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# STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 129TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION 

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " " to H.P. 672, L.D. 908, Bill, "An Act To Require Schools To Submit Pest Management Activity Logs and Inspection Results to the Board of Pesticides Control for the Purpose of Providing Information to the Public"

Amend the bill by incorporating the attached fiscal note.

## SUMMARY

This amendment incorporates a fiscal note.
The fiscal note on the amendment, which is a fiscal note only amendment, identifies certain requirements in the bill as a potential state mandate. In order to be a mandate pursuant to the Constitution of Maine, a provision must require a local unit of government to expand or modify its activities so as to necessitate additional expenditures from local revenue. The committee finds the provisions identified as a potential mandate do not require a local unit of government to expand or modify its activities so as to necessitate additional expenditures from local revenue.

The requirement in the bill that a local school administrative unit submit a pest management activity log to the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, Board of Pesticides Control by January 15th of each year for the previous calendar year does not require an expansion or modification of activities so as to necessitate additional expenditures from local revenue. Local school administrative units currently prepare pest management activity logs with the required data pursuant to rules established by the Board of Pesticides Control. The committee finds that the act of submitting a pest management activity $\log$ that is already required to be maintained does not necessitate additional expenditures from local revenue.

