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**LD 259**  
**Proposed amendment – Representative Tucker**

*Strike and replace the title with the following:*

“An Act To Increase Waste Handling Fees Imposed on the Landfilling of Municipal Solid Waste and Construction and Demolition Debris”

*Strike everything after the title and before the summary and insert the following:*

**Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

**Sec. 1. 38 MRSA §2203-A, sub-§1** is amended to read:

**1. Fees.** Unless otherwise provided by rule adopted in accordance with subsection 3, fees are imposed in the following amounts to be levied for solid waste that is disposed of at commercial, municipal, state-owned and regional association landfills.

Asbestos	\$5 per cubic yard
Oil-contaminated soil, gravel, brick, concrete and other aggregate	\$25 per ton
Waste water facility sludge	\$5 per ton
Ash, coal and oil	\$5 per ton
Paper mill sludge	\$5 per ton
Industrial waste	\$5 per ton
Sandblast grit	\$5 per ton
All other special waste	\$5 per ton
Municipal solid waste or municipal solid waste ash	<del>\$4</del> <u>\$5</u> per ton
Front end process residue (FEPR)	\$1 per ton

Construction and demolition debris and residue from the processing of construction and demolition debris

\$2 ~~\$2~~ \$10 per ton

### **SUMMARY**

This amendment changes the title of and replaces the bill, which is a concept draft. It amends the waste handling fee statute to increase the fee imposed on the disposal at a landfill of municipal solid waste and municipal solid waste ash from \$1 per ton to \$5 per ton and to increase the fee imposed on the disposal at a landfill of construction and demolition debris and residue from the processing of construction and demolition debris from \$2 per ton to \$10 per ton.