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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
122ND LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT 'D' to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 6, L.D. 1, Bill, "An Act To Increase the State Share of Education Costs, Reduce Property Taxes and Reduce Government Spending at All Levels"

Amend the amendment in Part D in section 32 in subsection 1 by striking out all of paragraph B and inserting in its place the following:

'B. By fiscal year 2009-10 the state share of the total cost of funding public education from kindergarten to grade 12, as described by essential programs and services, must be ~~55%~~ 58%. Beginning in fiscal year 2005-06 and in each fiscal year until fiscal year 2009-10, the state share of essential programs and services described costs must increase toward the ~~55%~~ 58% level required in fiscal year 2009-10.'

Further amend the amendment in Part D in section 34 in subsection 7 in paragraph A by striking out all of subparagraphs (1) to (5) and inserting in their place the following:

- '(1) For fiscal year 2005-06, the target is 84%.
- (2) For fiscal year 2006-07, the target is 88%.
- (3) For fiscal year 2007-08, the target is 92%.
- (4) For fiscal year 2008-09, the target is 96%.
- (5) For fiscal year 2009-10 and succeeding years, the target is 100%.'

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Further amend the amendment in Part D in section 34 in subsection 7 in paragraph B by striking out all of subparagraphs (2) to (5) and inserting in their place the following:

(2) For fiscal year 2006-07, the target is 52.6%.

(3) For fiscal year 2007-08, the target is 53%.

(4) For fiscal year 2008-09, the target is 54%.

(5) For fiscal year 2009-10 and succeeding years, the target is 55% 58%.

Further amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

SUMMARY

This amendment provides a 5-year ramp to achieve 58% state share of 100% of essential programs and services.

SPONSORED BY: *Sen Dana L. Dow*
(Senator DOW)

COUNTY: Lincoln

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

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LR 0328(23)

An Act to Increase the State Share of Education Costs, Reduce Property Taxes and Reduce Government Spending at All Levels

Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment **D to Committee Amendment **A****

Sponsor: Senator Dow

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Future biennium cost increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment increases the General Fund cost of the bill by \$78,106,199 in fiscal year 2009-10. Of that amount, \$56,007,860 will be distributed to school administrative units as additional state subsidy and \$22,098,339 will be transferred to the Fund for the Efficient Delivery of Educational Services.