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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
130TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 130, L.D. 177, “An Act To Improve Labor Laws for Workers in Maine”

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act To Support Apprenticeship Programs'

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

LABOR, DEPARTMENT OF

Employment Services Activity 0852

Initiative: Provides ongoing funds to increase support for apprenticeship training reimbursement for registered apprenticeships within the Maine Apprenticeship Program as described in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 26, section 3211, subsection 6, paragraph A.

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$0	\$200,000
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$200,000

Employment Services Activity 0852

Initiative: Provides ongoing funds for educational programs that include both industry-based and job-related classroom instruction that is designed to prepare individuals to enter into and succeed in a registered apprenticeship program.

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$0	\$200,000
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$200,000

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

1	LABOR, DEPARTMENT OF		
2	DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2021-22	2022-23
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4	GENERAL FUND	\$0	\$400,000
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6	DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$0	\$400,000
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8 Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section
9 number to read consecutively.

10 **SUMMARY**

11 This amendment replaces the bill, which is a concept draft, and provides \$200,000 in
12 ongoing funds to increase support for apprenticeship training reimbursement for registered
13 apprenticeships within the Maine Apprenticeship Program as described in the Maine
14 Revised Statutes, Title 26, section 3211, subsection 6, paragraph A. The amendment also
15 provides \$200,000 in ongoing funds for educational programs that include both industry-
16 based and job-related classroom instruction that is designed to prepare individuals to enter
17 into and succeed in a registered apprenticeship program.

18 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

19 **(See attached)**