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Electronic Submission Under Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act

Confirmation of Submission 4446

Information of Person Making Submission

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Jurisdiction Covered by Submission

Name of Submitting Jurisdiction/Entity	State of New Hampshire
In what state is your jurisdiction located?	New Hampshire
In what county	- entire state -

Detail of Change Submitted

28 CFR §51.27 & 51.28(h)

Each submission should contain the required information or documents to enable the Attorney General to make the required determination pursuant to section 5 with respect to the submitted change affecting voting:

- a A copy of any ordinance, enactment, order, or regulation embodying a change affecting voting and
. provide the date of its enactment or adoption and its effective date.

SB 201 (2012), New Hampshire State Senate post-2010 Census decennial redistricting plan HB 592 (2012), New Hampshire State House of Representatives post-2010 Census decennial redistricting plan

- b A copy of any ordinance, enactment, order, or regulation embodying the voting practice that is
. proposed to be repealed, amended, or otherwise changed and provide the date of compliance with Section 5.
- c A clear statement of the change explaining the difference between the submitted change and the prior
. law or practice, or explanatory materials adequate to disclose to the Attorney General the difference between the prior and proposed situation with respect to voting.
- d Identification of the person or body responsible for making the change and the mode of decision (e.g.
. act of state legislature, ordinance of city council, administrative decision by the registrar).
- e A statement identifying the statutory or other authority under which the jurisdiction undertakes the
. change and a description of the procedures the jurisdiction was required to follow in deciding to undertake the change.
- f A statement that the change has not yet been enforced or administrated, or an explanation of why such
. a statement cannot be made.
- g Where the change will affect less than the entire jurisdiction, an explanation of the scope of the change.
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- h A statement of the reasons for the change.
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- i A statement of the anticipated effect of the change on members of racial or language minority groups.
 - . In addition, per §51.28(h), include the names, addresses, daytime telephone numbers, and organizational affiliation (if any) of racial and language minority group members residing in the jurisdiction who can be expected to be familiar with the proposed change or who have been active in the political process.
- j A statement identifying any past or pending litigation concerning the change or related voting practice.
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- k For redistricting and annexations: the items listed under §51.28(a)(1) and (b)(1); for annexations only:
 - . the items listed under §51.28(c)(3).

Other information that the Attorney General determines is required for an evaluation of the purpose or effect of the change. Such information may include items listed in §51.28 and is most likely to be needed with respect to redistrictings, annexations, and other complex changes. In the interest of time such information should be furnished with the initial submission relating to voting changes of this type. When such information is required, but not provided, the Attorney General shall notify the submitting authority in the manner provided in §51.37.