

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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2 Date: 5/31/17

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5 **STATE OF MAINE**

6 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

7 **128TH LEGISLATURE**

8 **FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

9 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 997, L.D. 1445, Bill, "An Act To  
10 Designate the Maine Farms Agricultural Resource Management and Sustainability  
11 Recognition Program"

12 Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

13 **'An Act To Designate the Maine Farm Agricultural Resource Management and**  
14 **Sustainability Recognition Program'**

15 Amend the bill in section 1 in §162 in the first line (page 1, line 4 in L.D.) by striking  
16 out the following: "Farms" and inserting the following: 'Farm'

17 **SUMMARY**

18 This amendment changes the bill title and the name of the recognition program.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**  
(See attached)

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



Approved: 05/22/17 *MJC*

# 128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1445

LR 709(02)

## An Act To Designate the Maine Farms Agricultural Resource Management and Sustainability Recognition Program

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment

Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

*A (H-377)*

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### Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

#### Fiscal Detail and Notes

Any additional costs to the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry as a result of changing the name of the Farming for Maine farms program to the Maine Farm Agricultural Resource Management and Sustainability recognition program to reflect the addition of sustainable agricultural practices to the program criteria are anticipated to be minor and can be absorbed within budgeted resources.