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L.D. 1408

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**NATURAL RESOURCES**

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14 **STATE OF MAINE**  
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16 **122ND LEGISLATURE**  
**FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "*A*" to H.P. 972, L.D. 1408, "Resolve,  
Directing the Air Toxics Advisory Committee To Review the Status  
of Toxic Emissions from Waste-to-energy Facilities in the State  
and Recommend Actions Aimed at Reducing and Monitoring These  
Emissions"

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Amend the resolve in section 1 in the 3rd and 4th lines  
(page 1, lines 3 and 4 in L.D.) by striking out the following:  
"direct and indirect"

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Further amend the resolve by striking out all of section 2  
and inserting in its place the following:

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'**Sec. 2. Subcommittee formed. Resolved:** That the Department  
of Environmental Protection shall form a subcommittee of the Air  
Toxics Advisory Committee to consider the toxic and other  
emissions from waste-to-energy facilities. The subcommittee must  
be composed of representatives of differing viewpoints on the  
State's policy regarding waste-to-energy facilities; and be it  
further'

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Further amend the resolve in section 4 in the 5th and 6th  
lines (page 1, lines 27 and 28 in L.D.) by striking out the  
following: "from waste-to-energy facilities" and in the last 2  
lines (page 1, lines 29 and 30 in L.D.) by striking out the  
following: "from the waste-to-energy facilities"

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

**R/S**

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**SUMMARY**

This amendment removes the requirement that the subcommittee created in the resolve consider potential strategies for reducing toxic air emissions and the need for internal and external monitoring systems. It also changes the purpose of the subcommittee from considering toxicity-weighted emissions to considering toxic and other emissions from waste-to-energy facilities.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**  
(See attached)



Approved: 05/12/05 *MAC*

# 122nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1408

LR 1371(02)

**Resolve, Directing the Air Toxics Advisory Committee To Review the Status of Toxic Emissions from Waste-to-energy Facilities in the State and Recommend Actions Aimed at Reducing and Monitoring These Emissions**

**Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"**

**Committee: Natural Resources**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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## Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

Minor cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds