



# 128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1190

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## An Act Regarding Driver's License Suspensions for Nondriving-related Violations

**Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"**

**Committee: Judiciary**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

### Fiscal Note

	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	Projections FY 2019-20	Projections FY 2020-21
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$292,968	\$390,625	\$390,625	\$390,625
Highway Fund	\$142,968	\$190,625	\$190,625	\$190,625
<b>Revenue</b>				
General Fund	(\$292,968)	(\$390,625)	(\$390,625)	(\$390,625)
Highway Fund	(\$142,968)	(\$190,625)	(\$190,625)	(\$190,625)

#### Fiscal Detail and Notes

This legislation removes, until October 1, 2021, provisions of law allowing driver's license suspensions for failure to pay a fine in offenses not related to driving. Driver's license reinstatement fees for failure to pay fines accrue 50% to the Highway Fund and 50% to the General Fund. Highway Fund and General Fund revenues would be reduced by \$142,968 in fiscal year 2017-18 and by \$190,625 beginning in fiscal year 2018-19. Approximately 7,500 of these reinstatements are processed annually. This will also reduce General Fund fine revenue collected by the Judicial Department by an estimated \$150,000 in fiscal year 2017-18 and \$200,000 in fiscal year 2018-19.