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EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
129TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 398, L.D. 541, "Resolve, To Reduce Food Waste in Schools"

Amend the resolve by adding after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. Food share table guidance. Resolved: That the Department of Education and the Department of Health and Human Services, Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention shall collaborate to revise the Department of Health and Human Services, Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention's health inspection program guidance titled "Food Sharing Tables - Guidance for Schools" in a manner that is less restrictive than current guidance and meets the requirements of the United States Department of Agriculture's Food and Nutrition Service guidance for the use of share tables in school nutrition programs. The Department of Education and the Department of Health and Human Services, Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention shall disseminate the revised state guidance for the use of share tables, by January 1, 2020, to public school food service programs throughout the State.'

Amend the resolve by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

SUMMARY

This amendment directs the Department of Education and the Department of Health and Human Services, Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention to collaborate to revise and disseminate by January 1, 2020 to public school food service programs throughout the State the Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention's health inspection program guidance titled "Food Sharing Tables - Guidance for Schools."

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 541

LR 836(02)

Resolve, To Reduce Food Waste in Schools

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment *A (H-255)*

Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Additional costs to the Department of Education and the Department of Health and Human Services to implement the requirements of this legislation can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.