

130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1902

LR 2327(06)

Resolve, To Establish a Pilot Program To Encourage Climate Education in Maine Public Schools

Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment " " to Committee Amendment "A" Sponsor: Sen. Breen of Cumberland Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	Projections FY 2023-24	Projections FY 2024-25
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$0	(\$1,905,981)	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	(\$905,981)	\$0	\$0
Transfers				
General Fund	\$0	\$1,905,981	\$0	\$0
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	(\$1,705,981)	\$0	\$0
Private Trust Funds	\$0	(\$200,000)	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment reduces the General Fund cost of the bill by \$1,905,981 in fiscal year 2022-23 by decreasing the transfer from the General Fund unappropriated surplus to the Climate Education Professional Development Pilot Program Fund established within the Department of Education by that amount. It requires the State Controller to transfer \$800,000 from the Liquor Operation Revenue Fund within the Maine Municipal Bond Bank and \$200,000 from certain enforcement settlement funds within the Office of the Attorney General to the pilot program fund. It also reduces by \$905,981 the funding available for grants to school districts to partner with nonprofit community-based organizations.