



132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 281

LR 679(01)

An Act to Provide Support for Certain Maine Discovery Museum Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Educational Programming Throughout the State

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Sen. Baldacci of Penobscot

Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	Projections FY 2027-28	Projections FY 2028-29
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$225,000	\$225,000	\$225,000	\$225,000
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$225,000	\$225,000	\$225,000	\$225,000

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill includes ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$225,000 per year beginning in fiscal year 2025-26 to the School Finance and Operations program within the Department of Education for funding to the Maine Discovery Museum to support the Maine Science Festival, the Maine Invention Convention and the Science Around ME program.