



131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

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LR 126(01)

An Act to Simplify an Assessment Notice Requirement Under Department of Labor Laws

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. Gere of Kennebunkport

Committee: Labor and Housing

Fiscal Note Required: No

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Minor savings - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Eliminating the requirement that notices of assessment to certain insurance carriers licensed to write workers' compensation insurance in Maine as well as certain self-insured employers authorized to make workers' compensation payments directly to employees be sent by certified mail may result in savings to the Safety Education and Training Assessment Fund within the Department of Labor beginning in fiscal year 2023-24 if the alternative method of notifying the affected insurance carriers and self-insured employers is less expensive than the cost of sending the notification through certified mail. Any potential savings is expected to be minor.