

Amendment to HB 1661-FN-LOCAL

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

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3 AN ACT relative to regional career technical education agreements, relative to an  
4 appropriation for constructing a legislative parking garage, and establishing a  
5 temporary road toll refund.

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7 Amend the bill by replacing all after section 5 with the following:

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9 6 New Legislative Parking Garage; Razing of Department of Justice Building located at 33  
10 Capitol Street and Storrs Street Legislative Parking Garage; Appropriation. The sum of \$35,000,000  
11 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022 is hereby appropriated to the legislative branch for the  
12 purpose of designing, planning, and constructing a new legislative parking garage and razing the  
13 existing Storrs Street legislative parking garage and the department of justice building located at 33  
14 Capitol Street. The governor is authorized to draw a warrant for said sums out of any money in the  
15 treasury not otherwise appropriated. The appropriation shall not lapse.

16 7 New Section; Administration of Motor Vehicle Laws; Temporary Road Toll Refund. Amend  
17 RSA 260 by inserting after section 47 the following new section:

18 260:47-a Temporary Road Toll Refund.

19 I. For the period of July 1, 2022, through September 6, 2022, any person who is a resident of  
20 New Hampshire and who shall use any motor fuel, upon which the road toll has been paid to the  
21 state of New Hampshire, shall be entitled to a refund to the extent of the amount paid during this  
22 period.

23 II. Any person who is a resident of New Hampshire and who shall be entitled to a refund of  
24 the road toll paid under this section shall be reimbursed the amount of the road toll paid subject to  
25 the following conditions:

26 (a) All applications for refunds shall be made subject to prosecution for unsworn  
27 falsification pursuant to RSA 641:3 and shall be filed with the department no earlier than  
28 September 7, 2022, and no later than December 1, 2022.

29 (b) The application shall be in a form as the department shall prescribe and shall  
30 contain such information as required to give the commissioner a full and complete basis for  
31 determining the validity of the claim.

32 (c) The application shall be accompanied by an invoice showing the purchase, together  
33 with evidence of payment of the invoice satisfactory to the commissioner.

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1           (d) The provisions of RSA 260:44, relative to inspection of records and hearings, shall  
2 apply to this section, if so determined by the commissioner.

3           III. When the conditions in paragraphs I and II have been fully complied with and when,  
4 after investigation, the commissioner is satisfied that the claim is valid, the commissioner shall  
5 determine the amount of the refund due on the application and shall certify the amount and the  
6 name of the person entitled to the refund to the state treasurer.

7           IV. Any amount necessary to fund refunds under this section shall be appropriated to the  
8 department. The governor is authorized to draw a warrant for said sums out of any money in the  
9 treasury not otherwise appropriated.

10          V. The department shall report semi-annually to the speaker of the house, the senate  
11 president, and the governor, a summary of refund activity under this section. The first report shall  
12 be due no later than December 31, 2022.

13          8 Repeal; 2023. RSA 260:47-a, relative to the temporary road toll refund, is repealed.

14          9 Effective Date.

15           I. Section 6 of this act shall take effect June 30, 2022.

16           II. Section 8 of this act shall take effect July 1, 2023.

17           III. The remainder of this act shall take effect July 1, 2022.

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill requires sending district schools and career and technical education (CTE) centers to enter into an agreement to include scheduling, access, transportation, and credits for CTE students. The bill makes an appropriation to the legislative branch for a new legislative parking garage and for razing the department of justice building and the Storrs Street garage. The bill also establishes a temporary road toll refund.