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10 **STATE OF MAINE**  
**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
**120TH LEGISLATURE**  
12 **SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

14 HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1516, L.D. 2020, Bill, "An Act  
16 to Promote the Fiscal Sustainability of the Highway Fund"

18 Amend the bill by inserting after section 8 the following:

20 **Sec. 9. Transfer of funds.** Notwithstanding the Maine Revised  
22 Statutes, Title 20-A, Part 9, the Commissioner of Administrative  
and Financial Services shall transfer \$25,000,000 from the Maine  
24 Learning Technology Endowment to the Highway Fund no later than  
June 30, 2002.

26 **Sec. 10. Lease purchase deauthorization.** This section  
deauthorizes the financing arrangements found in Public Law 2001,  
28 chapter 559, Part D, section 21 and is considered a  
deappropriation of all funding for the laptop computer systems of  
30 the Maine Learning Technology Program.

32 **Sec. 11. Appropriations and allocations.** The following  
appropriations and allocations are made.

34 **EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF**

36 **Maine Learning Technology Endowment**

38 Initiative: Provides funds for the costs of the lease purchase  
40 for 850 laptop computers already received for students and  
teachers and to eliminate the Other Special Revenue funds

**HOUSE AMENDMENT**

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1516, L.D. 2020

allocation in Public Law 2001, chapter 559, Part A to reflect the transfer of all funds from the Maine Learning Technology Endowment program.

4	<b>General Fund</b>	<b>2001-02</b>	<b>2002-03</b>
6	All Other	\$0	\$255,000
8	Total	\$0	\$255,000
10	<b>Other Special Revenue Funds</b>	<b>2001-02</b>	<b>2002-03</b>
12	All Other	\$0	(\$7,384,730)
14	Total	\$0	(\$7,384,730)

**FISCAL NOTE**

**2002-03**

**APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS**

General Fund \$255,000

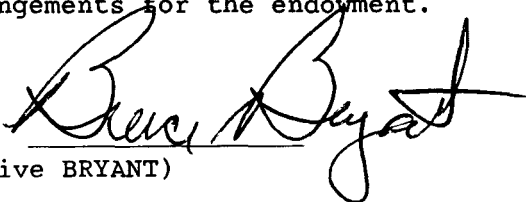
**REVENUES**

Highway Fund \$25,000,000

This amendment directs the transfer of \$25,000,000 from the Maine Learning Technology Endowment to the Highway Fund. This amendment also provides a General Fund appropriation to the Department of Education of \$255,000 in fiscal year 2002-03 to fund the cost of the lease purchase for 850 laptop computers already received for students and teachers. The balance of the appropriation required by the Department of Education to satisfy the contractual obligations of this program beginning in fiscal year 2002-03 can not be determined at this time.

**SUMMARY**

This amendment transfers all the funds in the Maine Learning Technology Endowment to the Highway Fund and deauthorizes the financing arrangements for the endowment.

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