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L.D. 1143

Date: 7/20/2017

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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
128TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 806,
L.D. 1143, "Resolve, Providing for the Official Observance of the 200th Anniversary of
the Formation of the State of Maine"

Amend the amendment by inserting after the title the following:

'Amend the resolve by inserting before section 1 the following:

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not
become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the Maine Bicentennial Commission is established to prepare and
administer a plan and program for the celebration of the State's bicentennial; and

Whereas, the study must be initiated before the 90-day period expires so that the
commission may begin its work and submit its first report by December 6, 2017; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within
the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as
immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now,
therefore, be it'

Amend the amendment by striking out all of section 10 and inserting the following:

Sec. 10. Appropriations and allocations. Resolved: That the following
appropriations and allocations are made.

CULTURAL AFFAIRS COUNCIL, MAINE STATE

State of Maine Bicentennial Celebration N257

Initiative: Provides an ongoing allocation for outside funds received for the State of
Maine bicentennial celebration to be used by the Maine Bicentennial Commission.

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2017-18	2018-19
All Other	\$500	\$500

SENATE AMENDMENT

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SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 806, L.D. 1143

1 OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL \$500 \$500


2 **Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this
3 legislation takes effect when approved.'

4 **SUMMARY**

5 This amendment removes the appropriations of \$75,000 from the General Fund from
6 Committee Amendment "A" but retains the ongoing allocation of outside funds received
7 for the State of Maine bicentennial celebration. This amendment also adds an emergency
8 preamble and emergency clause.

9 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

10 (See attached)

11 SPONSORED BY:  _____

12 (Senator HAMPER)

13 COUNTY: Oxford



128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1143

LR 362(06)

Resolve, Providing for the Official Observance of the 200th Anniversary of the Formation of the State of Maine

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

Sponsor: Sen. Hamper of Oxford

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	Projections FY 2019-20	Projections FY 2020-21
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	(\$75,000)	\$0	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	(\$75,000)	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment eliminates the one-time non-lapsing General Fund appropriation to the State of Maine Bicentennial Celebration program within the Maine Cultural Affairs Council for staff support and other expenses during the 4-year planning of the State of Maine bicentennial celebration. This amendment also adds an emergency preamble and emergency clause.

As amended, the bill includes ongoing Other Special Revenue Funds base allocations of \$500 per year beginning in fiscal year 2017-18 to the State of Maine Bicentennial Celebration program in the event outside funds are received for the State of Maine bicentennial celebration to be used by the Maine Bicentennial Commission. It also retains the legislative cost projections of \$3,090 per year in both fiscal year 2017-18 and fiscal year 2018-19.