



# 130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 801

LR 243(01)

**An Act Regarding Sentencing Options for a Person Convicted of a Crime Committed While Serving a Term of Imprisonment**

**Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill**

**Sponsor: Sen. Miramant of Knox**

**Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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## Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

Potential future biennium savings - General Fund

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill repeals the requirement for nonconcurrent sentences when a person is convicted of a crime committed while the person is serving their sentence on another conviction, reducing the amount of time individuals will be incarcerated and decreasing correctional costs. The amount of savings realized as a result of this bill will depend on how many individuals are sentenced to concurrent sentences. The current average cost of incarcerating an individual for one day in a correctional facility is \$151.24, totaling \$55,203 per year.