

SB 450 - AS INTRODUCED

2020 SESSION

20-2816  
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SENATE BILL        **450**

AN ACT            relative to brew pubs allowing customers to bring dogs to outdoor areas.

SPONSORS:        Sen. Birdsell, Dist 19; Sen. Morgan, Dist 23; Sen. Carson, Dist 14; Sen. Bradley,  
Dist 3; Sen. Sherman, Dist 24; Rep. O'Connor, Rock. 6; Rep. Milz, Rock. 6; Rep.  
Klee, Hills. 30

COMMITTEE:      Commerce

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ANALYSIS

This bill allows dogs on open air brew pub patios.

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Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.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

AN ACT relative to brew pubs allowing customers to bring dogs to outdoor areas.

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

1           1 New Paragraph; Dogs on Brew Pub Patios. Amend RSA 466:44 by inserting after paragraph  
2 II the following new paragraph:

3           III. A person holding a brew pub license under RSA 178:13 may allow dogs onto any patio at  
4 his or her place of business, if such dogs and owners access to the patio is from the exterior of the  
5 brew pub, regardless of whether food or drink are served on such patio. In this paragraph, "patio"  
6 means an open air, exterior, paved space with an entrance separate from the brew pub. Such dogs  
7 shall not be allowed in food preparation or production areas. A brew pub licensee allowing dogs shall  
8 prominently display a sign at all public entrances advising patrons that dogs are allowed on the  
9 premises. This paragraph shall not apply to service animals as defined by RSA 167-D:1, IV.

10          2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.