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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
122ND LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 852, L.D. 1234, Bill, "An Act To Reestablish the Maine Coast Environmental Trust Fund within the Department of Marine Resources"

Amend the amendment by inserting after the 4th indented paragraph after the title the following:

'Further amend the bill by striking out all of section 2 (page 2, lines 48 to 50 and page 3, lines 1 to 5 in L.D.)'

Further amend the amendment in section 3 in the 2nd line (page 2, line 2 in amendment) by striking out the following: "2005" and inserting in its place the following: '2006' and in the 3rd line (page 2, line 3 in amendment) by striking out the following: "\$52,300" and inserting in its place the following: '\$25,000'

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of section 4 (page 2, lines 8 to 38 in amendment) and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 4. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

MARINE RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF

Maine Coast Environmental Trust Fund

Initiative: Provides funds to restore the clam flats in Stockton Harbor.

Table with 3 columns: OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS, 2005-06, 2006-07. Rows include All Other and TOTAL.

SENATE AMENDMENT

2 Further amend the amendment by inserting after section 4 the
4 following:

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

10 **SUMMARY**

12 This amendment removes the requirement that the Department
14 of Marine Resources develop a competitive grant program for
16 improvement and protection of the State's marine environment and
the funding for that program. This amendment also moves the
18 appropriation for the restoration of the clam flats in Stockton
Harbor to fiscal year 2006-07.

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22 SPONSORED BY:

(Senator ROTUNDO)

24 COUNTY: Androscoggin

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122nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1234

LR 1377(06)

An Act To Reestablish the Maine Coast Environmental Trust Fund within the Department of Marine Resources

Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment "A" to Committee Amendment "A"

Sponsor: Sen. Rotundo

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	2005-06	2006-07	Projections 2007-08	Projections 2008-09
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	(\$52,300)	\$25,000	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
Other Special Revenue Funds	(\$52,300)	\$24,500	\$0	\$0
Transfers				
General Fund	\$52,300	(\$25,000)	\$0	\$0
Other Special Revenue Funds	(\$52,300)	\$25,000	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment eliminates the transfer of \$52,300 from the unappropriated surplus of the General Fund in fiscal year 2005-06 to the Department of Marine Resources for the purpose of reestablishing the Maine Coast Environmental Trust Fund and replaces it with a similar transfer of \$25,000 in fiscal year 2006-07. In addition, the amendment eliminates Other Special Revenue Funds allocations of \$52,300 and \$500 in fiscal years 2005-06 and 2006-07, respectively, to the department and replaces them with an initial Other Special Revenue Funds allocation of \$25,000 in fiscal year 2006-07.