



# NEW HAMPSHIRE SENATE

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### **Senate Passes Prohibition of Boycotting Israel**

**CONCORD, NH** – Senate President Jeb Bradley (R-Wolfeboro), released the following statement today on the Senate passing SB 439-FN, prohibiting discriminatory boycotts of Israel in state procurement and investments:

“New Hampshire and Israel have been partners for decades, with extensive cultural, academic, and economic ties. Discriminatory boycotts, such as the Boycott Divestment and Sanctions Movement, are rooted in antisemitism. We do not want our closest ally in the Middle East to be targeted in our state. Passing this bill is another step toward New Hampshire standing with Israel by protecting them against nationality-based discrimination. There is no place in the Granite State for hateful discrimination and New Hampshire taxpayers should not be forced to do business with them.

I applaud my Senate colleagues for passing this bill and showing our support to the Israeli people and their businesses.”

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