



130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act Regarding the University of Maine System Hiring Practices

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. Collings of Portland

Committee: Labor and Housing

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	Projections FY 2023-24	Projections FY 2024-25
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$60,000
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$60,000

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The Educational and General Activities - UMS program within the University of Maine System will require ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$60,000 per year beginning in fiscal year 2021-22 for the costs associated with hiring a consultant to conduct 3rd-party reviews of the hiring process for positions within the University of Maine System. The university estimates the cost of the consulting services to be between \$60,000 to \$125,000 annually. The university may require additional appropriations in future legislation depending on the actual costs of the consulting services.