

131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act to Strengthen Maine's Workforce Through Preapprenticeship Training Programs

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill Sponsor: Sen. Tipping of Penobscot Committee: Labor and Housing Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	Projections FY 2025-26	Projections FY 2026-27
Net Cost (Savings)	•		4.0	•
General Fund	\$0	\$12,000,000	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	\$12,000,000	\$125,626	\$129,770
Transfers				
General Fund	\$0	(\$12,000,000)	\$0	\$0
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	\$12,000,000	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill includes Other Special Revenue Funds allocations totaling \$12,000,000 in fiscal year 2024-25 to the Maine Apprenticeship Program within the Department of Labor to support registered preapprenticeship training programs. Of this amount, \$11,887,635 is allocated on a one-time basis for grants to support the training programs and \$112,365 is allocated on an ongoing basis for one Program Manager Employment & Training position and related All Other costs to administer the grant program. A one-time transfer of \$12,000,000 from the unappropriated surplus of the General Fund to the Maine Apprenticeship Program is provided in fiscal year 2024-25 to fund the program.