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L.D. 580

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**STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
127TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

SENATE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 404, L.D. 580, Bill, "An Act To Extend the Funding Period for Landfill Closure Costs"

Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph E in subparagraph (1) in the first line (page 1, line 7 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "license" the following: 'or received a license application'

Amend the bill by adding after section 1 the following:

**'Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, DEPARTMENT OF  
Remediation and Waste Management 0247**

Initiative: Provides allocations of \$91,400 in each of fiscal years 2015-16 and 2016-17 for landfill closure costs.

<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>2015-16</b>	<b>2016-17</b>
All Other	\$91,400	\$91,400
<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL</b>	<b>\$91,400</b>	<b>\$91,400</b>

**SUMMARY**

This amendment provides that a license application for a landfill received on or before September 1, 1989 makes the landfill eligible for payment of 75% of certain

SENATE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 404, L.D. 580

1 landfill closure costs by the Department of Environmental Protection. The amendment  
2 also adds an appropriations and allocations section.

3 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

4 (See attached)

5 SPONSORED BY: 

6 (Senator DILL)

7 COUNTY: Penobscot



# 127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 580

LR 534(06)

## An Act To Extend the Funding Period for Landfill Closure Costs

Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment 'B' to Original Bill (S-182)

Sponsor: Sen. Dill of Penobscot

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

### Fiscal Note

	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	Projections FY 2017-18	Projections FY 2018-19
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$91,400	\$91,400	\$91,400	\$91,400

#### Fiscal Detail and Notes

The amendment allows landfills that sent applications received by the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) on or before September 1, 1989 to become eligible to have DEP pay 75% of closure costs incurred between July 1, 1994 and before December 31, 2025. DEP estimates that at least one additional landfill would become eligible. DEP will expend an estimated \$365,600 for these closure costs. This amendment includes Other Special Revenue Funds allocations of \$91,400 in each of fiscal years 2015-16 and 2016-17 for landfill closure costs. All costs to the DEP will be funded from the Maine Solid Waste Management Fund within DEP. The fund has sufficient resources to absorb these costs.