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NATURAL RESOURCES

Majority

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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
122ND LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1383, L.D. 1975, Bill, "An Act To Ensure Adequate Funding for Cleanup of Hazardous Waste, Biomedical Waste and Waste Oil"

Amend the bill by incorporating the attached fiscal note.

SUMMARY

This amendment is the majority report. It incorporates a fiscal note.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



122nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1975

LR 3073(02)

An Act To Ensure Adequate Funding for Cleanup of Hazardous Waste, Biomedical Waste and Waste Oil

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"

Committee: Natural Resources

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Majority Report

Fiscal Note

	2005-06	2006-07	Projections 2007-08	Projections 2008-09
Revenue				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	\$394,725	\$418,450	\$418,450

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This legislation will increase dedicated revenue to the Maine Hazardous Waste Fund within the Department of Environmental Protection by \$394,725 in fiscal year 2006-07 and \$418,450 annually thereafter. The projected revenue is derived from increased fees for the transport and disposal of hazardous waste and a proposed new fee for the registration of biomedical waste generators. The additional requirements of this legislation will be carried out with existing staff and resources and no additional allocations are needed at this time.

LD 1968, the Governor's proposed supplemental budget, includes a General Fund appropriation to the Maine Hazardous Waste Fund of \$200,000 in fiscal year 2005-06 and \$480,981 in fiscal year 2006-07 for the response to clean up hazardous waste releases.