



127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Improve Workplace Safety by Simplifying and Improving Employers' Substance Abuse Policy Requirements

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "
Committee: Labor, Commerce, Research and Economic Development
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Potential current biennium cost increase - General Fund
Minor revenue increase - General Fund

Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

Increases the number of civil violations.

Increases the number of civil suits.

The collection of additional fines and filing fees may also increase General Fund revenue by minor amounts.

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The Maine Human Rights Commission may require additional General Fund appropriations to respond to the anticipated increase in the number of complaints filed. The amount needed will depend on the number of new case filings and the complexity of each case.

Additional costs to the Department of Labor to implement the requirements of this legislation can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.