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ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

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**STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
127TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 257, L.D. 727, Bill, "An Act To Allow the Retrofit of Underground Oil Storage Tanks"

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 6 in the 5th line (page 1, line 7 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "may not" and inserting the following: 'shall'

Amend the bill by adding after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, DEPARTMENT OF
Remediation and Waste Management 0247**

Initiative: Provides a one-time appropriation in fiscal year 2015-16 of \$2,500 for rule-making costs related to retrofitting single-walled underground oil storage tanks.

GENERAL FUND	2015-16	2016-17
All Other	\$2,500	\$0
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$2,500</u>	<u>\$0</u>

SUMMARY

This amendment provides that a site assessment of an underground oil storage facility is required when a single-walled underground oil storage tank is retrofitted with secondary containment as authorized in the bill. The amendment also adds an appropriations and allocations section.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 727

LR 1219(02)

An Act To Allow the Retrofit of Underground Oil Storage Tanks

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-48)
Committee: Environment and Natural Resources
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	Projections FY 2017-18	Projections FY 2018-19
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$2,500	\$0	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$2,500	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill requires the Board of Environmental Protection within the Department of Environmental Protection to have rules allowing people to retrofit single-walled underground oil storage tanks and to require site assessments when a tank is retrofitted in a certain manner. The bill includes a one-time General Fund appropriation of \$2,500 in fiscal year 2015-16 to fund these rulemaking costs.