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**STATE OF MAINE  
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130TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

SENATE AMENDMENT “ ” to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “A” to H.P. 436, L.D. 593, “An Act To Restore Eelgrass Mapping and Enhance Salt Marsh Vegetation Mapping in the State”

Amend the amendment in section 1 in §1805 in subsection 3 in paragraph A in the first line (page 2, line 4 in amendment) by striking out the following: "2022" and inserting the following: '2023'

Amend the amendment in section 1 in §1805 in subsection 3 in paragraph B in the first line (page 2, line 6 in amendment) by striking out the following: "2023" and inserting the following: '2024'

Amend the amendment in section 1 in §1805 in subsection 3 in paragraph C in the first line (page 2, line 8 in amendment) by striking out the following: "2024" and inserting the following: '2025'

Amend the amendment in section 1 in §1805 in subsection 3 in paragraph D in the first line (page 2, line 10 in amendment) by striking out the following: "2025" and inserting the following: '2026'

Amend the amendment in section 1 in §1805 in subsection 3 in paragraph E in the first line (page 2, line 12 in amendment) by striking out the following: "2026" and inserting the following: '2027'

Amend the amendment in section 1 in §1805 in subsection 5 in the first line (page 2, line 16 in amendment) by striking out the following: "2023" and inserting the following: '2024'

Amend the amendment by striking out all of section 2 and inserting the following:

**'Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, DEPARTMENT OF  
Eelgrass and Salt Marsh Vegetation Mapping Fund N302**

Initiative: Provides an allocation to accept grants, bequests, gifts or contributions from any source, public or private, to support the administration of the eelgrass and salt marsh vegetation mapping program.

**SENATE AMENDMENT**

1	<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>
2	All Other	\$0	\$500
3			
4	<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL</b>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$500</u>
5	<b>Water Quality 0248</b>		
6	Initiative: Provides appropriations for one Biologist II position and one Environmental		
7	Technician position and All Other costs.		
8	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>
9	POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	0.000	2.000
10	Personal Services	\$0	\$191,551
11	All Other	\$0	\$6,292
12			
13	<b>GENERAL FUND TOTAL</b>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$197,843</u>
14	<b>Water Quality 0248</b>		
15	Initiative: Provides appropriations for aerial imagery acquisition and processing and annual		
16	equipment maintenance and replacement.		
17	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>
18	All Other	\$0	\$86,671
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20	<b>GENERAL FUND TOTAL</b>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$86,671</u>
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22	<b>ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION,</b>		
23	<b>DEPARTMENT OF</b>		
24	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>
25			
26	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$284,514</b>
27	<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$500</b>
28			
29	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u><b>\$285,014</b></u>

30 '   
 31 Amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or   
 32 section number to read consecutively.

33 **SUMMARY**   
 34 This amendment removes the appropriations and allocations for fiscal year 2021-22.   
 35 It changes the dates for the mapping schedule by moving the dates one year later and   
 36 requires the first report to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having

# **SENATE AMENDMENT**

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1 jurisdiction over environmental and natural resources matters to be submitted by March 1,  
2 2024 instead of March 1, 2023.

3 **SPONSORED BY:** \_\_\_\_\_

4 (Senator BREEN, C.)

5 COUNTY: Cumberland