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**121st Legislature (2002-2004)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1924 / SP0761

An Act To Reduce the Cost of Local Government through Increased State Education Funding and Provide Property Tax Relief. (GOVERNOR'S BILL). Presented by Senator DOUGLASS of Androscoggin; Cosponsored by Representative CUMMINGS of Portland and Senator MITCHELL of Penobscot, Representatives: FISCHER of Presque Isle, LEDWIN of Holden, MILLS of Cornville. Referred jointly to Joint Standing Committee on Taxation and Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs. Public Hearing 03/18/04. OTP-AM Accepted 04/28/04. Amended by: CA S-545, SA/CA S-550. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 05/12/04, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 712.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1924 \(121st Legis. 2004\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law**

[LD 1924 \(in Education & Cultural Affairs Committee\) / PL 2003, c. 712](#)

[LD 1924 \(in Taxation Committee\) / PL 2003, c. 712](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf121-LD-1924\_EDU.pdf)

Joint Standing Committee on Taxation

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf121-LD-1924\_TAX.pdf)

**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(S-545\) \(LD 1924 2004\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-550\) \(LD 1924 2004\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, March 10, 2004 \(H1324-1333\)](#)

- p. H-1331

[SENATE, March 10, 2004 \(S1353-1366\)](#)

- p. S-1357

[SENATE, April 27, 2004 \(S1684-1698\)](#)

- p. S-1686 (Amendment(s) S-545)

[SENATE, April 27, 2004 \(S1684-1698\)](#)

- p. S-1697 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) S-545, S-550)

[HOUSE, April 28, 2004 \(H1762-1782\)](#)

- p. H-1762 (Amendment(s) S-545, S-550)

[HOUSE, April 28, 2004 \(H1762-1782\)](#)

- p. H-1763 (Amendment(s) S-545, S-550)

[SENATE, April 28, 2004 \(S1699-1723\)](#)

- p. S-1709 (Amendment(s) S-545, S-550)

[SENATE, April 29, 2004 \(S1724-1777\)](#)

- p. S-1766 (Amendment(s) S-545, S-550)

#### **Enacted Law or Resolve**

[PL 2003, c. 712](#)

#### **News Articles**

Baldacci: 'Significant' tax relief in funding bill (Higgins, A.J.) (Bangor Daily News, 5/13/2004, p. A1, C10) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 121/LD19xx/nc121-LD-1924/SB121429.pdf)

Baldacci signs school-funding plan into law (Cover, Susan M.) (Kennebec Journal, 5/13/2004, p. A1, A2) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 121/LD19xx/nc121-LD-1924/SB121428.pdf)

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