

Sen. Morgan, Dist 23
Sen. Hennessey, Dist 5
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Floor Amendment to HB 564

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

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3 1 New Subdivision; Possession of Firearms on School Property. Amend RSA 189 by inserting
4 after section 72 the following new subdivision:

5 Possession of Firearms on School Property

6 189:73 Possession of Firearms on School Property. The school board of every district may
7 develop and adopt a policy regulating the possession of firearms on public school property,
8 including, but not limited to, prohibiting any person from knowingly possessing a firearm on public
9 school property, including buildings, grounds, school buses, and vans. The process of adopting such
10 a policy shall involve at least one public hearing, noticed in the usual course, which shall also
11 include written notice designed to reach the general student population for purposes of soliciting
12 their input and participation.

13 189:74 Penalty. Any person who violates a policy adopted under RSA 189:73 shall be guilty of a
14 class A misdemeanor.

15 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill permits school districts to adopt a policy regulating the possession of firearms on school property.