



128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Align State Relocation Assistance with That of the Federal Government

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. McLean of Gorham

Committee: Transportation

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

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Potential current biennium cost increase - Highway Fund

Potential current biennium cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill changes the amount paid by the Maine Department of Transportation to displaced individuals due to property acquisition for projects funded with nonfederal funds from a set amount to the amount required for federally funded projects. As the federal amount is currently higher than the state amount there will be increased costs for nonfederal projects. The amount of additional cost will depend on the number of such projects going forward and the federal rate at the time of the acquisition of property.