



# 127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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## Resolve, To Implement Recommendations of the Government Oversight Committee To Strengthen the Ethics Practices and Procedures for Executive Branch Employees

### Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. Kruger of Thomaston

Committee: State and Local Government

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

### Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	Projections FY 2017-18	Projections FY 2018-19
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$495,307	\$660,697	\$413,485	\$425,143
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
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#### Fiscal Detail and Notes

The Department of Administrative and Financial Services has identified the need for additional General Fund appropriations for 5 positions and associated costs to implement recommendations of the Government Oversight Committee related to ethics practices and procedures for executive branch employees. The amounts required are estimated to be \$495,307 in fiscal year 2015-16 and \$660,697 in fiscal year 2016-17.

Any additional costs to the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election practices are expected to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.