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My name is Sandra Katz and I live in Saco Maine. I am writing in support of LD 1175: An Act To Prohibit Excessive Telephone, Video, and Commissary Charges in Maine Jails and Prisons.

The Department of Corrections should not be profiting off people who are incarcerated or their families. Maine people pay taxes which cover these expenses and charging them amounts to double billing.

Strong outside supports promotes successful reentry, recovery, and reduce recidivism, thus reducing corrections costs.

Overall this practice of raising prices and gouging prisoners and their families is just wrong.  
Thank you!