



130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1686

LR 2055(02)

An Act To Implement a Geographically Limited Public Defender Office

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "

Committee: Judiciary

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	Projections FY 2023-24	Projections FY 2024-25
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$1,096,355	\$2,131,959	\$2,196,727	\$2,263,569
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$1,096,355	\$2,131,959	\$2,196,727	\$2,263,569

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill creates a Kennebec County public defender office beginning January 1, 2022. The bill includes General Fund appropriations to the Maine Commission on Indigent Legal Services of \$1,096,355 in fiscal year 2021-22 and \$2,131,959 in fiscal year 2022-23 for 17 new positions as well as All Other funding.