



127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Remove the 100-megawatt Limit on Hydropower under the Renewable Resources Laws

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. O'Connor of Berwick

Committee: Energy, Utilities and Technology

Fiscal Note Required: No

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Minor cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Any additional costs to the Public Utilities Commission from removing the 100-megawatt power production capacity limit for certain hydroelectric generators to qualify as a renewable resource or a renewable capacity resource are expected to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.