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SENATE CALENDAR

REPORTS, AMENDMENTS, HEARINGS,
MEETINGS AND NOTICES

THE SENATE WILL MEET IN SESSION ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2009 AT 10:00 A.M.

L A I D O N T H E T A B L E

CACR 11, relating to funding of public education. Providing that the general court shall define an adequate education and distribute state funds for public education in a manner that alleviates local disparities. **4/01/09, pending motion ITL, Education, SJ 10, pg. 162**

SB 21, enabling certain persons to vote in primaries prior to turning 18 years of age. **3/25/09, pending motion OTP, Election Law and Veterans' Affairs, SJ 9, pg. 138**

SB 34, providing that registers of probate be present at the probate office in accordance with personnel rules established by the supreme court. **2/18/09, pending motion OTP, Judiciary, SJ 5, pg. 58**

SB 83, establishing a committee to study net loss carry forward provisions under the business taxes. **3/25/09, pending motion OTP, Ways & Means, SJ 9, pg. 153**

SB 84, relative to the unused prescription drug program. **4/01/09, pending motion ITL, Judiciary, SJ 10, pg. 173**

SB 136-FN, relative to the motor vehicle registration fee supporting a municipal and transportation improvement fund. **3/4/09, pending motion ITL, Public and Municipal Affairs, SJ 6, pg. 79**

SB 146-FN-A, relative to liquor profits deposited into the alcohol abuse prevention and treatment fund. **3/25/09, pending motion OTP, Ways & Means, SJ 9, pg. 145**

SB 164-FN-A, relative to the expansion and funding of northern New Hampshire's electrical transmission system, and establishing the northern New Hampshire electrical transmission system improvement fund. **3/11/09, pending motion ITL, Energy, Environment and Economic Development, SJ 7, pg. 104**

SB 169-FN, relative to games of chance and establishing a gaming oversight authority and video lottery gaming. **3/11/09, pending motion ITL, Ways & Means, SJ 7, pg. 114**

SB 179-FN-A-L, providing for the recovery of horse racing, and expanding gaming operations in the north country and at pari-mutuel locations. **3/11/09, pending motion OTP, Ways & Means, SJ 7, pg. 114**

HB 383, relative to passenger restraints. **4/29/09, pending motion OTP, Transportation & Interstate Cooperation, SJ 13, pg. 261**

HB 395, (New Title) requiring electric utilities to offer renewable energy source options. **5/13/09, pending motion Committee Amendment (1558s), Energy, Environment and Economic Development, SJ 15, pg. TBA**

HB 501, relative to recovery of assistance by the department of health and human services. **5/06/09, pending motion OTP, Health & Human Services, SJ 14, pg. TBA**

HB 556-FN, repealing the death penalty. **4/29/09, pending motion Committee Amendment (1405s), Judiciary, SJ 13, pg. 260**

HB 574-FN-L, authorizing liens for unpaid building code violations and requiring landlord agents for restricted rental property. **5/13/09, pending motion OTP, Judiciary, SJ 15, pg. TBA**

Note: House Bills Special-Ordered from May 13, 2009 are included in the Calendar.

REPORTS

COMMERCE, LABOR AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

HB 376, (New Title) relative to condominium association meetings.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 4-0.
Senator Bragdon for the committee.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION

HB 98, relative to reinstatement of lapsed licenses of speech-language pathologists.
Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.
Senator Carson for the committee.

HB 172, (New Title) allowing naturopathic doctors to dispense prescription drugs which are within their scope of practice.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 3-0.
Senator Downing for the committee.

HB 233, relative to the membership of the board of medicine.
Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.
Senator Carson for the committee.

HB 245, extending study committees and commissions.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 3-0.
Senator Cilley for the committee.

HB 256, relative to the New Hampshire accountancy act.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 4-0.
Senator Carson for the committee.

HB 302, (New Title) relative to the New Hampshire real estate practice act.
Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.
Senator Downing for the committee.

HB 460, relative to the system of visitor centers.
Ought to Pass, Vote 3-1.
Senator Cilley for the committee.

FINANCE

HB 468-FN-L, relative to caps on total billings by the state to the counties for nursing home care.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 7-0.
Senator Sgambati for the committee.

HB 508, relative to the county-state finance commission.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 7-0.
Senator Odell for the committee.

HB 685-FN, relative to medical benefits payment by the retirement system for certain vested deferred group I members.
Ought to Pass, Vote 7-0.
Senator Janeway for the committee.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

HB 250, relative to access to information in the abuse and neglect of adults registry and relative to persons providing child care or child placing services who are charged with a crime.
Inexpedient to Legislate, Vote 5-0.
Senator Sgambati for the committee.

PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

HB 107, making technical corrections to the law on taxation of farm structures and land under farm structures.
Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.
Senator DeVries for the committee.

HB 115, relative to licenses for the operation of motor vehicle recycling yards and junk yards.
Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.
Senator Roberge for the committee.

HB 142, relative to extending municipal leases.
Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.
Senator Houde for the committee.

HB 183, (New Title) relative to removal of town officers.
Inexpedient to Legislate, Vote 3-2.
Senator Houde for the committee.

HB 189, enabling municipalities to establish energy commissions.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 3-1.
Senator Houde for the committee.

HB 247, relative to the assistance of the state veterinarian with the investigation and enforcement of animal abuse laws.
Ought to Pass, Vote 3-0.
Senator Roberge for the committee.

HB 290, (New Title) authorizing fluvial erosion hazard ordinances.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 4-0.
Senator Barnes for the committee.

HB 315, clarifying a law relative to junkyards within industrial areas.
Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.
Senator Barnes for the committee.

TRANSPORTATION AND INTERSTATE COOPERATION

HB 34, (New Title) prohibiting writing a text message while driving.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Fuller Clark for the committee.

HB 112, relative to addresses on motor vehicle registrations.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 4-0.
Senator Gilmour for the committee.

HB 186, (New Title) relative to rulemaking concerning rafts on public waters and prohibiting the rental of a motorized watercraft to a person who does not have a certificate of boating safety education.
Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.
Senator Letourneau for the committee.

HB 273, relative to submission of electronic data by municipal and county inspection stations.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Fuller Clark for the committee.

HB 372, (New Title) relative to drivers' licenses for persons with certain seizure disorders.
Inexpedient to Legislate, Vote 4-0.
Senator Gilmour for the committee.

HB 485, establishing a committee to study enforcement of walking disability placard violations.
Ought to Pass, Vote 4-0.
Senator Letourneau for the committee.

HB 518, relative to driver's license application forms.
Ought to Pass with Amendment, Vote 5-0.
Senator Letourneau for the committee.

HB 613, establishing a committee to study the advantages and disadvantages of state acquisition of the remaining rail corridors.
Inexpedient to Legislate, Vote 3-1.
Senator Letourneau for the committee.

WAYS AND MEANS

HB 97, relative to the lottery commission's ability to make rules concerning the Multi-State Lottery Association.
Ought to Pass, Vote 7-0.
Senator Gilmour for the committee.

HB 437, relative to the operation of the Chesterfield welcome and information center.
Ought to Pass, Vote 7-0.
Senator D'Allesandro for the committee.

WILDLIFE, FISH AND GAME AND AGRICULTURE

HB 48, establishing a committee on agriculture in the classroom.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Merrill for the committee.

HB 63, relative to the use of the term "farmers' markets" in corporation names.

Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Gilmour for the committee.
HB 148, relative to the sale and vaccination of animals.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Janeway for the committee.
HB 635, relative to raw milk yogurt.
Ought to Pass, Vote 5-0.
Senator Gilmour for the committee.

AMENDMENTS

Transportation and Interstate Cooperation
May 7, 2009
2009-1561s
03/04

Amendment to HB 112

Amend RSA 261:52-c as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

261:52-c Re-Registration by Residents Without a Permanent Street Address. Residents who are homeless without a permanent street address at the time of re-registration may register a vehicle by certifying that they are currently resident in the town and providing a letter from an agency described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code stating that they have permission to use the agency as a mailing address for purposes of contact by the department. Residency for the purposes of this section shall be defined as the expressed intention to continue to reside in the municipality after a period of time not to exceed 2 years.

Senate Executive Departments and Administration
May 6, 2009
2009-1524s
01/04

Amendment to HB 172

Amend the bill by replacing section 2 with the following:

2] Effective Date. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Public and Municipal Affairs
May 7, 2009
2009-1553s
06/09

Amendment to HB 189

Amend RSA 38-D:3 as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

38-D:3 Membership. The commission shall consist of no fewer than 3 nor more than 10 members. In cities, the members of the commission shall be appointed by the city council subject to the provisions of the city charter, and in towns the members of the commission shall be appointed by the board of selectmen. Alternate members may be appointed in a like manner and when the alternate serves in the absence or disqualification of a regular member, the alternate shall have full voting powers. When a commission is first established, terms of the members shall be for one, 2, or 3 years, and so arranged that the terms of approximately 1/3 of the members will expire each year, and their successors shall be appointed for terms of 3 years each. Any member of a commission so appointed may, after a public hearing with notice under RSA 675:7, if requested, be removed for cause by the appointing authority. A vacancy occurring other than by expiration of a term shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same manner as an original appointment. Members of an energy commission shall be residents of the city or town which they represent. Members of an energy commission also may serve on other municipal boards and commissions, including but not limited to, a conservation commission under RSA 36-A, local planning boards under RSA 672, historic district commission established under RSA 673:4, and a heritage commission established under RSA 673:4-a.

Amend RSA 38-D:5, I as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

I. A town or city, having established an energy commission, may appropriate money as necessary for the purpose of this chapter. All or any part of money so appropriated in any year and any gifts of money received under this chapter may be placed in an energy commission fund and allowed to accumulate from year to year. Money may be expended from such fund by the energy commission for the purposes of this chapter without further approval of the town meeting; however, acceptance of gifts over \$500 and disbursements over \$500 shall require a public hearing with notice under RSA 675:7 and approval of the governing body.

Senate Executive Departments and Administration
May 6, 2009
2009-1522s
09/04

Amendment to HB 245

Amend the bill by replacing section 4 with the following:

4 Commission to Study Automobile Recycling Issues. Amend 2007, 273:5 and 273:6 to read as follows:
273:5 Report. The commission shall make an interim report of its findings and any recommendations for proposed legislation to the speaker of the house of representatives, the president of the senate, the chairperson of the house executive departments and administration committee, the chairperson of the environment and agriculture committee, the house clerk, the senate clerk, the governor, and the state library on or before November 1, 2007. The commission shall make a final report of its findings, if any, and recommendations for proposed legislation, if any, to the speaker of the house of representatives, the president of the senate, the chairperson of the house executive departments and administration committee, the chair person of the environment and agriculture committee, the house clerk, the senate clerk, the governor, and the state library on or before November 1, [2008] **2010**.
273:6 Repeal. The study commission established in this act relative to automobile recycling issues, is repealed effective November 1, [2008] **2010**.

Senate Executive Departments and Administration
May 7, 2009
2009-1573s
10/04

Amendment to HB 256

Amend the bill by replacing section 13 with the following:

13 New Paragraphs; Renewal; Rulemaking; Inactive Status. Amend RSA 309-B:7 by inserting after paragraph XII the following new paragraphs:

XIII. The board shall by rule require as a condition for renewal of a certificate under this section, by any certificate holder who issues compilation reports for the public other than through a CPA firm, that such individual undergo, no more frequently than once every 3 years, a peer review conducted in such manner as the board shall by rule specify, and such review shall include verification that such individual has met the competency requirements set out in professional standards for such services.

XIV. Upon the request of a licensee or certificate holder who is a member of any reserve component of the armed forces of the United States or the national guard and is called to active duty, the board shall place the person’s license or certificate on inactive status. The license or certificate may be reactivated within one year of the person’s release from active status by payment of the renewal fee and with proof of completion of the most current continuing education requirement unless still within the renewal period.

Public and Municipal Affairs
May 7, 2009
2009-1555s
03/10

Amendment to HB 290

Amend RSA 674:56, II(b) as inserted by section 2 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

(b) Any fluvial erosion hazard zoning shall be based on delineation of zones consistent with any fluvial erosion hazard protocols established by the department of environmental services in effect on the date of its adoption. If the planning board of a municipality proposes to adopt, by ordinance or amendment, a fluvial erosion hazard ordinance or an amendment to a fluvial erosion hazard ordinance, the board shall, prior to determining the final form of the ordinance or amendment under RSA 675:2 or RSA 675:3, submit to the department of environmental services a map of all fluvial erosion hazard zones. The department shall review the map and advise the board within 30 days whether the map and zones are consistent with department protocols. The department’s comments, if any, shall be advisory only.

Commerce, Labor and Consumer Protection
May 12, 2009
2009-1609s
05/04

Amendment to HB 376

Amend RSA 356-B:37, II as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

II. The board of directors shall make copies of the minutes of board meetings available to the unit owners within 60 days of the board meeting or 15 days of the date such minutes are approved by the board, whichever occurs first. The unit owner shall be responsible for any copying costs, except that, if the association chooses to make the minutes available electronically, there shall be no charge to the unit owner.

Senate Finance
May 14, 2009
2009-1661s
10/04

Amendment to HB 468-FN-LOCAL

Amend RSA 167:18-a, II as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

- II.(a) The total billings to all counties made pursuant to this section shall not exceed the amounts set forth below for state fiscal years 2009-~~2010~~ **2012**:
- (1) State fiscal year 2009, \$103,000,000.
 - (2) State fiscal year 2010, \$105,000,000.
 - (3) State fiscal year 2011, \$107,000,000.**
 - (4) State fiscal year 2012, \$109,000,000.**
- (b) The caps on total billings for fiscal years after fiscal year ~~2010~~ **2012** shall be established by the legislature on a biennial basis.

Senate Finance
May 14, 2009
2009-1652s
06/09

Amendment to HB 508

Amend RSA 28-B:3, VI(a) as inserted by section 2 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

- (a) Funds expended by the state for long-term care, including county reimbursement of said funds under RSA 167:18-a.

Transportation and Interstate Cooperation
May 14, 2009
2009-1662s
03/04

Amendment to HB 518

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

AN ACT relative to driver’s license application forms and relative to transporting manufactured housing and modular buildings.

Amend the bill by replacing all after section 1 with the following:

- 2 Words and Phrases Defined; Utility Dealer. Amend RSA 259:121, I to read as follows:
- I. Any person engaged in the manufacture, purchase, sale, or exchange at wholesale or retail of travel or camp trailers,

utility trailers, boat trailers, semi-trailers, tractors, farm equipment, construction equipment, chassis with special equipment, **modular buildings, manufactured housing**, or any combination thereof.

3 Use of Utility Plates; Modular Buildings. Amend RSA 261:121, I to read as follows:

I. Utility registration shall be used only for moving non-motorized vehicles, **modular buildings**, or chassis with specialized equipment which are either owned or not owned by the utility dealer for business purposes, including but not limited to delivery, demonstration, sale, or repair.

4 New Paragraph; Use of Utility Plates; Manufactured Housing. Amend RSA 261:121 by inserting after paragraph IV the following new paragraph:

V. A utility plate may be used by a manufacturer, dealer, or installer of manufactured housing, or his or her employees or agents contracted by the manufacturer, dealer, or installer, on a manufactured housing chassis owned or not owned by the manufacturer, dealer, or installer if used solely for the purpose of transporting manufactured housing to and from his or her place of business for sale or installation. Such chassis shall be exempt from inspection under RSA 266:1, but shall be subject to inspection by a law enforcement officer at any time when being transported on a way and shall be placed out of service by the law enforcement officer if it is found to be in an unsafe condition to be transported upon a way.

5 Effective Date.

I. Section 1 of this act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.

II. The remainder of this act shall take effect upon its passage.

2009-1662s

AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill authorizes the department of safety to omit certain options that are currently required to be on the driver's license application form. This bill also authorizes the use of a utility registration to transport manufactured housing and modular buildings.

HEARINGS

MONDAY, MAY 18, 2009

CAPITAL BUDGET, Room 100, SH
Sen. Janeway (C), Sen. Hassan (VC), Sen. D'Allesandro, Sen. Kelly, Sen. Gatsas, Sen. Downing
9:00 a.m. EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION

TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2009

COMMERCE, LABOR AND CONSUMER PROTECTION, Room 102, LOB
Sen. Hassan (C), Sen. DeVries (VC), Sen. Reynolds, Sen. Cilley, Sen. Bragdon, Sen. Roberge
8:30 a.m. HB 330, relative to life, accident, and health insurance.
8:45 a.m. HB 680, making technical changes in the insurance laws.
9:30 a.m. HCR 10, (New Title) urging modification of the North American Free Trade Agreement.
EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

EDUCATION, Room 103, LOB
Sen. Kelly (C), Sen. Merrill (VC), Sen. Fuller Clark, Sen. Lasky, Sen. Bragdon, Sen. Letourneau
10:15 a.m. EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION
ELECTION LAW AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS, Room 101, LOB
Sen. Lasky (C), Sen. Houde (VC), Sen. Merrill, Sen. Barnes, Sen. Carson
8:30 a.m. EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 101, LOB
Sen. Cilley (C), Sen. Fuller Clark (VC), Sen. DeVries, Sen. Downing, Sen. Carson

2:00 p.m. HB 149, relative to benefit eligibility of certain members of the city of Manchester employees' contributory retirement system.
2:20 p.m. HB 167, (New Title) relative to the guidelines for revaluations used by the assessing standards board, and the adoption of rules for disciplinary standards for assessing officials.
2:40 p.m. HB 297, (New Title) relative to the adoption of agency forms under the administrative procedures act and

relative to the notice of the expedited repeal of rules.

- 3:00 p.m. **HB 335**, relative to the state retiree health plan commission.
- 3:20 p.m. **HB 360**, relative to members of the general court participating in the state group health insurance plan.
- 3:40 p.m. **HB 514**, establishing a New Hampshire other post-employment benefits (OPEB) trust and enabling political subdivisions to create or participate in OPEB trusts.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

FINANCE, Room 102, LOB

Sen. Sgambati (C), Sen. Odell

2:00 p.m. **DIVISION III WORK SESSION**

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, Room 103, SH

Sen. Sgambati (C), Sen. Gilmour (VC), Sen. Kelly, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Downing

- 8:30 a.m. **HB 113**, (New Title) extending the moratorium on nursing home beds and rehabilitation beds.
- 8:45 a.m. **HB 158**, relative to the membership on the healthy kids board.
- 9:00 a.m. **HB 251**, relative to the state registry of founded reports of abuse, neglect, or exploitation of adults.
- 9:15 a.m. **HJR 2**, urging Congress to modify Medicare payments to enhance the compensation of primary care providers.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

JUDICIARY, Room 103, SH

Sen. Reynolds (C), Sen. Lasky (VC), Sen. Houde, Sen. Roberge, Sen. Letourneau

- 1:45 p.m. **HB 73**, relative to the solemnization of marriage.
- 2:00 p.m. **HB 694**, adopting the uniform child abduction prevention act.
- 2:15 p.m. **HB 695**, adopting the uniform child custody jurisdiction and enforcement act.
- 2:30 p.m. **HB 70**, relative to taking stones from stone walls.
- 2:45 p.m. **HB 106**, relative to penalties for land use violations.
- 3:00 p.m. **HB 312**, permitting a person to record a law enforcement officer in the course of such officer's official duties.
- 3:15 p.m. **HB 322**, (New Title) relative to the minimum age required to purchase fireworks.
- 3:30 p.m. **HB 342**, establishing a commission to study the juvenile court diversion law.
- 3:45 p.m. **HB 504**, relative to the termination of guardianship of a minor.
- 4:00 p.m. **HB 520**, establishing a commission to study the death penalty in New Hampshire.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

WAYS AND MEANS, Room 100, SH

Sen. Odell (C), Sen. D'Allesandro (VC), Sen. Janeway, Sen. Reynolds, Sen. Gilmour, Sen. Downing, Sen. Bradley

10:15 a.m. **CONTINUED REVENUE HEARINGS**

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2009

CAPITAL BUDGET, Room 100, SH

Sen. Janeway (C), Sen. Hassan (VC), Sen. D'Allesandro, Sen. Kelly, Sen. Gatsas, Sen. Downing

8:30 a.m. **EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION**

ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, Room 102, LOB

Sen. Fuller Clark (C), Sen. Merrill (VC), Sen. Cilley, Sen. Lasky, Sen. Odell, Sen. Bradley

- 8:30 a.m. **HB 45**, relative to the water supply land conservation program.
- 8:45 a.m. **HB 130**, relative to enforceability of publicly-owned land restrictions.
- 9:00 a.m. **HB 314-L**, (New Title) relative to the assessment of certain costs associated with proposed large groundwater withdrawals from wells.
- 9:15 a.m. **HB 443**, relative to underground storage facility operator training.
- 9:40 a.m. **HB 350**, prohibiting the sale and distribution of household cleaning products containing phosphorus.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

FINANCE, Room 100, SH

Sen. D'Allesandro (C), Sen. Janeway (VC), Sen. Larsen, Sen. Hassan, Sen. Sgambati, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Odell

10:30 a.m. **HB 429-FN**, relative to cider.

EXECUTIVE SESSION FOLLOWED BY ALL-DAY WORK SESSION

PUBLIC AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS, Room 103, LOB

Sen. DeVries (C), Sen. Houde (VC), Sen. Sgambati, Sen. Roberge, Sen. Barnes

- 8:30 a.m. **HB 321**, delaying the effective date of 2008 SB 342-FN-LOCAL, relative to workforce housing.
(HB 321 HAS A PROPOSED AMENDMENT CHANGING THE TITLE AND TEXT OF THE BILL TO ADD AUTHORIZATION FOR AN APPROPRIATIONS REDUCTION BY THE UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KEENE.)
- 8:50 a.m. **HB 351**, relative to the interest rate on late and delinquent property tax payments and subsequent payments.
- 9:00 a.m. **HB 96**, correcting certain references relating to municipal growth management.
- 9:10 a.m. **HB 446**, defining "unnecessary hardship" for purposes of zoning variances.
(THE PREVIOUS HEARING FOR HB 446 WAS RECESSED ON MAY 14TH)

EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

TRANSPORTATION AND INTERSTATE COOPERATION, Room 101, LOB

Sen. Letourneau (C), Sen. Gilmour (VC), Sen. Fuller Clark, Sen. Kelly, Sen. Gatsas

10:30 a.m. **EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION**

FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2009

FINANCE, Room 100, SH

Sen. D'Allesandro (C), Sen. Janeway (VC), Sen. Larsen, Sen. Hassan, Sen. Sgambati, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Odell

9:00 a.m. **ALL DAY WORK SESSION**

SATURDAY, MAY 23, 2009

FINANCE, Room 100, SH

Sen. D'Allesandro (C), Sen. Janeway (VC), Sen. Larsen, Sen. Hassan, Sen. Sgambati, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Odell

9:00 a.m. **ALL DAY WORK SESSION**

TUESDAY, MAY 26, 2009

COMMERCE, LABOR AND CONSUMER PROTECTION, Room 102, LOB

Sen. Hassan (C), Sen. DeVries (VC), Sen. Reynolds, Sen. Cilley, Sen. Bragdon, Sen. Roberge

- 8:30 a.m. **HB 237**, relative to accident and health insurance short-term policies.
- 8:50 a.m. **HB 238**, relative to market conduct and enforcement.
- 9:10 a.m. **HB 416**, relative to insurance examinations.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

FINANCE, Room 100, SH

Sen. D'Allesandro (C), Sen. Janeway (VC), Sen. Larsen, Sen. Hassan, Sen. Sgambati, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Odell

9:00 a.m. **EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION**

JUDICIARY, Room 103, SH

Sen. Reynolds (C), Sen. Lasky (VC), Sen. Houde, Sen. Roberge, Sen. Letourneau

- 2:00 p.m. **HB 295**, relative to mental health treatment for members of the armed forces and veterans convicted of crimes.
- 2:15 p.m. **HB 363**, eliminating requirements for additional breath tests for blood alcohol content.
- 2:30 p.m. **HB 370**, relative to equality of treatment of victims of crime.
- 2:45 p.m. **HB 438**, relative to admission into evidence of certain medical bills, reports, and records.
- 3:00 p.m. **HB 459**, relative to access to restorative justice programs by victims of crime.
- 3:15 p.m. **HB 621**, (New Title) relative to establishing procedures for identifying criminal defendants who may have a mental illness.
- 3:30 p.m. **HB 686**, relative to complaint procedures in cases before the commission for human rights.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MAY FOLLOW

THURSDAY, MAY 28, 2009

FINANCE, Room 100, SH
Sen. D'Allesandro (C), Sen. Janeway (VC), Sen. Larsen, Sen. Hassan, Sen. Sgambati, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Odell
10:30 a.m. **EXECUTIVE SESSION ON PENDING LEGISLATION**

MEETINGS

FRIDAY, MAY 15, 2009

FISCAL COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL COURT (RSA 14:30-a)
9:00 a.m. Rooms 210-211, LOB Regular Business Meeting
JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2)
9:00 a.m. Rooms 306-308, LOB Regular Meeting
WORKERS' COMPENSATION ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 281-A:62)
9:00 a.m. Room 303, LOB Regular Meeting
BOARD OF MANUFACTURED HOUSING (RSA 205-A:25)
1:00 p.m. Room 201, LOB Complaint Hearing

MONDAY, MAY 18, 2009

INTERAGENCY COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR WOMEN OFFENDERS (RSA 21-H:14-c)
9:00 a.m. Room 100, SH Regular Meeting
OIL FUND DISBURSEMENT BOARD (RSA 146-D:4)
9:00 a.m. Room 305, LOB Regular Meeting
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM JOINT LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 21-P:51)
10:00 a.m. Room 205, LOB Regular Meeting
NH COLLEGE TUITION SAVINGS PLAN ADVISORY COMMISSION (RSA 195-H:2)
10:00 a.m. New Hampshire Higher Education Regular Meeting
 Assistance Foundation
 4 Barrell Court
 Concord, NH
INTERBRANCH CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE COUNCIL (RSA 651-E)
1:30 p.m. Administrative Office of the Courts Regular Meeting
 2 Charles Doe Drive
 Concord, NH

TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2009

LONG RANGE CAPITAL PLANNING AND UTILIZATION COMMITTEE (RSA 17-M:1)
3:00 p.m. Room 201, LOB Regular Business Meeting

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2009

COMMISSION TO PROPOSE A RETIREE HEALTH CARE BENEFITS FUNDING MODEL (HB 1645, Chapter 300:13, Laws of 2008)
9:00 a.m. Room 308, LOB Regular Meeting
PUBLIC HEALTH IMPROVEMENT SERVICES COUNCIL (HB 491, Chapter 250:2, Laws of 2007)
2:00 p.m. Department of Health & Regular Meeting
 Human Services, Room 312
 29 Hazen Drive
 Concord, NH

FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2009

ASSESSING STANDARDS BOARD (RSA 21-J:14-a)

9:30 a.m. NH Department of Revenue Regular Meeting
Administration
Medical & Surgical Building
109 Pleasant Street
Concord, NH

NEW HAMPSHIRE RAIL TRANSIT AUTHORITY (RSA 238-A:2)

10:00 a.m. Rooms 201-203, LOB Regular Meeting

RIGHT TO KNOW OVERSIGHT COMMISSION (RSA 91-A:11)

10:00 a.m. Room 208, LOB Regular Meeting

ASSESSING STANDARDS BOARD (RSA 21-J:14-a)

1:30 p.m. NH Department of Revenue Low Income Housing Subcommittee
Administration
Medical & Surgical Building
109 Pleasant Street
Concord, NH

TUESDAY, MAY 26, 2009

ELECTRONIC BALLOT COUNTING DEVICE ADVISORY COMMITTEE (HB 285, Chapter 134:1, Laws of 2008)

9:30 a.m. HAVA Conference Room Regular Meeting
Archives and Record
Management Building
71 South Fruit Street
Concord, NH

ADVANCED MANUFACTURING EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 188-E:21)

3:00 p.m. Upham-Walker House Regular Meeting
18 Park Street
Concord, NH

FRIDAY, MAY 29, 2009

STATE PARK SYSTEM ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 216-A:3-k)

9:30 a.m. New Hampshire Charitable Regular Meeting
Foundation
37 Pleasant Street
Concord, NH

WELLNESS AND PRIMARY PREVENTION COUNCIL (RSA 126-M:3)

10:00 a.m. Room 205, LOB Regular Meeting

MONDAY, JUNE 1, 2009

CITIZENS TRADE POLICY COMMISSION (RSA 19-L:1)

9:00 a.m. Room 307, LOB Regular Meeting

COMMISSION TO STUDY AIR QUALITY ISSUES IN PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDINGS (HB 1171, Chapter 242:1, Laws 2008)

10:00 a.m. Room 206, LOB Regular Meeting
JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON ELDERLY AFFAIRS (RSA 17-H:2)

April 23, 2009

10:00 a.m.	Rooms 205-207, LOB	Regular Meeting
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 126-A:13)		
1:00 p.m.	Room 205, LOB	Regular Meeting
COMMISSION TO STUDY THE PREVENTION OF CHILDHOOD OBESITY (HB 1422, Chapter 219:1, Laws of 2008)		
3:15 p.m.	Room 205, LOB	Regular Meeting

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 2009

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF CHILDREN/STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES (RSA 186-C:3-b)

4:00 p.m.	NH Department of Education	Regular Meeting
	Londergan Hall, Room 15	
	101 Pleasant Street	
	Concord, NH	

FRIDAY, JUNE 5, 2009

JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2)

9:00 a.m.	Rooms 306-308, LOB	Continued Meeting
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ASSESSING STANDARDS BOARD (RSA 21-J:14-a)

9:30 a.m.	NH Department of Revenue	Regular Meeting
	Administration	
	Medical & Surgical Building	
	109 Pleasant Street	
	Concord, NH	

MONDAY, JUNE 8, 2009

COUNCIL ON THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT (RSA 125-P:1)

9:30 a.m.	Room 205, LOB	Regular Meeting
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TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 2009

MEDICAL MALPRACTICE PANEL AND INSURANCE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 519-B:11)

10:00 a.m.	Room 205, LOB	Regular Meeting
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FRIDAY, JUNE 12, 2009

ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND SUSTAINABLE ENERGY BOARD (RSA 125-O:5-a)

9:00 a.m.	NH Public Utilities Commission	Regular Meeting
	Hearing Room A, Suite 10	
	21 South Fruit Street	
	Concord, NH	

STATE SUGGESTION AND EXTRAORDINARY SERVICE AWARD EVALUATION COMMITTEE (RSA 99-E:1,I)

9:30 a.m.	Room 101, LOB	Regular Meeting
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GUARDIAN AD LITEM BOARD (RSA 490-C:1)

1:00 p.m.	Room 102, LOB	Regular Meeting
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MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2009

ASSESSING STANDARDS BOARD (RSA 21-J:14-a)

9:30 a.m.	NH Department of Revenue	Regular Meeting
	Administration	
	Medical & Surgical Building	

109 Pleasant Street
Concord, NH

ASSESSING STANDARDS BOARD (RSA 21-J:14-a)

1:30 p.m. NH Department of Revenue Low Income Housing Subcommittee
Administration
Medical & Surgical Building
109 Pleasant Street
Concord, NH

FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 2009

JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2)

9:00 a.m. Rooms 306-308, LOB Regular Meeting

MONDAY, JUNE 22, 2009

INTERAGENCY COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR WOMEN OFFENDERS (RSA 21-H:14-c)

9:00 a.m. Room 100, SH Regular Meeting

EQUALIZATION STANDARDS BOARD (RSA 21-J:14-c)

1:00 p.m. NH Department of Revenue Regular Meeting
Administration
Medical & Surgical Building
109 Pleasant Street
Concord, NH

FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 2009

JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2)

9:00 a.m. Rooms 306-308, LOB Continued Meeting

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM JOINT LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 21-P:51)

10:00 a.m. Room 205, LOB Regular Meeting

SENATE BILLS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

- SB 14,

relative to the governing boards of allied health professionals.
- SB 26,

relative to degree granting authority for St. John International University.
- SB 30,

(2nd New Title) relative to notice of rights under the manufactured housing law.
- SB 49,

relative to the board of barbering, cosmetology, and esthetics.
- SB 52,

making technical corrections to laws relative to courts and court procedures.
- SB 58,

relative to the use of alternating flashing lights on highway maintenance vehicles.
- SB 60,

(New Title) establishing a commission to study water infrastructure sustainability funding.
- SB 95,

(New Title) relative to criminal records checks for volunteers.
- SB 108,

establishing a committee to study the imposition of assessments to retirement system employers for excess benefits paid to retirees.
- SB 118,

relative to assistance in voting.
- SB 133-FN,

authorizing purple heart special number plates for veterans still on active duty.
- SB 155,

relative to financial disclosure by legislators.
- SB 156,

relative to the commission to study the creation of an animal care worker classification.
- SB 159-FN,

relative to broadband technology planning and development.

- SB160-FN,** relative to benefits of dependents of a group II retirement system member who is killed or dies in the performance of duty.
- SB 189,** relative to decisions of local land use boards.

ENROLLED BILL AMENDMENTS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE SENATE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR 2009 BILLS:
SENATE BILLS: 37, 117, 93, 153.
HOUSE BILLS: 84, 105, 310, 483, 545, 552.

FISCAL NOTE ADDITIONS AND UPDATES HAVE BEEN AMENDED TO THE BILLS ON THE WEB SITE AND ARE AVAILABLE IN THE SENATE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR THE FOLLOWING 2009 BILLS:
SENATE BILLS: 5, 10, 25, 28, 39, 65, 67, 68, 69, 79, 82, 89, 90, 99, 100, 103, 106, 107, 114, 134, 135, 137, 139, 141, 144, 145, 146, 149, 157, 159, 163, 165, 167, 169, 170, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 182, 185, 192, 200, 201, 202.
HOUSE BILLS: 2, 30, 41, 52, 56, 64, 86, 90, 112, 120, 193, 216, 223, 240, 250, 256, 279, 296, 302, 313, 334, 345, 378, 384, 392, 395, 408, 423, 424, 429, 433, 437, 460, 464, 468, 481, 530, 570, 578, 580, 585, 587, 592, 600, 602, 641, 671, 685.

NOTICES

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2009

The 7th Annual Rock ‘N Race to benefit the Concord Hospital Payson Center for Cancer Care will be taking place on Wednesday, May 20th. The start time will be shortly after 6:00 p.m. There will be heavy foot traffic as they expect over 6,000 participants. **The race start will take place on North Main Street and will finish on Park Street, with post-race activities taking place on the State House Plaza.**

Please note the following roads will be closed:

- Capital Street between North Main and North State Streets (Eastbound) from 12:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
 - North Main Street at Capitol Street (Northbound) from 4:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
 - Park Street between North Main Street and North State Streets (Westbound) from 4:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
- Senator Peter E. Bragdon, Minority Leader

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2009

All legislators and staff are cordially invited to the *New Hampshire Automobile Dealers Association’s Annual Legislative Reception* on Wednesday, May 20th at the Grappone Conference Center – Marriott Courtyard, 70 Constitution Avenue, Concord, beginning at 3:00 pm or following the session. NHADA has historically hosted this event which offers legislators a wonderful opportunity to unwind and enjoy the company of fellow legislators and staff in a fun, social gathering. This year in particular we want to recognize all of you for your support of New Hampshire dealers and their 13,000 employees.

Sylvia B. Larsen, Senate President

MONDAY, JUNE 1, 2009

Stephen J. Bartels, MD, MS, Medical Director, Bureau of Elderly and Adult Services, Professor of Psychiatry and of Community and Family Medicine, Dartmouth Centers for Health and Aging. Dr. Bartels will address Mental Illness and the Elderly. Legislators and interested persons are invited to attend on Monday, **June 1** at 10:00 a.m. in Rooms 205-207, LOB.
Senator Lou D'Allesandro

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2009

The 36th Annual Bill White & Junie Blaisdell Ceremonial & Memorial Legislative Golf Tournament for the benefit of the **American Heart Association** is scheduled for **Friday, September 18, 2009** at the Beaver Meadow Golf Club, Concord, NH. The entry fee for this annual tournament is \$50.00 per legislator and legislative staff and \$100 for all others **if paid by June 30, 2009**. The entry fee increases to \$75.00 per legislator and legislative staff and \$125 for all others if paid from July 01, 2009 to September 04, 2009. A continental breakfast and barbeque lunch will be provided. There are prizes for the top-place finishers, and a raffle.

Registration begins at 7:15 a.m. and the shotgun start is scheduled for 8:30 a.m. The format is “Captain and Crew.” Sign-up as a foursome or sign-up by yourself in order to be placed in a foursome.

Please note that, for planning purposes, payment must be made no later than September 4th. There will be no exceptions to this rule! Cancellation must occur two weeks prior to the tournament date to receive a refund.

Return your entry and payment no later than June 30, 2009 to Bob Blaisdell to receive the discounted rate and reserve your spot or no later than September 4th to reserve your spot at the regular rate. Checks should be made payable to: **NH Legislative Golf Committee.**

Mailed to: **Bob Blaisdell, The Demers Group, 72 North Main Street, Suite 301, Concord, NH 03301**
Senator Michael W. Downing

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36th Annual Bill White & Junie Blaisdell Ceremonial & Memorial Golf Tournament
Beaver Meadow Golf Course
Concord, NH

Name: 1. _____

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3. _____

4. _____

Telephone: _____ Amount Enclosed: _____

SENATE SCHEDULE

Monday, May 25, 2009	Memorial Day (State Holiday).
Thursday, June 04, 2009	Last day to ACT on all remaining House bills.
Wednesday, June 10, 2009	Last day to FORM Committees of Conference.
Thursday, June 18, 2009, at 12:00 p.m.	Last day to SIGN Committee of Conference Reports.

Thursday, June 25, 2009	Last day to ACT on Committee of Conference Reports.
Friday, July 3, 2009	Fourth of July (State Holiday).
Monday, September 7, 2009	Labor Day (State Holiday).
Wednesday, November 11, 2009	Veterans Day (State Holiday).
Thursday, November 26, 2009	Thanksgiving Day (State Holiday).
Friday, November 27, 2009	Day after Thanksgiving (State Holiday).
Friday, December 25, 2009	Christmas Day (State Holiday).

VISITORS' CENTER SCHEDULE - MAY & JUNE

State House Visitation Schedule

As a convenience to the members of the NH General Court, the Visitors' Center offers the following schedule of schools and other groups visiting the State House in **May & June 2009**. These listings are to ensure all members be notified in a timely manner of visitors from their district. Our schedule is tightly booked for the remainder of the school year and subject to changes. **Please contact the Visitors' Center concerning school tour booking information.** Legislators planning to meet with students should notify the Visitors' Center. Thank you for your continued participation with your School Visitation Program.

Virginia J. Drew, Director

Deborah Rivers, Public Information Administrator

May 15	10:00	Antrim Elementary School	39/4
May 15	11:30	Hopkinton High School	40/HS
May 15	11:30	Winnicunnet & Raymond High School	25/HS
May 15	12:30	Pierce School – Bennington	23/4
May 18	9:30	Villa Augustina School – Goffstown	15/4
May 18	10:30	Holy Trinity School – Laconia	15/4
May 18	11:00	Bakersville Elementary School – Manchester	50/4
May 18	12:00	Dunbarton School	28/4
May 19	9:00	Merrimack Middle School	50/8
May 19	10:30/12:00	Hampstead Central School	110/4
May 19	11:00	Good Shepherd School-Barrington	16/3-5
May 20	9:00	Merrimack Middle School	50/4
May 20	10:00	Lamprey River School – Raymond	60/4
May 20	11:00	Newfields Elementary School	33/4
May 21	9:30	Bartlett Elementary School – Goffstown	50/4
May 21	10:00	Pleasant Street School – Laconia	54/4
May 21	11:00	Derryfield School – Manchester	45/7
May 21	1:00	Plainfield School	30/4
May 22	9:00	Conant School – Concord	65/4
May 22	10:00	Gilmanton Elementary School	40/4
May 22	11:00	Linwood School – Lincoln	30/4
May 26	9:00	Sutton Central Elementary School	20/4
May 26	10:00	Enfield Elementary School	45/4
May 26	11:00	Plymouth Elementary School	45/4
May 26	1:30	Indian Head Resort	40/SRS

May 27	11:00	Madison Elementary School	21/4
May 27	11:00	Mountain Shadows School – Dublin	5/6
May 27	12:00	Saint Elizabeth of Seton School – Rochester	18/4
May 27	1:00	Holy Trinity School –Laconia	12/7
May 28	8:30	Concord High School Civics Classes	58/HS
May 28	10:30/12:00 SH/HM	Auburn Village School	75/4
May 28	1:30	Zimbabwe Visitors	15/Adults
May 29	10:00	Bernice A. Ray School – Hanover	45/4
May 29	11:00	Mt. Pleasant Elementary School – Nashua	65/4
May 29	1:00	Holderness Central School	28/4
May			
June 1	9:00	Florence Ride Out School – Wilton	49/4
June 1	10:00	Bernice A. Ray School – Hanover	45/4
June 2	10:00	Acworth Center School	13/4
June 2	10:00	John Fuller School – North Conway	35/4
June 2	1:00	Hall Memorial Library Home School	15
June 3	10:00/11:30 SH/HM	Interlakes Elementary School-Meredith	90/4
June 4	9:00	Ben Franklin School – Keene	25/4
June 4	10:00	Kensington Elementary School	38/4
June 4	11:00	Stratford Public School	26/4&5
June 5	9:30	Jonathan Daniels School – Keene	26/4
June 5	11:00	Salisbury-Webster School	40/4
June 5	12:00	Ellis School – Fremont	53/7
June 8	9:30/11:00 SH/HM	Hillsboro Deering School	104/4
June 9	10:30/12:00 SH/HM	Lakeway Elementary School – Littleton	54/4
June 9	9:00	Russell School – Rumney	16/4
June 10	9:00/10:30 SH/HM	Maple Street School – Hopkinton	84/4
June 11	9:00	NH Realtors Association	50/Adult
June 12	9:00/10:15 SH/SC	Riddle Brook Elementary School – Bedford	80/4
June 12	11:30	Disnard School – Claremont	43/4
June 11	11:30/1:00 SH/HM	DJ Bakie Elementary School – Kingston	78/4
June 18	9:30/11:00 SH/HM	Green Acres Elementary – Manchester	100/4
June 19	9:00/10:15 SH/SC	Riddle Brook Elementary School – Bedford	80/4