



127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Revise Oil Spill Reporting Standards

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. Duchesne of Hudson

Committee: Environment and Natural Resources

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	Projections FY 2017-18	Projections FY 2018-19
Appropriations/Allocations				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	(\$47,400)	(\$50,000)	(\$50,000)

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill exempts discharges of less than 10 gallons from the requirement they be reported to the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) as long as the discharge is promptly removed according to the DEP rules. This will allow an Other Special Revenue Funds deallocation to the DEP of \$47,400 in fiscal year 2016-17 due to a reduced number of responses to these discharges.