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NH Republicans Reject Attempt to Limit Education Options

Concord, NH – Today, Senator Ruth Ward released the following statement on the inexpedient to legislate SB141:

"Senate Bill 141 would have simply served as another roadblock to our children's educational success," stated Senator Ward.

"Education Freedom accounts have helped hundreds of families acquire the best learning opportunity for their children, who had struggled to achieve in their previous environment. As Republicans, we trust New Hampshire parents to make the best education decisions for their children because they know them best. Encroaching on that decision by forcing students in and out of the classroom only damages a child's opportunity for academic growth."

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Senate Bill 141 would mandate that any child currently in or looking to partake in our state's Education Freedom Account Program, must attend public school for a minimum of one year to be eligible.