



127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Support School Nutrition

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Sen. Johnson of Lincoln

Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	Projections FY 2017-18	Projections FY 2018-19
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$7,850	\$7,850	\$7,850	\$7,850
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$7,850	\$7,850	\$7,850	\$7,850
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The School Finance and Operations program within the Department of Education will require General Fund appropriations of \$7,850 per year beginning in fiscal year 2015-16 to develop and implement annual competitive skill-oriented school food service recognition events that emphasize creative and effective use of local foods. The estimate assumes 3 events being held in different regions of the state with approximately 15 people participating as well as a final recognition event.

The School Finance and Operations program will also require Federal Expenditures Fund base allocations of \$500 per year beginning in fiscal year 2015-16 to establish a Local Produce Fund program account that can expend any federal grants received by the department for the purposes provided in this legislation.