



# 130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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**An Act To Require a Majority Vote of the Legislature for Maine To Join Any Multistate Compact**

**Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "**

**Committee: State and Local Government**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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## Fiscal Note

### Legislative Cost/Study

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The bill requires a majority vote of the Legislature to approve a multistate compact before the State or a state agency can join, adopt or implement a multistate compact beginning January 1, 2022. The Legislature's baseline budget for 2022-2023 includes funds for the Legislature to meet in special session on 2 days each fiscal year following the applicable statutory deadline. Whether or not there are sufficient funds to cover the cost of holding a special session for this purpose will depend on the number of times the Legislature is required to convene in special session during the interim.