

**HB 494 - AS INTRODUCED**

2015 SESSION

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HOUSE BILL            **494**

AN ACT                relative to industrial hemp as a controlled substance.

SPONSORS:            Rep. Edwards, Hills 11; Rep. Sylvia, Belk 6; Rep. Jones, Straf 24; Rep. Cushing, Rock 21

COMMITTEE:          Criminal Justice and Public Safety

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ANALYSIS

This bill prohibits the designation of industrial hemp as a controlled substance.

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                         Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.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

AN ACT                   relative to industrial hemp as a controlled substance.

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

- 1           1 New Paragraph; Industrial Hemp. Amend RSA 318-B:1-a by inserting after paragraph VIII
- 2 the following new paragraph:
- 3           IX. Industrial hemp shall not be designated as a controlled substance.
- 4           2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.