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L.D. 8

Date: 3-20-2023

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AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY

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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
131ST LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 12, L.D. 8, "An Act to Increase Support for the Modernization of the Board of Pesticides Control by Increasing the Annual Pesticide Registration Fee"

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 6 in the 2nd line (page 1, line 5 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "\$200" and inserting the following: '\$215'

Amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

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

**AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY, DEPARTMENT OF
Pesticides Control - Board of 0287**

Initiative: Provides allocations for expenditures related to the regulation of the sale and application of chemical insecticides, fungicides and herbicides and other chemical pesticides.

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2023-24	2024-25
All Other	\$660,000	\$660,000
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	<u>\$660,000</u>	<u>\$660,000</u>

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

SUMMARY

This amendment increases the annual fee to register a pesticide with the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry, Board of Pesticides Control from \$160 to \$215

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instead of \$200 as proposed in the bill. The amendment also adds an appropriations and allocations section.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



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LR 90(02)

An Act to Increase Support for the Modernization of the Board of Pesticides Control by Increasing the Annual Pesticide Registration Fee

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"

Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

(H-7)

Fiscal Note

	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	Projections FY 2025-26	Projections FY 2026-27
Appropriations/Allocations				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$660,000	\$660,000	\$660,000	\$660,000
Revenue				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$660,000	\$660,000	\$660,000	\$660,000

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill increases the annual fee to register a pesticide with the Board of Pesticides Control within the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry from \$160 to \$215. The increased registration fee will result in an additional \$660,000 in Other Special Revenue Funds revenue starting in fiscal year 2023-24. The bill includes corresponding allocations to allow for the expenditure of the additional revenue.

