

HB 1220 – AS AMENDED BY THE HOUSE

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HOUSE BILL            **1220**

AN ACT                relative to limitations on ethanol in gasoline.

SPONSORS:            Rep. Campbell, Hills 33; Rep. Chandler, Carr 1; Rep. Pastor, Graf 12; Rep. Gionet,  
Graf 5; Rep. Pitre, Straf 2; Rep. Ebel, Merr 5; Sen. Cataldo, Dist 6

COMMITTEE:          Science, Technology and Energy

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill restricts the addition of corn-based ethanol gasoline additives to no more than 10 percent of the mixture of gasoline. This restriction shall not take effect until passage of similar legislation occurs in 2 other New England states.

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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                                Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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*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; Corn-Based Ethanol Prohibited. Amend RSA 339-B by inserting after section 8  
2 the following new section:

3           339-B:8-a Corn-Based Ethanol; Ratio of Additive to Gasoline. No seller of gasoline shall sell or  
4 offer for sale gasoline that has corn-based ethanol as an additive where the corn-based ethanol  
5 additive is more than 10 percent of the mixture of gasoline.

6           2 Contingency. If any 2 New England states adopt similar legislation limiting the amount of  
7 corn based ethanol in gasoline to 10 percent, section 1 of this act shall take effect upon the  
8 certification of the commissioner of the department of environmental services to the secretary of  
9 state and the office of legislative services that such states have enacted such legislation.

10          3 Effective Date.

11           I. Section 1 of this act shall take effect as provided in section 2 of this act.

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