



# 127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1610

LR 2674(02)

## An Act To Clarify the Laws Governing Certain Benefits Provided to Veterans and Military Service Members

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "

Committee: Veterans and Legal Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

### Fiscal Note

	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	Projections FY 2017-18	Projections FY 2018-19
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$0	\$154,776	\$163,275	\$163,275
Highway Fund	\$0	\$78,360	\$78,360	\$78,360
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	(\$52,240)	(\$52,240)	(\$52,240)
<b>Revenue</b>				
General Fund	\$0	(\$154,776)	(\$163,275)	(\$163,275)
Highway Fund	\$0	(\$78,360)	(\$78,360)	(\$78,360)

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill entitles a spouse, and children under 21 years of age, of certain veterans to free admission to all state parks and historic sites, resulting in a reduction in General Fund revenue of \$154,776 in fiscal year 2016-17.

This legislation removes the \$25 annual service fee on veterans vanity license plates and would result in a reduction in Highway Fund revenue of \$78,360 beginning in fiscal year 2016-17.

The bill includes an Other Special Revenue Funds deallocation of \$52,240 in fiscal year 2016-17 to the Municipal Bond Bank to reflect the loss of \$10 of the annual service fee transferred to the TransCap Trust Fund.