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STATE OF MAINE

SENATE

130TH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 293, L.D. 879, "An Act Clarifying the Acceptance of Public Funding by Community Benefit Organizations"

Amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION, MAINE

Human Rights Commission - Regulation 0150

Initiative: Funds the establishment of one part-time Attorney position and related All Other costs for legal counsel on issues arising from exempting from certain discrimination prohibitions religious corporations, associations and organizations that receive public funds.

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	0.500	0.500
Personal Services	\$55,101	\$57,797
All Other	\$6,162	\$2,512
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$61,263	\$60,309

Human Rights Commission - Regulation 0150

Initiative: Establishes one part-time Maine Human Rights Investigator position due to an anticipated increase in complaints and provides funding for related All Other costs.

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	0.500	0.500
Personal Services	\$53,609	\$56,303
All Other	\$6,162	\$2,512
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$59,771	\$58,815

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**HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION, MAINE
DEPARTMENT TOTALS**

	2021-22	2022-23
GENERAL FUND	\$121,034	\$119,124
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$121,034</u>	<u>\$119,124</u>

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

SUMMARY

This amendment is the minority report of the committee. It adds an appropriations and allocations section.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 879

LR 1550(02)

An Act Clarifying the Acceptance of Public Funding by Community Benefit Organizations

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-260)

Committee: Judiciary

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	Projections FY 2023-24	Projections FY 2024-25
Net Cost (Savings) General Fund	\$121,034	\$119,124	\$122,776	\$126,543
Appropriations/Allocations General Fund	\$121,034	\$119,124	\$122,776	\$126,543

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The changes in the bill are expected to increase the number of complaints to the Maine Human Rights Commission. The bill includes General Fund appropriations of \$121,034 in fiscal year 2021-22 and \$119,124 in fiscal year 2022-23 for one part-time Maine Human Rights Investigator position, one part-time attorney and related All Other costs.