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In Senate, February 28, 2013

An Act To Promote Sustainable Food Policies

Reference to the Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry suggested and ordered printed.

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DAREK M. GRANT
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by President ALFOND of Cumberland.
Cosponsored by Representative McCABE of Skowhegan and
Senators: BOYLE of Cumberland, JACKSON of Aroostook, Representative: GOODE of
Bangor.

1 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

2 **Sec. 1. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and
3 allocations are made.

4 **AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY, DEPARTMENT OF**

5 **Office of the Commissioner 0401**

6 Initiative: Provides ongoing funding to establish and administer a pilot project to support
7 sustainable food practices.

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9	GENERAL FUND	2013-14	2014-15
10	All Other	\$100,000	\$100,000
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12	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$100,000</u>	<u>\$100,000</u>

13 **Office of the Commissioner 0401**

14 Initiative: Provides ongoing funding for grants to municipalities to support sustainable
15 food practices.

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17	GENERAL FUND	2013-14	2014-15
18	All Other	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
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20	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$1,000,000</u>	<u>\$1,000,000</u>

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22 **AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND**
23 **FORESTRY, DEPARTMENT OF**
24 **DEPARTMENT TOTALS**

25		2013-14	2014-15
26	GENERAL FUND	\$1,100,000	\$1,100,000
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28	DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$1,100,000</u>	<u>\$1,100,000</u>

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SUMMARY

30 This bill includes ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$1,000,000 beginning in
31 fiscal year 2013-14 to the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry for
32 grants to municipalities to support sustainable food practices. It also includes ongoing
33 General Fund appropriations of \$100,000 beginning in fiscal year 2013-14 to the
34 department to establish and administer a pilot project to support sustainable food
35 practices.