

## 126th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1857

LR 2854(01)

An Act To Expand Services to Persons Who Are Disabled or Elderly on Wait Lists by Reducing Revenue Sharing

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill Sponsor: Rep. Ayotte of Caswell Committee: Appropriations and Financial Affairs Fiscal Note Required: Yes

## **Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement**

Net Cost (Savings) General Fund	<b>FY 2013-14</b> \$0	<b>FY 2014-15</b> \$0	Projections FY 2015-16	Projections FY 2016-17					
					Appropriations/Allocations				
					General Fund	\$0	\$18,000,000	\$0	\$0
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$0	\$26,262,866	(\$2,854,469)	(\$2,854,469)					
Revenue									
General Fund	\$0	\$18,000,000	\$0	\$0					
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	(\$18,000,000)	\$0	\$0					

## **Fiscal Detail and Notes**

This bill includes General Fund appropriations to the Department of Health and Human Services totaling \$18,000,000 in fiscal year 2014-15 and Federal Expenditures Fund allocations totaling \$26,262,866 in fiscal year 2014-15. It also includes a one-time reduction of \$18,000,000 to the Local Government Fund in fiscal year 2014-15 which increases General Fund revenue by the same amount. The bill assumes the ongoing costs to the Department of Health and Human Services for fiscal years 2015-16 and 2016-17 will be offset by a reduction in the MaineCare baseline for fiscal years 2015-16 and 2016-17.