

129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1691

LR 2266(03)

An Act To Ban Use of Aerial Herbicide Spraying for the Purpose of Deforestation

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "
Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Any additional costs to the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry as a result of a prohibition on the aerial application of glyphosate or other synthetic herbicides for the purpose of silviculture, including reforestation, regeneration or vegetation control after a timber harvest are anticipated to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.