

128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1637

LR 2381(02)

An Act To Ensure Maine Is in Compliance with Certain Federal Drug Laws

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "
Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	Projections FY 2019-20	Projections FY 2020-21
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	(\$22,500)	(\$30,000)	(\$30,000)	(\$30,000)
Highway Fund	(\$121,903)	(\$170,000)	(\$170,000)	(\$170,000)
Appropriations/Allocations				
Highway Fund	\$5,597	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue				
General Fund	\$22,500	\$30,000	\$30,000	\$30,000
Highway Fund	\$127,500	\$170,000	\$170,000	\$170,000

Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

Increases caseloads with no effect on fines or fees

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill provides a mandatory driver's license suspension for certain drug convictions and would result in an increase in General Fund revenue of \$22,500 in fiscal year 2017-18 and \$30,000 in fiscal year 2018-19 and an increase in Highway Fund revenue of \$127,500 in fiscal year 2017-18 and \$170,000 in fiscal year 2018-19. This estimate is based upon 4,000 convictions over the past two years with reinstatement fees of \$50 each for a total of \$200,000 collected annually. By statute, 15% is credited to the General Fund and 85% is credited to the Highway Fund.

The bill includes a one-time Highway Fund allocation of \$5,597 to the Secretary of State for computer programming.