

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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L.D. 1067

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**MINORITY  
NATURAL RESOURCES**

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**STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
121ST LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 785, L.D. 1067, Bill, "An Act To Abolish the State Planning Office"

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 2 (page 1, lines 5 to 14 in L.D.)

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

**SUMMARY**

This amendment is the minority report of the Joint Standing Committee on Natural Resources. The amendment deletes from the bill the requirement that a regional economic development organization must relocate every 5 years to a municipality that is physically located at least 30 miles from the current location in order to be eligible for state funding.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED  
(See attached)**

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



**121st Maine Legislature**  
**Office of Fiscal and Program Review**

**LD 1067**  
**An Act to Abolish the State Planning Office**

**LR 1101(02)**  
**Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "**  
**Committee: Natural Resources**  
**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**  
**Minority Report**

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**Fiscal Note**

Potential future biennium savings - General Fund

**Fiscal Detail and Notes**

This bill abolishes the State Planning Office effective July 15, 2005. Since the Department of Economic and Community Development is required to present its proposal to reallocate essential functions to other state agencies to the Joint Standing Committee on Business, Research and Economic Development no later than December 10, 2003, the specific savings are unknown at this time.