

**132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE****LD 112****LR 487(01)****An Act to Promote Opportunities by Establishing a Student Wage****Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill****Sponsor: Rep. McIntyre of Lowell****Committee: Labor****Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

| | FY 2025-26 | FY 2026-27 | Projections FY 2027-28 | Projections FY 2028-29 |
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| Net Cost (Savings) | | | | |
| General Fund | \$81,401 | \$111,967 | \$116,018 | \$120,228 |
| Appropriations/Allocations | | | | |
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Fiscal Detail and Notes

The Department of Labor has indicated that it will require ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$81,401 in fiscal year 2025-26 and \$111,967 in fiscal year 2026-27 for one Labor and Safety Inspector position and related All Other costs necessary to ensure compliance with the sub-minimum wage requirement for secondary school students. This preliminary fiscal impact statement assumes an effective date of October 1, 2025.