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4 STATE OF MAINE
5 SENATE
6 131ST LEGISLATURE
7 FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

8 SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H P 80,
9 L D 112, "An Act to Increase the State's Share of Retired Teacher Health Insurance"

10 Amend the amendment by striking out everything after the title and before the last
11 instructional paragraph and inserting the following

12 'Amend the bill by striking out all of the emergency preamble

13 Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting the
14 following

15 'Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §13451, sub-§3, ¶E, as amended by PL 2023, c 412, Pt
16 OOOOO, §2, is further amended to read

17 E Fifty-five percent from July 1, 2021 to ~~June 30~~ October 31, 2023, and

18 Sec. 2. 20-A MRSA §13451, sub-§3, ¶F, as enacted by PL 2023, c 412, Pt
19 OOOOO, §3, is amended to read

20 F Sixty percent after ~~July~~ November 1, 2023

21 Sec. 3. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and
22 allocations are made

23 EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF
24 Retired Teachers' Health Insurance 0854

25 Initiative Deappropriates funds to reflect delaying the increase in the State's contribution
26 toward retired teachers' health insurance premiums from 55% to 60% from July 1, 2023 to
27 November 1, 2023

28	GENERAL FUND	2023-24	2024-25
29	All Other	(\$1,089,572)	\$0
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31	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>(\$1,089,572)</u>	<u>\$0</u>

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33 Amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or
34 section number to read consecutively

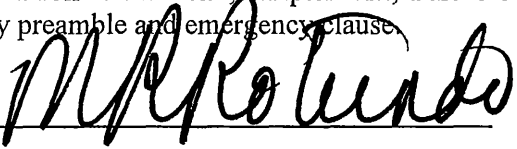
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SUMMARY

This amendment increases the State's contribution toward the retired teachers' share of health insurance premiums from 55% to 60% effective November 1, 2023 instead of July 1, 2023 as enacted by Public Law 2023, chapter 412, Part OOOOO. The amendment removes the emergency preamble and emergency clause.

SPONSORED BY: 

(Senator ROTUNDO, M.)

COUNTY: Androscoggin

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)



131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 112

LR 207(04)

An Act to Increase the State's Share of Retired Teacher Health Insurance

Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment "A" to Committee Amendment "A"

Sponsor: Sen. Rotundo of Androscoggin

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	Projections FY 2025-26	Projections FY 2026-27
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	(\$4,358,287)	(\$6,828,304)	(\$7,132,119)	(\$7,449,453)
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	(\$4,358,287)	(\$6,828,304)	(\$7,132,119)	(\$7,449,453)

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment strikes the provisions in this bill that increase the State's contribution to the cost of retired teacher's health insurance premiums from 55% to 60% in fiscal year 2023-24 and from 60% to 65% in fiscal year 2024-25 and instead provides that the increase in the State's contribution from 55% to 60% already enacted by Public Law 2023, chapter 412, Part OOOOO becomes effective on November 1, 2023 instead of July 1, 2023. As amended, this bill includes a one-time General Fund deappropriation of \$1,089,572 in fiscal year 2023-24 to reflect the reduced cost to the State from delaying the effective date.