

129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Protect the Environment and Public Health by Further Reducing Toxic Chemicals in Packaging

> Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " " Committee: Environment and Natural Resources Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill amends the laws regarding the reduction of toxins in packaging to prohibit the sale of food packaging in the State to which phthalates, perfluoroalkyl or polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) have been intentionally introduced, effective January 1, 2022. Any additional costs to the Department of Environmental Protection for additional regulatory responsibilities and for related rulemaking are anticipated to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.