



126th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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LR 313(06)

An Act To Support Community Health Centers through Tax Credits for Dentists and Primary Care Professionals Practicing in Underserved Areas

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "

Committee: Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

| | FY 2013-14 | FY 2014-15 | Projections FY 2015-16 | Projections FY 2016-17 |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Net Cost (Savings) | | | | |
| General Fund | \$0 | (\$770) | \$64,410 | \$118,560 |
| Revenue | | | | |
| General Fund | \$0 | (\$22,230) | (\$64,410) | (\$118,560) |
| Other Special Revenue Funds | \$0 | (\$1,170) | (\$3,390) | (\$6,240) |
| Transfers | | | | |
| General Fund | \$0 | \$23,000 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Other Special Revenue Funds | \$0 | (\$23,000) | \$0 | \$0 |

Fiscal Detail and Notes

By creating a Primary Care Access Credit for 5 certified primary care professionals practicing in underserved areas, General Fund revenue is reduced by \$22,230 in FY 2014-15 and Municipal Revenue Sharing decreases by \$1,170 in FY 2014-15. The amendment also directs the State Controller to transfer \$23,000 by June 30, 2015 from the Medical Use of Marijuana Fund, Other Special Revenue Funds account in the Department of Health and Human Services to the unappropriated surplus of the General Fund.

Any additional costs to the Departments of Administrative and Financial Services and Health and Human Services are expected to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.