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**STATE OF MAINE  
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130TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 422, L.D. 1294, "An Act To Prevent Discrimination against Domestic Violence Victims"

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in paragraph A in the 7th line (page 1, line 12 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in paragraph A in the last line (page 1, line 22 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in paragraph B in the 7th line (page 1, line 31 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in paragraph B in the last line (page 1, line 39 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in paragraph C in the 7th line (page 2, line 1 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in paragraph C in the 20th line (page 2, line 14 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in paragraph D in subparagraph (1) in the last line (page 2, line 31 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in paragraph D in subparagraph (2) in the 5th line (page 2, line 36 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 422, L.D. 1294 (S-21a)

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Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in paragraph D in subparagraph (3) in the 7th line (page 2, line 46 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in paragraph D in subparagraph (4) in the last line (page 3, line 11 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in paragraph D in subparagraph (5) in the last line (page 3, line 19 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 2 in the indented paragraph in the 4th line (page 3, line 29 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 1 in paragraph A in the 4th line (page 3, line 41 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 1 in paragraph B in the last line (page 4, line 5 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 1 in paragraph C in the 6th line (page 4, line 11 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 1 in paragraph D in the 3rd and 4th lines (page 4, lines 15 and 16 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 1 in paragraph E in the last line (page 4, line 22 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 2 in paragraph A in the last line (page 4, line 28 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 2 in paragraph B in the 4th line (page 4, line 32 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 2 in paragraph C in the last line (page 4, line 39 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 2 in paragraph D in the 4th line (page 4, line 43 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 2 in paragraph E in the 6th line (page 5, line 6 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 422, L.D. 1294 (S-266)

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Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 3 in paragraph A in the 4th line (page 5, line 16 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §4581-A in subsection 3 in paragraph B in the last line (page 5, line 22 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "chapter 101" and inserting the following: 'section 4007'

Amend the bill by inserting after section 3 the following:

**Sec. 4. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION, MAINE**

**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

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

**SUMMARY**

This amendment is the majority report of the committee. It provides that only orders of protection that were issued after the opportunity for a hearing are protected from discrimination in housing and employment. The amendment also adds an appropriations and allocations section.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

(See attached)

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



# 130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1294

LR 1555(02)

## An Act To Prevent Discrimination against Domestic Violence Victims

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-261)

Committee: Judiciary

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

### Fiscal Note

	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	Projections FY 2023-24	Projections FY 2024-25
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$59,771	\$58,815	\$60,617	\$62,476
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
General Fund	\$59,771	\$58,815	\$60,617	\$62,476

#### Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill provides protections against discrimination in employment and housing against a person who has sought and received an order of protection. The Maine Human Rights Commission anticipates that these protections will increase the number of complaints filed with the commission. As a result, the bill includes General Fund appropriations of \$59,771 in fiscal year 2021-22 and \$58,815 in fiscal year 2022-23 for one part-time Maine Human Rights Investigator position and related All Other costs.