

**132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE****LD 1395****LR 1620(01)****An Act Regarding Human Trafficking Prevention Instruction and Dissemination of and Access to
Obscene Material in Schools****Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill****Sponsor: Rep. Paul of Winterport****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	\$750,000	\$750,000	\$750,000	\$750,000
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$750,000	\$750,000	\$750,000	\$750,000

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The University of Maine System (UMS) will require ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$750,000 per year beginning in fiscal year 2025-26 for Networkmaine, which is a unit of UMS that provides PreK-12 schools and public libraries in the state with Internet connectivity through the Maine School and Library Network, to obtain a subscription to a filtering technology to prevent the State's prekindergarten to grade 12 student and public library users from sending, receiving, viewing or downloading materials that are child pornography or obscene matter or that depict sexual exploitation of a minor.