comtois, Guy
Hurt, George
Tilton, Franklin

Fisher, Robert
LeBreche, Shari
Vadney, Herbert

Fraser, Valerie
Luther, Robert

CARROLL

Comeau, Ed

Cordelli, Glenn

McCarthy, Frank

Wright, Ted

CHESHIRE

McConnell, Jim

COOS

Rappaport, Laurence

Rideout, Leon

GRAFTON

Hull, Robert

Ingbertson, Paul

Johnson, Eric

Shackett, Jeffrey

HILLSBOROUGH

Adams, Christopher
Burt, John
Donovan, Daniel
Ferreira, Elizabeth
Halstead, Carolyn
Lachance, Joseph
Murotake, David
Palmer, Barry
Seidel, Carl
Sullivan, Victoria
Wolf, Terry

Ammon, Keith
Christie, Rick
Eastman, Eric
Fromuth, Bart
Hansen, Peter
McClarren, Donald
Murphy, Keith
Parison, James
Silva, Peter
Takesian, Charlene

Boehm, Ralph
Coffey, James
Edwards, Elizabeth
Gonzalez, Carlos
Hogan, Edith
McLean, Mark
Notter, Jeanine
Rice, Kimberly
Simmons, Tammy
Twombly, Timothy

Bouldin, Amanda
Cohen, Alan
Estevez, Eric
Gould, Linda
Hopper, Gary
Moore, Josh
Ohm, Bill
Schleien, Eric
Souza, Kathleen
Ulery, Jordan

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Kuch, Bill
McGuire, Dan

French, Harold
Marple, Richard
Patten, Dick

Hill, Gregory
Martin, John
Seaworth, Brian

Horn, Werner
McGuire, Carol

ROCKINGHAM

Abramson, Max
Bush, Carol
Emerick, J. Tracy
Harris, Jeffrey
Kellogg, Shem
Rice, Frederick
Tamburello, Daniel
Tucker, Pamela

Allen, Mary
Chirichiello, Brian
Ferrante, Beverly
Hodgdon, Bruce
Lundgren, David
Schroadter, Adam
Tasker, Kyle
Vose, Michael

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Gannon, William
Itse, Daniel
Oigny, Jeffrey
Spillane, James
Thomas, Douglas
Weyler, Kenneth

Bates, David
Duarte, Joe
Gordon, Richard
Kappler, Lawrence
Osborne, Jason
Sweeney, Joe
True, Chris
Wood, David

STRAFFORD

Beaudoin, Steven
Hannon, Joseph
Turcotte, Leonard

Cheney, Catherine
Kaczynski, Jr., Thomas
Whitehouse, Joshua

DeLemus, Susan
Leeman, Don
Wuelper, Kurt

Groen, Warren
Pitre, Joseph

SULLIVAN

Bridge, Ernest

Gagnon, Raymond

Laware, Thomas

NAYS - 235**BELKNAP**

Dumais, Russell
Spanos, Peter

Fields, Dennis

Flanders, Donald

Gallagher, Brian

CARROLL

Buco, Thomas
McConkey, Mark
Ticehurst, Susan

Butler, Edward
Nelson, Bill
Umberger, Karen

Chandler, Gene
Parker, Harold

Crawford, Karel
Schmidt, Stephen

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Abbott, Michael
Chase, Cynthia
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Robertson, Timothy
Tatro, Bruce

Ames, Richard
Eaton, Daniel
Mann, John
Sad, Tara
Tilton, Benjamin

Berch, Paul
Emerson, Susan
Pearson, William
Shepardson, Marjorie
Weber, Lucy

Bordenet, John
Hunt, John
Roberts, Kris
Sterling, Franklin

COOS

Fothergill, John
Richardson, Herbert

Froburg, Alethea
Theberge, Robert

Hatch, William
Tholl, John

Moynihan, Wayne
Thomas, Yvonne

GRAFTON

Abel, Richard
Brown, Chris
Darrow, Stephen
Hennessey, Martha
Massimilla, Linda
Sykes, George

Almy, Susan
Brown, Duane
Ford, Susan
Higgins, Patricia
Nordgren, Sharon
Townsend, Charles

Bailey, Brad
Brown, Rebecca
Gionet, Edmond
Ladd, Rick
Piper, Wendy
White, Andrew

Bennett, Travis
Cooney, Mary
Hennessey, Erin
Maes, Kevin
Smith, Suzanne

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Christensen, Chris
Danielson, David
Forest, Armand
Gidge, Kenneth
Guerette, C. Lee
Heath, Mary
Judy, Jean
Leishman, Peter
McCarthy, Peggy
Ober, Lynne
Pierce, David
Rouillard, Claire
Shaw, Barbara
Straight, Phillip
Williams, Kermit

Balcom, John
Biggie, Barbara
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DiSilvestro, Linda
Freitas, Mary
Goley, Jeffrey
Haefner, Robert
Herbert, Christopher
Katsiantonis, Thomas
Long, Patrick
McNamara, Richard
Ober, Russell
Proulx, Mark
Rowe, Robert
Smith, Timothy
Sullivan, Daniel
Woodbury, David

Barry, Richard
Booras, Efsthathia
Cornell, Patricia
Edelblut, Frank
Gagne, Larry
Gorman, Mary
Hansberry, Daniel
Hinch, Richard
Kurk, Neal
Mangipudi, Latha
O'Brien, Sr., Michael
Pellegrino, Anthony
Roberts, Carol
Sanborn, Laurie
Snow, Kendall
Vann, Ivy

Beaulieu, Jane
Byron, Frank
Cote, David
Flanagan, Jack
Gargas, Carolyn
Goulette, William
Harvey, Suzanne
Jack, Martin
LeBrun, Donald
Manley, Jonathan
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Shattuck, Gilman
Soucy, Timothy
Walsh, Robert

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Henle, Paul
Kenison, Linda
Luneau, David
Ratzki, Mario
Shurtleff, Stephen
Wheeler, Deborah

Bradley, Paula
Frazer, June
Hess, David
Kidder, David
MacKay, James
Rogers, Katherine
Turcotte, Alan

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Hirsch, Geoffrey
Kotowski, Frank
Moffett, Howard
Saunderson, George
Wallner, Mary Jane

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Francese, Paula
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O'Connor, John
Potucek, John
Sytek, John
Welch, David

Azarian, Gary
Cahill, Michael
Christie, Andrew
Doucette, Fred
Gordon, Pamela
Introne, Robert
Matthews, Carolyn
Milz, David
Packard, Sherman
Prudhomme-O'Brien, Katherine
Ward, Gerald
Woitkun, Steven

Barnes, Arthur
Cali-Pitts, Jacqueline
Cushing, Robert
Elliott, Robert
Guthrie, Joseph
Katsakiores, Phyllis
McBeath, Rebecca
Moody, Marcia
Pantelakos, Laura
Sanders, Elisabeth
Ward, Joanne

Berrien, Skip
Cardon, G. Thomas
Devine, James
Fesh, Robert
Heffron, Frank
Lovejoy, Patricia
McKinney, Betsy
Nigrello, Robert
Peckham, Michele
Simpson, Alexis
Webb, James

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Baber, William
Cilley, Jacalyn
Horrigan, Timothy
Rollo, Deanna
Spang, Judith
Wall, Janet

Berube, Roger
DiSesa, Len
Jones, Laura
Schmidt, Peter
Sprague, Dale
Ward, Kenneth

Bixby, Peter
Gardner, Janice
Kaen, Naida
Smith, Marjorie
Stevens, Audrey

Burton, Wayne
Gray, James
Mullen, John
Southworth, Thomas
Verschueren, James

SULLIVAN

Cloutier, John
Rollins, Skip

Converse, Larry
Smith, Steven

Gottling, Suzanne

Grenier, James

and the motion failed lacking the necessary two-thirds vote.

Rep. Itse moved the adoption of a floor amendment to House Rule 30.

AMENDMENT TO HOUSE RULES**Proposed by Reps. Itse, Baldasaro and Ingbretson.**

Amend House Rule 30, to read:

30. Committee names and duties. The following standing policy committees shall be appointed at the commencement of any session and will consist of not more than 24 members, with the exception of the House Finance Committee, which will have no more than 26 members: Children and Family Law; Commerce and Consumer Affairs; Criminal Justice and Public Safety; Education; Election Law; Environment and Agriculture; Executive Departments and Administration; Finance; Fish and Game and Marine Resources; *Government Oversight and Audit*; Health, Human Services and Elderly Affairs; Judiciary; Labor, Industrial and Rehabilitative Services; Legislative Administration; Municipal and County Government; Public Works and Highways; Resources, Recreation and Development; Rules; Science, Technology and Energy; State-Federal Relations and Veterans Affairs; Transportation; and Ways and Means. The Speaker may designate divisions within committees.

Amend House Rule 30 (g) to read as follows:

30 (g) It shall be the duty of the Committee on Executive Departments and Administration to consider matters pertaining to the general administration of state laws and changes therein; matters of policy pertaining to the executive departments; matters relating to the New Hampshire Retirement System; matters pertaining to the administration of professional licensing; ~~review of performance audits~~; and such other matters as may be referred to it. Amend House Rule 30 by adding the following:

30. (v) It shall be the duty of the Committee on Government Oversight and Audit to hear petitions for redress; to review all audit reports regarding the executive branch and the judicial branch; and to conduct all investigations of impeachment. The committee shall have authority to demand oaths of witnesses and to request that the House of Representatives issue subpoenas to provide testimony and/or material to the committee. For the purpose of reviewing audit reports the Speaker may appoint members from the standing committees responsible the subject area as special members; members from the Committee on Executive Departments and Administration shall be appointed for performance audits.

Amend House Rule 31 to read as follows:

31. Reporting: meeting. The committees shall promptly consider and report on all matters referred to them. ~~It shall also be the duty of each standing committee to review audits in the subject areas for which they are responsible and to consider suggestions for recommended legislation identified in such audits and monitor compliance with audit recommendations. In the case of performance audits, the standing committee shall coordinate its review with the Committee on Executive Departments and Administration.~~ The standing committees, or any special committees, shall meet during the session in the respective committee rooms at such times as the committee may determine, unless the House shall otherwise order. No committee shall meet while the House is in session unless the Speaker shall consider it necessary. The Speaker may authorize any committee having a heavy workload to meet as needed on non-legislative days.

Reps. Itse and Ingbretson spoke in favor.

Rep. Hess spoke against and yielded to questions.

Rep. Itse requested a roll call; sufficiently seconded.

YEAS 119 - NAYS 236**YEAS - 119****BELKNAP**

Aldrich, Glen
Howard, Jr., Raymond
Vadney, Herbert

Comtois, Guy
Hurt, George

Fisher, Robert
Luther, Robert

Fraser, Valerie
Sylvia, Michael

CARROLL

Comeau, Ed

Cordelli, Glenn

McCarthy, Frank

Wright, Ted

CHESHIRE

McConnell, Jim

Tilton, Benjamin

COOS

Rappaport, Laurence

Rideout, Leon

GRAFTON

Brown, Duane
Ingbretson, Paul

Darrow, Stephen
Johnson, Eric

Hennessey, Erin

Hull, Robert

HILLSBOROUGH

Adams, Christopher
Burt, John
Donovan, Daniel
Ferreira, Elizabeth

Ammon, Keith
Christiansen, Lars
Eastman, Eric
Fromuth, Bart

Boehm, Ralph
Christie, Rick
Edwards, Elizabeth
Gould, Linda

Bouldin, Amanda
Coffey, James
Estevez, Eric
Goulette, William

Guerette, C. Lee
Hopper, Gary
Moore, Josh
Ohm, Bill
Seidel, Carl
Straight, Phillip
Zaricki, Nick

Halstead, Carolyn
Lachance, Joseph
Murotake, David
Parison, James
Silva, Peter
Sullivan, Victoria

Hansen, Peter
McClarren, Donald
Murphy, Keith
Rice, Kimberly
Souza, Kathleen
Twombly, Timothy

Hogan, Edith
McLean, Mark
Notter, Jeanine
Schleien, Eric
Stepanek, Stephen
Ulry, Jordan

MERRIMACK

Brewster, Michael
Kuch, Bill
McGuire, Dan

French, Harold
Marple, Richard
Patten, Dick

Hill, Gregory
Martin, John
Seaworth, Brian

Horn, Werner
McGuire, Carol

ROCKINGHAM

Abramson, Max
Bush, Carol
Emerick, J. Tracy
Hodgdon, Bruce
Oigny, Jeffrey
Rice, Frederick
Tamburello, Daniel
Tucker, Pamela

Allen, Mary
Chirichiello, Brian
Gannon, William
Itse, Daniel
Osborne, Jason
Schroadter, Adam
Tasker, Kyle
Vose, Michael

Baldasaro, Alfred
Cook, Allen
Gordon, Richard
Kappler, Lawrence
Peckham, Michele
Spillane, James
Thomas, Douglas
Wood, David

Bates, David
Duarte, Joe
Harris, Jeffrey
Kellogg, Shem
Prudhomme-O'Brien, Katherine
Sweeney, Joe
True, Chris

STRAFFORD

Beaudoin, Steven
Kaczynski, Jr., Thomas
Turcotte, Leonard

DeLemus, Susan
Leeman, Don
Wuelper, Kurt

Groen, Warren
Mullen, John

Hannon, Joseph
Pitre, Joseph

SULLIVAN

Rollins, Skip

NAYS - 236

BELKNAP

Dumais, Russell
LeBreche, Shari

Fields, Dennis
Spanos, Peter

Flanders, Donald
Tilton, Franklin

Gallagher, Brian

CARROLL

Buco, Thomas
McConkey, Mark
Ticehurst, Susan

Butler, Edward
Nelson, Bill
Umberger, Karen

Chandler, Gene
Parker, Harold

Crawford, Karel
Schmidt, Stephen

CHESHIRE

Abbott, Michael
Chase, Cynthia
Ley, Douglas
Robertson, Timothy
Tatro, Bruce

Ames, Richard
Eaton, Daniel
Mann, John
Sad, Tara
Weber, Lucy

Berch, Paul
Emerson, Susan
Pearson, William
Shepardson, Marjorie

Bordenet, John
Hunt, John
Roberts, Kris
Sterling, Franklin

COOS

Fothergill, John
Richardson, Herbert

Froburg, Alethea
Tholl, John

Hatch, William
Thomas, Yvonne

Moynihan, Wayne

GRAFTON

Abel, Richard
Brown, Chris
Gionet, Edmond
Maes, Kevin
Shackett, Jeffrey
White, Andrew

Almy, Susan
Brown, Rebecca
Hennessey, Martha
Massimilla, Linda
Smith, Suzanne

Bailey, Brad
Cooney, Mary
Higgins, Patricia
Nordgren, Sharon
Sykes, George

Bennett, Travis
Ford, Susan
Ladd, Rick
Piper, Wendy
Townsend, Charles

HILLSBOROUGH

Backus, Robert
Belanger, James
Christensen, Chris
Danielson, David
Forest, Armand
Gidge, Kenneth
Haefner, Robert
Herbert, Christopher
Katsiantonis, Thomas
Long, Patrick
McNamara, Richard

Balcom, John
Biggie, Barbara
Cohen, Alan
DiSilvestro, Linda
Freitas, Mary
Goley, Jeffrey
Hansberry, Daniel
Hinch, Richard
Kurk, Neal
Mangipudi, Latha
O'Brien, Sr., Michael

Barry, Richard
Booras, Efstathia
Cornell, Patricia
Edelblut, Frank
Gagne, Larry
Gonzalez, Carlos
Harvey, Suzanne
Jack, Martin
LeBrun, Donald
Manley, Jonathan
O'Neil, William

Beaulieu, Jane
Byron, Frank
Cote, David
Flanagan, Jack
Gargas, Carolyn
Gorman, Mary
Heath, Mary
Judy, Jean
Leishman, Peter
McCarthy, Peggy
Ober, Lynne

Ober, Russell
Pierce, David
Rouillard, Claire
Shaw, Barbara
Soucy, Timothy
Walsh, Robert

Palmer, Barry
Proulx, Mark
Rowe, Robert
Simmons, Tammy
Sullivan, Daniel
Williams, Kermit

Pellegrino, Anthony
Roberts, Carol
Sanborn, Laurie
Smith, Timothy
Takesian, Charlene
Wolf, Terry

Peterson, Ken
Rosenwald, Cindy
Shattuck, Gilman
Snow, Kendall
Vann, Ivy
Woodbury, David

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Gile, Mary
Karrick, David
Long, Douglas
Myler, Mel
Schuett, Dianne
Walsh, Thomas

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Henle, Paul
Kenison, Linda
Luneau, David
Ratzki, Mario
Shurtleff, Stephen
Wheeler, Deborah

Bradley, Paula
Frazer, June
Hess, David
Kidder, David
MacKay, James
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Turcotte, Alan

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Abrami, Patrick
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Heffron, Frank
Lovejoy, Patricia
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Sytek, John
Welch, David

Azarian, Gary
Cahill, Michael
Christie, Andrew
Doucette, Fred
Francesca, Paula
Hoelzel, Kathleen
Lundgren, David
McKinney, Betsy
Nigrello, Robert
Potucek, John
Ward, Gerald
Weyler, Kenneth

Barnes, Arthur
Cali-Pitts, Jacqueline
Cushing, Robert
Elliott, Robert
Gordon, Pamela
Introne, Robert
Major, Norman
McMahon, Charles
O'Connor, John
Sanders, Elisabeth
Ward, Joanne
Woitkun, Steven

Berrien, Skip
Cardon, G. Thomas
Devine, James
Ferrante, Beverly
Guthrie, Joseph
Katsakiores, Phyllis
Matthews, Carolyn
Milz, David
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Rollo, Deanna
Spang, Judith
Wall, Janet

Berube, Roger
Cilley, Jacalyn
Horrigan, Timothy
Schmidt, Peter
Sprague, Dale
Ward, Kenneth

Bixby, Peter
DiSesa, Len
Jones, Laura
Smith, Marjorie
Stevens, Audrey

Burton, Wayne
Gardner, Janice
Kaen, Naida
Southworth, Thomas
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and the amendment failed lacking the necessary two-thirds vote.

RESOLUTION

Rep. Flanagan 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, that the reading of bills be by title only and resolutions by caption only and that all bills ordered to third reading be read a third time by this resolution, and that all titles of bills be the same as adopted, and that they be passed at the present time, and when the House adjourns today it be to meet Wednesday, February 11, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.

Adopted.

LATE SESSION

Third reading and final passage

HB 135, relative to qualifications of assistant election officials.

HB 102, relative to consideration of warrant articles.

HB 134, establishing a committee to study the use of motorized scooter chairs on roadways and sidewalks.

HB 115, relative to reports on gross appropriations from the highway fund in the tentative state budget.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT

Rep. Mangipudi requested Unanimous Consent of the House in regards to a diversity celebration and addressed the House.

Rep. Umberger requested Unanimous Consent of the House in regards to memorial remarks for the former Representative from Conway, the Honorable Howard "Crow" Dickinson and addressed the House.

Rep. Flanagan requested Unanimous Consent of the House in regards to an apology and addressed the House.

MOTION TO PRINT REMARKS

Rep. Shurtleff moved that the remarks made by Rep. Umberger be printed in the Permanent Journal.

Adopted.

REMARKS

Rep. Umberger: Thank you, Mister Speaker. Forty years ago on the first Wednesday in December, Howard Crow Dickinson sat here in this chamber and raised his hand for the first time to be sworn in as a State Representative from Conway. He would take the oath of office fifteen more times. For thirty-two consecutive years, Crow would drive from Conway to the state house to do the people's business. Crow was always affable and well liked by the myriad of legislators he met in those thirty-two years. His easygoing nature and gentlemanly conduct were hallmarks of his time at the state house and the major reason he had so many friends. He was also well liked by the legislative staff as can be attested to by the number of times folks would inquire, how is Crow doing? Crow had many accomplishments, but the ones he was most proud of were the development of the current use assessment regulations and the skier's liability policy. These two accomplishments have had a profound effect on the fabric of New Hampshire. Crow served twenty years on the Resources, Recreation and Development Committee with ten years as its Chairman. He also served on Ways and Means and Election Law. Let me digress just a little. Crow along with many other legislators would stay at the Highway Hotel. A lot of business, as well as monkey business, occurred. It provided for a comradery among legislators and an opportunity to cuss and discuss what was happening in the various committees as well as votes to be taken on the floor. Another infamous place was the American Legion. I understand Crow spent time during Session days enjoying the various offerings that were available to the legislators who were veterans. I need to point out this was before the voting machines were installed. How things have changed. Crow was also known for his chocolate chip cookies, particularly around this time of year when he would bring batches into the various legislative offices and as I understand, they were absolutely delectable. Who knew that Crow himself was a cookie monster? He did agree to let the folks know his secret for these wonderful cookies after many years of asking. His secret, follow the recipe for chocolate chip cookies on the bag of chips, add a little more brown sugar and then double the chips! The legislative staff had thought it was an old family recipe, but it was simply more chips. As with everything involving Crow, more was better. I know there are many other stories out there, some I am sure are best untold, but think about the good ones and how Crow Dickinson influenced your life. In addition to his legislative duties, he served on many local and state boards. Prior to his election as a State Representative, he served as a Conway selectman and was elected again as a Conway selectman once he left the legislature. Crow was well liked throughout the community and if you needed help of any kind, Crow was the person to call. Crow carried a cell phone, but that was as far as he would go in the world of technology. I had talked to him several times about hooking up to the internet, however, that was not in the cards and no amount of cajoling would change his mind. He believed in getting his information the old fashion way, talking on the phone, reading the newspapers, listening to the radio, getting copies of documents to be read and studied at his leisure. All I can say is this was Crow and no one was going to change how he obtained his information. Crow graduated from Harvard in 1958, served as an Ensign in the US Navy, worked in international banking and in 1968, received his master's degree in forestry from Yale University. Forestry was definitely his life's work. His legislative career spanned from 1974 to 2006. He passed away October 8, 2014. I would like to thank the Honorable Howard "Crow" Dickinson for his years of service to his country, his state and his town. He was truly one of a kind.

MOMENT OF SILENCE

A moment of silence was observed in honor and in memory of the former Representative from Conway, the Honorable Howard "Crow" Dickinson.

RECESS MOTION

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

Adopted.

The House recessed at 11:45 a.m.

RECESS

(Rep. Packard in the Chair)

RESOLUTION

Rep. Richard Gordon offered the following: **RESOLVED**, that pursuant to House Rule 35c and in accordance with the list in the possession of the Clerk, House Resolution numbered 12 shall be by this resolution read a first and second time by the therein listed title.

Adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE RESOLUTION**First, second reading**

HR 12, affirming revenue estimates for fiscal years 2015, 2016 and 2017.

RECESS