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EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

MINORITY

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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
120TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 673, L.D. 873, Bill, "An Act to Require Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation Certification Prior to Graduation from High School"

Amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

	<b>2001-02</b>	<b>2002-03</b>
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EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF

General Purpose Aid for  
Local Schools

All Other	\$245,130	\$68,970
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Provides funds to add certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation to the high school diploma curriculum requirements.'

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the summary the following:

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

**FISCAL NOTE**

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**2001-02**                      **2002-03**

**APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS**

General Fund	\$245,130	\$68,970
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The requirement that certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation be added to the high school diploma curriculum requirements represents a state mandate pursuant to the Constitution of Maine. The additional local costs are estimated to be \$245,130 and \$68,970 in fiscal years 2001-02 and 2002-03, respectively, for the General Purpose Aid for Local Schools program to implement this requirement. Unless General Fund appropriations are provided to fund at least 90% of the additional costs or a Mandate Preamble is amended to the bill and two-thirds of the members of each House vote to exempt this mandate from the funding requirement, the local school administrative units may not be required to implement these changes.'

**SUMMARY**

This is the minority report of the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs. This amendment adds an appropriation section and a fiscal note to the bill.