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## Press Release



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### Statement from Governor Hassan on the Passing of State Representative Debbie DiFranco

CONCORD – Governor Maggie Hassan issued the following statement on the passing of State Representative Debbie DiFranco:

“Throughout her time as a high school social studies teacher and as a representative in the state legislature, Representative Debbie DiFranco helped build on New Hampshire’s rich tradition of civic engagement, embodying the hard work and unyielding commitment that represent our citizen-led democracy. Tom and I are saddened to hear of her passing, and we join Debbie’s family and loved ones, the entire Portsmouth community, her fellow legislators and citizens across the state in mourning her loss.”

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