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**STATE OF MAINE
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130TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 922, L.D. 1256, “An Act Requiring Climate Impact Notes on Proposed Legislation and Agency Rules”

Amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. 5 MRSA §8057-A, sub-§1, ¶C-1 is enacted to read:

C-1. An estimate of the climate impact of the rule.'

Amend the bill in section 2 in §8063-C in the first indented paragraph in the first 2 lines (page 1, lines 20 and 21 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "at the end of the rule" and inserting the following: 'on the fact sheet required by section 8057-A'

Amend the bill in section 2 in §8063-C in the first indented paragraph in the 2nd line (page 1, line 21 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "the rule" and inserting the following: 'the fact sheet'

Amend the bill by inserting after section 2 the following:

'Sec. 3. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

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

Initiative: Provides funding for one Public Service Manager I position, 2 Planning and Research Associate II positions, 2 Environmental Specialist III positions and associated All Other costs.

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	5,000	5,000
Personal Services	\$327,106	\$456,884
All Other	\$13,215	\$16,890
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$340,321</u>	<u>\$473,774</u>

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION,
DEPARTMENT OF
DEPARTMENT TOTALS**

	2021-22	2022-23
GENERAL FUND	\$340,321	\$473,774
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$340,321	\$473,774

LEGISLATURE

Legislature 0081

Initiative: Establishes and appropriates funds for one Legislative Analyst position in the Legislature's Office of Fiscal and Program Review to prepare statements of climate impact on all legislation that would have an apparent significant climate impact if implemented.

	2021-22	2022-23
GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	1.000	1.000
Personal Services	\$80,171	\$112,836
All Other	\$8,125	\$3,167
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$88,296	\$116,003

Legislature 0081

Initiative: Appropriates one-time funds to the Legislature for the costs of contracting with an appropriate entity to set up a climate impact analysis system including any information technology modifications and costs.

	2021-22	2022-23
GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$50,000	\$0
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$50,000	\$0

LEGISLATURE

DEPARTMENT TOTALS

	2021-22	2022-23
GENERAL FUND	\$138,296	\$116,003
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$138,296	\$116,003

SECTION TOTALS

	2021-22	2022-23
GENERAL FUND	\$478,617	\$589,777
SECTION TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$478,617	\$589,777

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

3 **SUMMARY**

4 This amendment, which is the minority report of the committee, adds the climate
5 impact note to the items required on the fact sheet required for rulemaking pursuant to the
6 Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375. The amendment also adds an appropriations
7 and allocations section.

8 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

9 **(See attached)**