

## 125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

**LD 440** 

LR 1098(01)

An Act To Allow Employees of the Maine School of Science and Mathematics to Join the State's Group Health Plan

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill Sponsor: Rep. Ayotte of Caswell Committee: Insurance and Financial Services Fiscal Note Required: No

## **Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement**

Minor cost increase - General Fund

## **Fiscal Detail and Notes**

Any additional costs to the State Employee Health Plan or to the Division of Employee Health and Benefits in the Department of Administrative and Financial Services are expected to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources. The Maine School of Science and Mathematics and its employees would continue to be responsible for the cost of premiums. Over time joining a larger pool of insured may provide additional stability and predictability to future premium rates.