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L.D. 1812

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Date: 3/20/18 Majority

(Filing No. H-657)

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128TH LEGISLATURE

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SECOND REGULAR SESSION

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1257, L.D. 1812, "Resolve, Directing an Independent, Nonpartisan, Objective Evaluation of the Provision of Indigent Legal Services"

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Amend the resolve by striking out all of section 3 (page 2, lines 1 to 11 in L.D.) and inserting the following:

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Sec. 3. Appropriations and allocations. Resolved: That the following appropriations and allocations are made.

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INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES, MAINE COMMISSION ON

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Maine Commission on Indigent Legal Services Z112

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Initiative: Deappropriates funds on a one-time basis to offset the cost to provide funding for the purpose of entering into a contract with a nonprofit organization experienced in evaluating indigent legal services systems.

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GENERAL FUND

2017-18

2018-19

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All Other

(\$110,000)

\$0

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GENERAL FUND TOTAL

(\$110,000)

\$0

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INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES, MAINE

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COMMISSION ON

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DEPARTMENT TOTALS

2017-18

2018-19

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GENERAL FUND

(\$110,000)

\$0

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DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS

(\$110,000)

\$0

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1257, L.D. 1812

1 **LEGISLATURE**
 2 **Legislature 0081**
 3 Initiative: Appropriates funds on a one-time basis to the Legislature to provide funding
 4 for the purpose of entering into a contract with a nonprofit organization experienced in
 5 evaluating indigent legal services systems.

6	GENERAL FUND	2017-18	2018-19
7	All Other	\$110,000	\$0
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9	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$110,000</u>	<u>\$0</u>

10	LEGISLATURE		
11	DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2017-18	2018-19
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13	GENERAL FUND	\$110,000	\$0
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15	DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$110,000</u>	<u>\$0</u>

16	SECTION TOTALS	2017-18	2018-19
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18	GENERAL FUND	\$0	\$0
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20	SECTION TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
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SUMMARY

23 This amendment is the majority report of the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary.
 24 It replaces the appropriations and allocations section in the resolve to transfer funds from
 25 the All Other account of the Maine Commission on Indigent Legal Services to pay for the
 26 independent, nonpartisan study.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1812

LR 2893(02)

Resolve, Directing an Independent, Nonpartisan, Objective Evaluation of the Provision of Indigent Legal Services

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment 'A' (H-657)
 Committee: Judiciary
 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	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill includes a one-time General Fund appropriation of \$110,000 in fiscal year 2017-18 to the Legislature and a one-time deappropriation of the same amount from the Maine Commission on Indigent Legal Services to contract with a nonprofit organization experienced in evaluating indigent legal services systems.