

HB 1134 – AS INTRODUCED

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HOUSE BILL            **1134**

AN ACT                permitting municipalities to reimburse persons who assist applicants in obtaining social security benefits.

SPONSORS:            Rep. Porter, Hills 1; Rep. G. Shattuck, Hills 1

COMMITTEE:          Municipal and County Government

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ANALYSIS

This bill permits municipalities to reimburse persons who assist applicants to obtain social security benefits.

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Explanation:          Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.  
                                Matter removed from current law appears [~~in brackets and struck through.~~]  
                                Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Fourteen*

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*Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:*

1            1 New Section; Aid to Assisted Persons; Liability for Support and Recovery Over; Payment for  
2 Representation Before Social Security Administration. Amend RSA 165 by inserting after section  
3 20-c the following new section:

4            165:20-d Payment for Representation Before Social Security Administration. If a city or town  
5 seeks reimbursement of local assistance from a person's subsequent supplemental security income  
6 (SSI) award or social security disability insurance (SSDI) award, the city or town may use a portion  
7 of the reimbursement to pay the person's representative before the Commissioner of Social Security,  
8 provided that the payment is approved by the Social Security Administration pursuant to 20  
9 U.S.C.A. section 406.

10           2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect January 1, 2015.