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6	131ST LEGISLATURE				
7	SECOND REGULAR SESSION				
8 9 10	SENATE AMENDMENT " $A$ " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 341, L.D. 536, "An Act to Provide Natural Organic Reduction Facilities for Maine Residents for the Conversion of Human Remains to Soil"				
11 12	Amend the amendment on page 5 by striking out all of the 3rd instructional paragraph (page 5, line 6 in amendment).				
13	Amend the amendment by striking out all of section 26.				
14 15	Amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.				
16	SUMMARY				
17 18 19 20 21 22	This amendment removes the General Fund appropriations to the Department of Health and Human Services for one Environmental Specialist III position to handle new administrative oversight responsibilities. The appropriation is no longer required due to the approval of a position in Public Law 2023, chapter 412 that is dedicated part-time to the cemetery and crematoria oversight.				
23	(Senator ROTUNDO, M.)				
24	COUNTY: Androscoggin				

## FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED (See attached)

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SENATE AMENDMENT

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## 131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act to Provide Natural Organic Reduction Facilities for Maine Residents for the Conversion of Human Remains to Soil

> Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment 'A'' to Committee Amendment "A'' (S-588) 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	(\$97,973)	(\$101,032)	(\$103,675)	(\$106,086)		
Appropriations/Allocations General Fund	(\$97,973)	(\$101,032)	(\$103,675)	(\$106,086)		

## **Fiscal Detail and Notes**

This amendment removes the General Fund appropriations to the Department of Health and Human Services and eliminates the Environmental Specialist III position that was in the bill to handle new administrative oversight

responsibilities. These are no longer required due to the approval of a position in PL 2023, c. 412 which will be dedicated part-time to cemetery and crematoria oversight.