

131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 2211

LR 2944(05)

An Act Regarding Quality of Care and the Board of Trustees at the Maine Veterans' Homes

Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment " " to Original Bill Sponsor: Sen. Hickman of Kennebec Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

No net fiscal impact

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment requires the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) to expend any portion of the amounts appropriated pursuant to Resolves 2023, c. 117 that the DHHS has not expended and determines it could expend to support the operations of Maine Veterans' Homes in providing care to MaineCare covered residents who have received or are receiving residential care facility services during fiscal year 2023-2024. It also requires the DHHS to seek any approval from the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, that may be necessary to ensure that the unexpended portion of the amount appropriated in Resolves 2023, ch. 117 is used in conjunction with federal matching funds or for state-only room and board costs to support Maine Veterans' Homes operations during fiscal year 2023-24. As this requires the expenditure of funds that had been previously appropriated, there is no net fiscal impact to this amendment.

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