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L.D. 604

Date: 4/29/21 Majority (Filing No. H- 111)

EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
130TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 440, L.D. 604, "An Act To Promote Accountability in Maine's Charter Schools"

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

'Resolve, Directing the Department of Education To Report on Charter School Funding Methods and Reporting Protocols'

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1. Department of Education to report on charter school funding methods and reporting protocols. Resolved: That the Department of Education, in conjunction with the Maine Education Policy Research Institute, shall report to the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs no later than February 1, 2022 on funding methods and reporting protocols of public charter schools. The report must include financing mechanisms and methods used across the country, how other states handle the reporting of public financing of charter schools and the methods for informing state legislatures, the public and other interested parties on how charter schools are funded within a particular state.'

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

SUMMARY

This amendment, which is the majority report of the committee, replaces the bill with a resolve. The amendment directs the Department of Education, in conjunction with the Maine Education Policy Research Institute, to report to the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs no later than February 1, 2022 on funding methods and reporting protocols of public charter schools.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 604

LR 289(02)

An Act To Promote Accountability in Maine's Charter Schools

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-111)
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 to implement the requirements of this legislation can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.