## **HB 241 - AS INTRODUCED**

## 2023 SESSION

23-0455 05/04

HOUSE BILL 241

AN ACT relative to the opportunity of school district employees representing the collective

bargaining unit to meet with the public employer as part of collective bargaining

negotiations.

SPONSORS: Rep. Sheehan, Hills. 43; Rep. Post, Hills. 42; Rep. Ammon, Hills. 42; Rep. B. King,

Hills. 43; Rep. Boehm, Hills. 14; Rep. Pauer, Hills. 36; Rep. Petrigno, Hills. 43

COMMITTEE: Labor, Industrial and Rehabilitative Services

## **ANALYSIS**

This bill defines reasonable opportunity for school district employees who represent the bargaining unit to meet with their employer as part of the collective bargaining process.

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Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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relative to the opportunity of school district employees representing the collective bargaining unit to meet with the public employer as part of collective bargaining negotiations.

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

- 1 Public Employee Labor Relations; Rights Accompanying Certification; Reasonable Opportunity to Meet Required; School District Employees. Amend RSA 273-A:11, II to read as follows:
  - II. A reasonable number of employees who act as representatives of the bargaining unit shall be given a reasonable opportunity to meet with the employer or [his] the employer's representatives during working hours without loss of compensation or benefits. If the public employer is a school district, "reasonable opportunity" means before 9:00 a.m. or after 6:00 p.m. on days the employees are scheduled to work, without impact to instructional time, and unless otherwise negotiated.
    - 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.