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2024 SESSION

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HOUSE BILL [bill number]

AN ACT relative to establishing a life jacket loaner station program along the Merrimack

river.

SPONSORS: [sponsors]

COMMITTEE: [committee]

ANALYSIS

This bill provides for the establishment of a life jacket loaner program at public access sites along the Merrimack river.

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Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.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

AN ACT relative to establishing a life jacket loaner station program along the Merrimack river.

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

- 1 New Section; Water Safety; Merrimack River. Amend RSA 270-D by inserting after section 9
 2 the following new section:
 3 270-D:9-a Merrimack River Program for Life Jacket Loaner Stations. The division of state
 4 police, department of safety, shall seek funding, donations, and volunteer assistance in installing
 5 and maintaining PFD access at public access sites on the Merrimack river though a "Life Jacket
 6 Loaner Program." The life jacket loaner program shall provide PFDs for temporary use in water
 7 activities and be accompanied by suitable signage.
- 8 2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.