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Committee On Education and Cultural Affairs

LD 512 - An Act to Promote Student Enrollment and Degree Completion in the University of Maine System by Providing Tuition Waivers to Eligible Students

I am writing in support of LD 512 - An Act to Promote Student Enrollment and Degree Completion in the University of Maine System by Providing Tuition Waivers to Eligible Students.

This bill will help Maine students who were faced with challenges to their education by the pandemic. The tuition waivers for enrolled or returning students will provide assistance for Maine students to attend the University of Maine System, similar to those students benefiting from free community college.

Education is important to the success of the individual and this bill will provide another pathway to that success.

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