

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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L.D. 1366

Date: 6/1/21 Minority

(Filing No. H-274)

STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

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

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1000, L.D. 1366, "An Act To Require a Majority Vote of the Legislature for Maine To Join Any Multistate Compact"

Amend the bill in section 1 in c. 39 in §1101 in the first indented paragraph in the first line (page 1, line 6 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "The" and inserting the following: 'Beginning January 1, 2022, the'

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

SUMMARY

This amendment, which is the minority report of the committee, limits the application of the bill to compacts joined, adopted or implemented on or after January 1, 2022.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**  
(See attached)

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



Approved: 05/22/21 *MAC*

# 130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1366

LR 984(02)

**An Act To Require a Majority Vote of the Legislature for Maine To Join Any Multistate Compact**

**Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-274)**

**Committee: State and Local Government**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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## Fiscal Note

### Legislative Cost/Study

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The bill requires a majority vote of the Legislature to approve a multistate compact before the State or a state agency can join, adopt or implement a multistate compact beginning January 1, 2022. The Legislature's baseline budget for 2022-2023 includes funds for the Legislature to meet in special session on 2 days each fiscal year following the applicable statutory deadline. Whether or not there are sufficient funds to cover the cost of holding a special session for this purpose will depend on the number of times the Legislature is required to convene in special session during the interim.