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3 APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

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5 STATE OF MAINE
6 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
7 126TH LEGISLATURE
8 SECOND REGULAR SESSION

9 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 829, L.D. 1185, Bill, "An Act To
10 Enhance Efforts To Use Locally Produced Food in Schools"

11 Amend the bill by inserting after the title and before the enacting clause the
12 following:

13 'Mandate preamble. This measure requires one or more local units of government
14 to expand or modify activities so as to necessitate additional expenditures from local
15 revenues but does not provide funding for at least 90% of those expenditures. Pursuant to
16 the Constitution of Maine, Article IX, Section 21, 2/3 of all of the members elected to
17 each House have determined it necessary to enact this measure.'

18 Amend the bill in section 1 in §6663 in subsection 1 by striking out all of the first 6
19 lines (page 1, lines 4 to 9 in L.D.) and inserting the following:

20 '1. Data collection; website. A school administrative unit shall at least annually
21 determine the percentage of food purchased, grown or otherwise acquired for use in its
22 elementary schools and secondary schools that is grown, raised or caught in the State. In
23 addition, the school administrative unit shall at least annually determine the percentage of
24 dairy products purchased for use in its elementary schools and secondary schools that is
25 produced in the State.'

26 Amend the bill in section 1 in §6663 in subsection 1 in the 7th line (page 1, line 10 in
27 L.D.) by inserting after the following: "shall" the following: 'at least'

28 Amend the bill by adding after section 1 the following:

29 '**Sec. 2. Effective date.** This Act takes effect September 1, 2014.'

30 SUMMARY

31 This amendment provides that school administrative units must determine and report
32 at least annually the percentage of food purchased, grown or otherwise acquired for use in
33 its elementary schools and secondary schools that is grown, raised or caught in the State
34 as well as the percentage of dairy products purchased for use in its elementary schools

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1 and secondary schools that is produced in the State. It also adds an effective date of
2 September 1, 2014 and adds a mandate preamble.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)



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LD 1185

LR 1353(06)

An Act To Enhance Efforts To Use Locally Produced Food in Schools

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "B" (H. 839)

Committee: Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

State Mandate - Exempted

State Mandates

Required Activity

Requires school administrative units to determine and report the percentage of food and dairy products purchased or otherwise acquired for use in its elementary school and secondary school that is grown, raised, caught or produced in the State beginning in fiscal year 2014-15.

Unit Affected

School

Local Cost

Moderate
statewide

Pursuant to the Mandate Preamble, the two-thirds vote of all members elected to each House exempts the State from the constitutional requirement to fund 90% of the additional costs.