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STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

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20 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 742, L.D. 2067, Bill, "An
Act to Require Appropriate Public Notice of a State Building
Project"

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24 Amend the bill by striking out all of section 1 and
inserting in its place the following:

26 'Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §1742-B, as amended by PL 1991, c. 577, is
further amended by adding at the end a new paragraph to read:

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30 If a proposed public improvement is not reviewed by a
32 municipality, the Department of Administrative and Financial
34 Services, Bureau of General Services shall provide public notice
of the project in the same manner as is required for notice of
similar projects by ordinance of the municipality. Public notice
under this section must be provided as soon as development of the
schematic design for the project is complete.'

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

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'FISCAL NOTE

44 The additional costs associated with providing public notice
of certain public improvements can be absorbed by the Department
of Administrative and Financial Services, Bureau of General
46 Services utilizing existing budgeted resources.'

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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SUMMARY

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6 This amendment replaces the bill. It requires the
Department of Administrative and Financial Services, Bureau of
8 General Services to provide notice of state public improvement
construction projects if the municipality in which the project is
10 located is not reviewing the project. Notice must be provided in
the same manner as required by municipal ordinance in the town or
12 city in which the project is located and must be provided as soon
as development of the schematic design of the project is
complete. The amendment also adds a fiscal note to the bill.