

STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
TWO THOUSAND TWENTY-ONE

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S.P. 536 - L.D. 1649

**An Act To Make the Shared Living Program Accessible for Persons with  
Intellectual Disabilities or Autism**

**Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

**Sec. 1. 34-B MRSA §5437, first ¶**, as amended by PL 2011, c. 542, Pt. A, §101, is further amended to read:

The department shall establish a contingency fund for use by ~~community-based intermediate care facilities for~~ persons with intellectual disabilities or autism ~~and department clients residing in licensed boarding and foster homes or intermediate care facilities or participating in appropriate day treatment programs~~ who qualify for services under this chapter. This fund must be used in accordance with the following provisions.