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LD 1659 ought-NOT-to-pass as the green initiative has not been proven to benefit the environment.

No matter what the intent is, it takes dirty energy to create clean energy.

Examples:

Solar panels have a lifespan and have an energy cost to dispose of them properly. The same can be said for wind turbine. They cause a negative impact to wildlife within a 40 mile range and the still require petroleum products to function and have a lifespan. Wind blades are already littering landfills in some locations; don't know about Maine.

Thank you.