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L D 1002
(Filing No H-477)

EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

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

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H P 638, L D 1002, "An Act to Require a Lunch Period of at Least 30 Minutes for Students and Reduce Food Waste"

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following

'Resolve, Directing the Department of Education to Study the School Day'

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and inserting the following

'Sec. 1. Department of Education to study the school day. Resolved: That the Department of Education shall convene a working group to study the school day. The working group must include, but is not limited to, members representing school administrators from high schools, middle schools and elementary schools, a parent of a student, a student, a mental health clinician, a pediatrician, a school nutritionist and a member representing a statewide association of curriculum leaders. The department shall invite any other stakeholders to participate, as appropriate. The study must be informed by relevant research conducted by the Maine Education Policy Research Institute and the department shall work in conjunction with the Maine Education Policy Research Institute, as appropriate. In studying the school day, the working group shall consider, at a minimum, the following

- 1 Statewide, national and international approaches to the school day,
- 2 Instructional requirements for graduation, including but not limited to instruction in health and physical education, traffic safety education, elements of a firearm hunter safety course and a stand-alone course in personal finance,
- 3 Educator planning and preparation time,
- 4 Lunch periods, including but not limited to transit time and time required to eat,
- 5 Recess periods, including the timing of recess before or after lunch periods, frequency of recess periods and differences in recess periods at each grade level,
- 6 Electives and allied arts courses,
- 7 To the extent offered, after-school and extended day programs, and

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1002

LR 567(02)

An Act to Require a Lunch Period of at Least 30 Minutes for Students and Reduce Food Waste

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment

Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

A" (H-477)

Fiscal Note

	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	Projections FY 2025-26	Projections FY 2026-27
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$5,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$5,000	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill includes a one-time General Fund appropriation of \$5,000 in fiscal year 2023-24 to the Leadership program within the Department of Education for the cost to contract with a facilitator to support the work group established to study the school day