



125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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LR 2162(01)

RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine To Provide for the Popular Election of the Secretary of State, Attorney General, Treasurer of State and State Auditor

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Sen. Plowman of Penobscot

Committee: State and Local Government

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Referendum Costs

Month/Year	Election Type	Question	Length
Nov-11	General	Referendum	Standard

The Secretary of State's budget includes sufficient funds to accommodate one ballot of average length for the general election in November. If the number or size of the referendum questions requires production and delivery of a second ballot, an additional appropriation of \$107,250 may be required.

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill is contingent on approval by the voters at referendum. If approved by the voters any impacts on the Office of the Secretary of State, the Office of the Attorney General, the Office of Treasurer of State and the Department of Audit are not expected to be significant.