

## **125th MAINE LEGISLATURE**

LD 236

LR 503(01)

An Act To Require High School Students To Register To Vote as a Requirement for Graduation

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill Sponsor: Rep. Bolduc of Auburn Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs Fiscal Note Required: Yes

## **Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement**

State Mandate - Unfunded

| State Mandates  |                      |             |
|---|----------------------|-------------|
| Required Activity   | <b>Unit Affected</b> | Local Cost  |
| Requires school guidance counselors to certify that all eligible high school students | School               | Significant |
| have registered to vote prior to being awarded a high school diploma.                 |                      | statewide   |

The required local activities in this bill may represent a State mandate pursuant to the Constitution of Maine. Unless General Fund appropriations are provided to fund at least 90% of the additional costs or a Mandate Preamble is amended to the bill and two-thirds of the members of each House vote to exempt this mandate from the funding requirement, municipalities may not be required to implement these changes.