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STATE OF MAINE  
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SECOND REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1560, L.D. 2198, Bill, "An Act to Discourage Illegal Dumping of Waste"

Amend the amendment by inserting after the 2nd indented paragraph after the title the following:

'Further amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. Costs not funded. Notwithstanding the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 30-A, section 5684, any requirements of this Act that result in additional costs to local or county government are not state mandates subject to that section and the State is not required to fund those costs.'

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of the fiscal note and inserting in its place the following:

FISCAL NOTE

The Department of Public Safety can absorb the costs associated with initiating an investigation of reported violations of vehicles illegally discharging wastes within its budgeted resources.

The additional workload and administrative costs associated with the minimal number of new cases filed in the court system can be absorbed within the budgeted resources of the Judicial Department. The collection of additional fines will increase General Fund revenue by a minor amount.'

SENATE AMENDMENT

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STATEMENT OF FACT

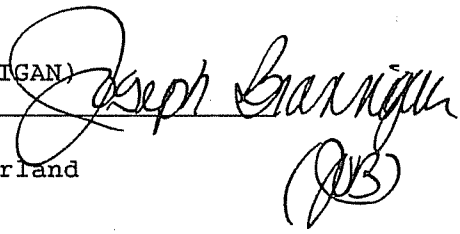
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The purpose of this amendment is to add a clause to the  
committee amendment to remove a potential liability for funding  
certain local costs of initiating investigations by police  
officers and to adjust the fiscal note accordingly.

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