



130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 487

LR 443(02)

An Act Regarding Certain Employees of and To Allow Supplemental Funding for the Public Advocate

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "

Committee: Energy, Utilities and Technology

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Future biennium revenue increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill establishes a filing fee paid to the Office of the Public Advocate (OPA) for reorganizations of utilities of 3/100 of 1 percent of the total transaction value of the reorganization and increases the filing fee paid to OPA regarding the erection of certain transmission lines from 2/100 of 1 percent of the estimated cost to 3/100 of 1 percent of the estimated cost. The bill also changes the title of a Business Services Manager position to a Senior Assistant to the Public Advocate. The establishment of the filing fees will increase Other Special Revenue Funds revenue to the OPA. No estimate of the amount is made at this time.