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An Act To Expand Access to Affordable Higher Education and To Strengthen Workforce Development

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

Sec. 1. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM, BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE MAINE

Maine Community College System - Board of Trustees 0556

Initiative: Provides ongoing funds to the Southern Maine Community College to support economic growth and the operation of the new Midcoast Campus at Brunswick Landing. The funding supports academic programming in composites manufacturing, nursing, business and the arts and sciences, and assures student success through advising, library and tutoring services.

GENERAL FUND	2015-16	2016-17
All Other	\$1,300,000	\$1,300,000
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$1,300,000	\$1,300,000

SUMMARY

This bill provides ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$1,300,000 per year beginning in fiscal year 2015-16 to the Southern Maine Community College to increase economic development and provide support for operations and key educational programs at the Midcoast Campus at Brunswick Landing.