# **HB 397 - AS INTRODUCED**

# 2015 SESSION

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HOUSE BILL 397

AN ACT relative to the duties of public servants.

SPONSORS: Rep. Marple, Merr 24; Rep. L. Christiansen, Hills 37

COMMITTEE: Municipal and County Government

## **ANALYSIS**

This bill prohibits public servants from delegating their duties and obligations.

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Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in **bold italics**.

Matter removed from current law appears  $[in\ brackets\ and\ struckthrough.]$ 

Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.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

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

- 1 New Section; Corrupt Practices; Delegation of Obligations. Amend RSA 640 by inserting after section 7 the following new section:
- 3 640:8 Public Servants; Delegation of Obligations Prohibited.

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- I. No municipal corporation's public servants, as defined by RSA 640:2, II, shall enter into any contract with a third party which would redelegate the public servant's existing obligations and duties to the public.
- II. Any violation of paragraph I shall be ipso facto evidence for removal from office of any and all public servants participating in such unlawful action.
  - 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.