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Amend the resolve in section 1 in the 4th line (page 1, line 27 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "3% " and inserting the following: '\$205,000 per year'

Amend the resolve by striking out all of section 2 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 2 Appropriations and allocations. Resolved: That the following appropriations and allocations are made.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF (FORMERLY DHS)

Medical Care - Payments to Providers 0147

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Initiative: Appropriates and allocates funds to increase the MaineCare reimbursement rates for tax credit assisted living services.

GENERAL FUND	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$0	\$54,720
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$54,720
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$0	\$99,030
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$99,030

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the 3% increase in the reimbursement rate for tax credit assisted living projects proposed in the resolve with an increase of \$205,000 per year. The amendment removes the section of the resolve pertaining to service-hold days. The amendment adds an appropriations and allocations section.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED (See attached)