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CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE – Late this afternoon the governor vetoed [SB 159](#), a bipartisan bill aimed at encouraging the development of home-grown, small-scale renewable energy in New Hampshire. **Representative Bob Backus (D-Manchester), Chair of the House Science, Technology and Energy Committee** released the following statement:

“It is disheartening that the governor has again rejected bipartisan, compromise legislation that would expand renewable energy here in New Hampshire. Following the governor’s veto of a similar bill last year, lawmakers and advocates made changes to address his concerns. He continues to be at odds with a large bipartisan majority of legislators, advocates, businesses and municipalities all over the state that recognize the importance of encouraging the development of renewable energy, clean tech jobs, and a 21st century energy infrastructure in New Hampshire.”

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Background: Last year Governor Sununu vetoed [House Bill 365](#), relative to net energy metering limits for customer generators.

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