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Amend the amendment in Part I in section 1 in the 2nd line (page 14, line 38 in amendment) by striking out the following: "\$44,500,000" and inserting the following: '\$44,000,000'

Amend the amendment by inserting after Part I the following:

## PART J

**Sec. J-1. Transfer to Maine Clean Election Fund.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the State Controller shall transfer \$500,000 from General Fund undedicated revenue to the Maine Clean Election Fund established in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 21-A, section 1124 on or before August 1, 2016.

**Sec. J-2. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and allocations are made.

### ETHICS AND ELECTION PRACTICES, COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENTAL

#### Governmental Ethics and Election Practices - Commission on 0414

Initiative: Provides an allocation of \$500,000 for funding related to the Maine Clean Election Act.

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2015-16	2016-17
All Other	\$500,000	\$0
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$500,000	\$0

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

## SUMMARY

This amendment transfers \$500,000 to the Maine Clean Election Fund from General Fund undedicated revenue and reduces the amount transferred to the Maine Budget Stabilization Fund by \$500,000.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**  
(See attached)