



127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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Resolve, To Amend Rules Regarding Proof of Ownership of Logging Equipment and Recruitment by Employers Employing Foreign Laborers To Operate Logging Equipment

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. Martin of Eagle Lake

Committee: Labor, Commerce, Research and Economic Development

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

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Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

According to the Department of Labor, the Regulation and Enforcement program within the Department of Labor will require General Fund appropriations of \$25,439 in fiscal year and \$33,919 in fiscal year 2016-17 for the costs associated with the increased enforcement activities required under this legislation. Because this legislation requires the department to perform these additional activities within existing budgeted resources, this preliminary fiscal impact statement does not specifically reflect General Fund appropriations or General Fund costs in each fiscal year. However, the department has indicated that it will not be able to implement the requirements of this bill within existing resources without impacting other enforcement activities currently being performed.