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8 9 10	SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H P 981, L D 1526, "An Act to Provide Grants to Support Reading Proficiency Programming in Schools"				
11 12	Amend the amendment by striking out all of sections 2, 3 and 4 and inserting the following				
13 14 15 16 17	'Sec. 2. Report. Resolved: That, no later than January 15, 2025, the department shall submit to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over education and cultural affairs a report on the awarding of grants and the criteria used to award grants to school administrative units in accordance with section 1 The committee may report out a bill to the 132nd Legislature in 2025				
18 19	Sec. 3. Appropriations and alloca appropriations and allocations are made	tions. Resolved: That t	he following		
20	EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF				
21	Office of Innovation Z333				
22 23	Initiative Provides one-time funds for grants to school administrative units to support reading proficiency programming in schools				
24 25 26	GENERAL FUND All Other	2023-24 \$0	2024-25 \$200,000		
27 28	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$200,000		
28 29 30	Amend the amendment by relettering or rem section number to read consecutively	umbering any nonconsecutive	Part letter or		

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SENATE AMENDMENT

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SUMMARY

This amendment changes the reporting date and provides one-time funds in fiscal year 2024-25

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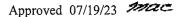
(Senator ROTUNDO, M.)

COUNTY: Androscoggin

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED (See attached)

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Resolve, to Provide Grants to Support Reading Proficiency Programming in Schools

Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment "#" 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	(\$2,000,000)	(\$1,800,000)	\$0	\$0
ppropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$0	\$200,000	\$0	\$0
Other Special Revenue Funds	(\$2,000,000)	(\$2,000,000)	\$0	\$0
Transfers				
General Fund	\$2,000,000	\$2,000,000	\$0	\$0
Other Special Revenue Funds	(\$2,000,000)	(\$2,000,000)	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment removes the requirement that the State Controller transfer \$2,000,000 per year in fiscal years 2023-24 and 2024-25 from the unencumbered balance of the General Purpose Aid for Local Schools, General Fund carrying account within the Department of Education to the Office of Innovation program, also within the department, to be used for grants to school administrative units to support reading proficiency programming in schools. The amendment also eliminates the one-time Other Special Revenue Funds allocations of \$2,000,000 per year in fiscal years 2023-24 and 2024-25 included in the bill to authorize the expenditure of the funds if available. The amendment adds a one-time General Fund appropriation of \$200,000 in fiscal year 2024-25 to the Office of Innovation for grants to support reading proficiency programs in schools