

HB 1376 - AS INTRODUCED

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HOUSE BILL                    **1376**

AN ACT                    relative to participation in the education freedom accounts program by students with disabilities.

SPONSORS:            Rep. Cornell, Hills. 18; Rep. Cushing, Rock. 21; Rep. Heath, Hills. 14; Rep. Mullen, Hills. 7; Rep. Ellison, Merr. 27; Rep. Porter, Hills. 1

COMMITTEE:          Education

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ANALYSIS

This bill clarifies the responsibility of a scholarship organization under the education freedom accounts program for explaining rights under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).

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                         Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Two*

AN ACT                      relative to participation in the education freedom accounts program by students with disabilities.

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

1            1   Education Freedom Accounts; Responsibilities of the Scholarship Organization; Parents of  
2   Students with Disabilities. Amend RSA 194-B:4, III to read as follows:

3            III.   The scholarship organization shall ensure that parents of students with disabilities  
4   receive notice that participation in the EFA program is a parental placement under 20 U.S.C. section  
5   [~~1412~~] **1412(a)(10)(A)**, Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), along with an  
6   explanation of the rights that parentally placed students possess ***and waive*** under IDEA and any  
7   applicable state laws.

8            2   Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.