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L.D. 1424

Date: 4/10/8

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APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
123RD LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 998, L.D. 1424, Bill, "An Act Requiring Long-range Budget Planning"

Amend the bill in section 2 in paragraph G in the 2nd line (page 1, line 10 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: ";" the following: 'and'

Amend the bill in section 3 in paragraph H in the 3rd line (page 1, line 14 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "next decade" and inserting the following: 'upcoming biennium and the 2 succeeding biennia'

Amend the bill in section 3 in paragraph H in the 4th line (page 1, line 15 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "; and" and inserting the following: ' '

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 4.

SUMMARY

This amendment requires that the long-range plan included in the state budget document describe the vision of the Governor or Governor-elect for the upcoming biennium and 2 succeeding biennia, rather than for the next decade. In addition, this amendment removes the requirement that the state budget document describe any imbalance between projected revenues and projected expenditures.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



123rd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1424

LR 2368(02)

An Act Requiring Long-range Budget Planning

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

Committee: Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: No

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The additional costs associated with this legislation can be absorbed by the Department of Administrative and Financial Services utilizing existing budgeted resources.