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L.D. 1961

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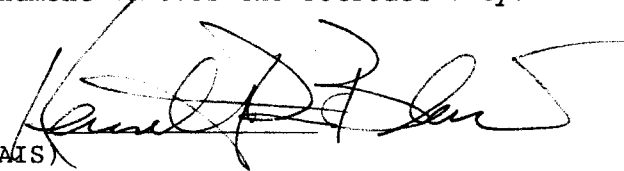
STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
121ST LEGISLATURE
SECOND SPECIAL SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "B" to S.P. 806, L.D. 1961, Bill, "An Act To Clarify Legislative Pay"

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 2 (page 1, lines 35 and 36 in L.D.)

SUMMARY

This amendment removes the retroactivity.

SPONSORED BY: 

(Senator BLAIS)

COUNTY: Kennebec

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

SENATE AMENDMENT



121st Maine Legislature
Office of Fiscal and Program Review

LD 1961
An Act to Clarify Legislative Pay

LR 2882(03)
Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment "B"
Sponsor: Sen. Blais
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Undetermined current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Removing the retroactivity clause would require payment of \$100 per day special session pay through April 16, 2004. The cost to the Legislature for 38 legislative days is estimated to be \$770,000, based on \$20,250 per day for each day the Legislature is in Special Session and legislators being entitled to receive \$100 per day plus related retirement costs. Legislators are also entitled to the \$55 per diem for attendance at committee meetings on days the Legislature is not in session. Since it is unknown at this time how many committees met on days that the Legislature was not in session and the number of members in attendance, the exact cost of this legislation can not be determined at this time.