



# 130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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## An Act To Create a Logging Dispute Resolution Board and To Require Proof of Ownership Documents To Be Available within 14 Days of Request

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

**Committee: Labor and Housing**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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### Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

Minor revenue increase - General Fund

Minor cost increase - Other Funds

### Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

This bill may increase the number of civil suits filed in the court system. The additional workload associated with the minimal number of new cases filed in the court system does not require additional funding at this time. The collection of additional filing fees may increase General Fund revenue by minor amounts.

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

Additional costs to the Maine Labor Relations Board, State Board of Arbitration and Conciliation to implement the requirements of this legislation can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources. Because the cost of any proceedings conducted by the Logging Dispute Resolution Board, established under the authority of the State Board of Arbitration and Conciliation, must be borne by the party against whom the board decides, there is no fiscal impact to the State.