

125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Extend the Salary Supplement for National Board-certified Teachers at Publicly Supported Secondary Schools That Enroll at Least 60% Public Students

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill Sponsor: Sen. Hastings III of Oxford Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs Fiscal Note Required: Yes

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Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The General Purpose Aid for Local Schools program within the Department of Education will require additional ongoing General Fund appropriations beginning in fiscal year 2011-12 for the costs associated with extending the salary supplement that is currently provided to public school teachers who have attained certification from the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards to include teachers at publicly supported secondary schools, which includes certain private secondary schools that enroll 60% or more publicly funded students. The amount can not be determined at this time and will depend on the number of additional teachers that attain the certification.