



125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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Resolve, To Study Motor Fuel and Fuel Additives and To Explore Alternatives to Ethanol Motor Fuel

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. O'Connor of Berwick

Committee: Environment and Natural Resources

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2011-12	FY 2012-13	Projections FY 2013-14	Projections FY 2014-15
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$5,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$5,000	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The Department of Environmental Protection will require a one-time appropriation of \$5,000 in fiscal year 2011-12 to convene and lead a stakeholder group to study motor fuel and fuel additives and the related health and business effects related to their use. Any additional costs to the Department of Transportation, the Department of Economic and Community Development and the Public Utilities Commission associated with participation in the stakeholder group can be absorbed with existing staff and within existing budgeted resources.