



129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 775

LR 625(04)

Resolve, To Direct the Department of Health and Human Services To Amend Its Rules for Eligibility for Community Support Services

Fiscal Note for House Amendment " " to Committee Amendment "A"

Sponsor: Rep. Gramlich of Old Orchard Beach

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Potential current biennium reduction of cost - General Fund

Potential current biennium reduction of cost - Federal Expenditures Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The amendment removes the requirement in the committee amendment that the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) amend eligibility criteria under Chapter 101: MaineCare Benefits Manual, Chapter III, Section 17, Allowances for Community Support Services and, instead, allows the DHHS to amend the rule. This change gives the department more freedom in the changes, if any, that it makes to the rules. This could reduce those potentially eligible for services and the costs associated with them.