

HB 165 – AS INTRODUCED

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HOUSE BILL

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AN ACT

relative to the definition of “qualifying medical condition” for the therapeutic use of cannabis.

SPONSORS:

Rep. J. Lachance, Hills 8; Rep. Wright, Carr 8; Sen. Reagan, Dist 17

COMMITTEE:

Health, Human Services and Elderly Affairs

ANALYSIS

This bill clarifies the definition of “qualifying medical condition” for the therapeutic use of cannabis.

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Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.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

AN ACT relative to the definition of “qualifying medical condition” for the therapeutic use
of cannabis.

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

- 1 1 Use of Cannabis for Therapeutic Purposes; Definition of “Qualifying Medical Condition.”
2 Amend RSA 126-X:1, IX(a)(1) to read as follows:
3 (1) Cancer, glaucoma, positive status for human immunodeficiency virus, acquired
4 immune deficiency syndrome, hepatitis C currently receiving antiviral treatment, amyotrophic
5 lateral sclerosis, muscular dystrophy, Crohn’s disease, agitation of Alzheimer’s disease, multiple
6 sclerosis, chronic pancreatitis, spinal cord injury or disease, traumatic brain injury, or one or more
7 injuries that significantly interferes with daily activities as documented by the patient’s provider;
8 [~~and~~] **or**
9 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.