



# 131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1623

LR 710(01)

**An Act to Prohibit All State Subsidies for Electric Vehicles**

**Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill**

**Sponsor: Rep. Rudnicki of Fairfield**

**Committee: Energy, Utilities and Technology**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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## Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

Prohibits state funding of electric vehicle incentives

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill prohibits using state funds to provide a rebate, incentive, or other subsidy to purchase or lease an electric vehicle, defined as a vehicle powered entirely or partially by an electric motor. The Efficiency Maine Trust (EMT) is the only state-level entity providing incentives for electric vehicles. Given that the EMT is a quasi-independent agency that does not receive General Fund appropriations, this fiscal note assumes that the electric vehicle incentive program offered through the EMT is not prohibited by this bill.