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ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

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**STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 149, L.D. 383, “An Act to Facilitate the Consolidation of the Department of Environmental Protection and the Maine Land Use Planning Commission into a Single Combined Entity”

Amend the bill by inserting after section 22 the following:

'Sec. 23. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, DEPARTMENT OF
Administration - Environmental Protection 0251**

Initiative: Provides one-time funding for one limited-period Environmental Specialist III position and one limited-period Senior Planner position and associated position costs.

GENERAL FUND	2025-26	2026-27
Personal Services	\$216,779	\$233,487
All Other	\$15,000	\$15,000
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$231,779	\$248,487

Administration - Environmental Protection 0251

Initiative: Provides one-time funding for contracted services costs.

GENERAL FUND	2025-26	2026-27
All Other	\$250,000	\$0
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$250,000	\$0

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1	GENERAL FUND	\$481,779	\$248,487
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3	DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$481,779	\$248,487

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5 Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section
6 number to read consecutively.

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SUMMARY

8 This amendment, which is the minority report of the committee, adds an appropriations
9 and allocations section.

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FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

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(See attached)