

**132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE****LD 1219****LR 1731(03)****An Act to Increase State Funding for the Campuses of the University of Maine System and to Raise the Minimum Hourly Wage for Employees of the System****Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "****Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs****Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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**Fiscal Note**

	<b>FY 2025-26</b>	<b>FY 2026-27</b>	<b>Projections FY 2027-28</b>	<b>Projections FY 2028-29</b>
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$14,371,274	\$29,604,824	\$29,604,824	\$29,604,824
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
General Fund	\$14,371,274	\$29,604,824	\$29,604,824	\$29,604,824

**Fiscal Detail and Notes**

This bill includes ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$14,371,274 in fiscal year 2025-26 and \$29,604,824 in fiscal year 2026-27 to the University of Maine System to support a 6% increase in funding in fiscal year 2025-26 and an additional 6% increase in fiscal year 2026-27 to support the continuation of current University of Maine System operations.