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	L.D. 2080								
2	DATE: March 25, 2002 (Filing No. S-495)								
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8	CTATE OF MAINE								
10	STATE OF MAINE SENATE 120TH LEGISLATURE								
12	SECOND REGULAR SESSION								
14	SENATE AMENDMENT " \mathcal{D} " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P.								
16	1574, L.D. 2080, Bill, "An Act to Make Supplemental Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State								
18	Government and to Change Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Years								
20	Ending June 30, 2002 and June 30, 2003"								
22	Amend the amendment in Part D in section 20 in the 3rd line (page 122, line 16 in amendment) by striking out the following:								
24	"\$5,000,000" and inserting in its place the following: '\$12,384,730'								
26	Further amend the amendment in Part GG in section 25 by								
28	striking out all of subsection 2 and inserting in its place the following:								
30	12 Mary Court to the Detirement 133 areas David and any								
32	'2. Transfers to the Retirement Allowance Fund pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 1517, which may not exceed \$2,300,000; and'								
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36	Further amend the amendment by inserting after Part SS the following:								
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40	'PART TT								
	Sec. TT-1. Transfer of funds. Notwithstanding the Maine								
42	Revised Statutes, Title 20-A, Part 9, the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services shall transfer \$4,000,000								
44	from the Maine Learning Technology Endowment to the Maine Clear Election Fund no later than June 30, 2003.								
46	Sec. TT-2. Transfer of funds. Notwithstanding the Maine Revised								
48	Statutes, Title 20-A, Part 9, the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services shall transfer \$13,615,270 from the Maine								
50	Learning Technology Endowment to the Maine Rainy Day Fund no later than June 30, 2003.								

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Sec. TT-3. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF

Maine Learning Technology Endowment

Initiative: Provides funds for the first year costs of the lease-purchase of laptop computers for students and teachers and to offset the Other Special Revenue funds allocation in Part A to reflect the change of funding of the Maine Learning Technology Endowment program.

 General Fund
 2001-02
 2002-03

 All Other
 \$0
 \$7,384,730

 Total
 \$0
 \$7,384,730

Other Special Revenue Funds 2001-02 2002-03
22 All Other \$0 (\$7,384,730)

Total \$0 (\$7,384,730)'

Further amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

FISCAL NOTE

This amendment will have no net effect on General Fund appropriations and revenue and a balanced budget is maintained for the 2002-2003 biennium.

This amendment will increase General Fund appropriations to the Department of Education by \$7,384,730 in fiscal year 2002-03 to fund the first year costs of providing laptop computers to students and teachers. This amendment also directs the transfer of an additional \$25,000,000 from the Maine Learning Technology Endowment with \$7,384,730 going to the unappropriated surplus of the General Fund; \$4,000,000 going to the Maine Clean Election Fund; and the balance of \$13,615,270 going to the Maine Rainy Day Fund. The additional transfer to the Maine Rainy Day Fund eliminates the contingent elements of conforming to the United States Internal Revenue Code in Part GG.

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SUMMARY

This	amendme	nt eli	minates	the	Maine	Learnin	g Tech	nology
Endowment	and ins	tead fu	nds a l	aptop j	program	in the	same	manneı
that oth	er sta	te pro	grams	are :	funded	by I	rovidin	.g aı
appropriat	cion of	\$7,38	4,730	in fi	scal y	ear 2	002-03.	The
amendment	also pr	ovides	\$4,000,	000 to	the M	Maine C	lean El	ection
Fund. The	he bala	nce re	maining	from	the	elimina	tion of	f the
endowment,	which :	is \$13,6	515,270,	will b	e tran	sferred	to the	Maine
Rainy Day	Fund.	_						

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SPONSORED BY:

(Senator WOODCOCK)

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