

131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

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LR 963(04)

An Act to Create Economic Opportunity for Wabanaki Nations Through Internet Gaming

Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment " " to Committee Amendment "A"

Sponsor: Sen. Baldacci of Penobscot

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	\$0	(\$232,062)	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$0	(\$673,937)	\$0	\$0
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	(\$85,000)	\$0	\$0
Revenue				
General Fund	\$0	(\$441,875)	\$0	\$0
Referendum Costs	Month/Year Nov-24	Election Type General	Question Referendum	Length 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 \$266,000 may be required.

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment will make the provisions of the bill contingent upon approval by the voters at a referendum. Because this vote will not occur until November 2024 and the Gambling Control Unit will delay rulemaking until after the referendum, appropriations and allocations are removed from fiscal year 2024-25 and any revenue impact will be delayed until fiscal year 2025-2026, contingent on the referendum results.