



132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

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LR 978(03)

An Act to Protect Workers in This State by Clarifying the Relationship of State and Local Law Enforcement Agencies with Federal Immigration Authorities

Fiscal Note for Bill as Engrossed with:

C "A" (H-751)

Committee: Judiciary

Fiscal Note

Potential current biennium revenue decrease - Federal Expenditures Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill prohibits certain activities between law enforcement agencies and federal immigration and customs enforcement agencies. Several existing Department of Public Safety federal grants contain terms and conditions requiring cooperation with immigration enforcement efforts. To the extent any prohibitions conflict with these terms and conditions, federal funding could be reduced or eliminated. These federal grants total approximately \$14 million.