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**STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
129TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

SENATE AMENDMENT “ ” to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “A” to S.P. 588, L.D. 1758, Bill, “An Act To Clarify and Amend MaineCare Reimbursement Provisions for Nursing and Residential Care Facilities”

Amend the amendment by striking out all of section 5 and inserting the following:

**Sec. 5. Rulemaking.** The Department of Health and Human Services shall amend its rule in 10-144 C.M.R. Chapter 101: MaineCare Benefits Manual, Chapter III, Section 67, Principles of Reimbursement for Nursing Facilities and Section 97, Appendix C, Principles of Reimbursement for Medical and Remedial Service Facilities to determine, of the funds provided in section 6, the proportional amount to be distributed to each provider based on sections 1 to 4 of this Act.

**Sec. 6. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF  
Medical Care - Payments to Providers 0147**

Initiative: Provides one-time appropriations and allocations for residential care facility wage allowances.

<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
All Other	\$142,896	\$187,720
<b>GENERAL FUND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$142,896</b>	<b>\$187,720</b>

<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
All Other	\$251,844	\$330,844
<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$251,844</b>	<b>\$330,844</b>

**Medical Care - Payments to Providers 0147**

**SENATE AMENDMENT**

1 Initiative: Provides one-time appropriations and allocations for residential care facility  
 2 supplemental wage allowance.

3	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
4	All Other	\$1,361,537	\$1,361,537
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6	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$1,361,537</u>	<u>\$1,361,537</u>

7	<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
8	All Other	\$2,399,616	\$2,399,616
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10	FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	<u>\$2,399,616</u>	<u>\$2,399,616</u>

11 **Nursing Facilities 0148**

12 Initiative: Provides one-time appropriations and allocations for nursing facility wage  
 13 allowances.

14	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
15	All Other	\$377,104	\$332,280
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17	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$377,104</u>	<u>\$332,280</u>

18	<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
19	All Other	\$664,620	\$585,621
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21	FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	<u>\$664,620</u>	<u>\$585,621</u>

22 **Nursing Facilities 0148**

23 Initiative: Provides one-time appropriations and allocations for nursing facility  
 24 supplemental wage allowance.

25	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
26	All Other	\$3,637,102	\$3,637,102
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28	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$3,637,102</u>	<u>\$3,637,102</u>

1	<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
2	All Other	\$6,410,140	\$6,410,140
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4	FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	<u>\$6,410,140</u>	<u>\$6,410,140</u>

5 **Nursing Facilities 0148**

6 Initiative: Provides one-time deappropriations and deallocations for funding carried  
7 forward in the baseline for the nursing facility supplemental wage allowance.

8	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
9	All Other	(\$5,400,000)	(\$5,400,000)
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11	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>(\$5,400,000)</u>	<u>(\$5,400,000)</u>

12	<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
13	All Other	(\$9,517,127)	(\$9,517,127)
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15	FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	<u>(\$9,517,127)</u>	<u>(\$9,517,127)</u>

16 **PNMI Room and Board Z009**

17 Initiative: Provides one-time appropriations and allocations for residential care facility  
18 supplemental wage allowance.

19	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
20	All Other	\$401,361	\$401,361
21			
22	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$401,361</u>	<u>\$401,361</u>

23	<b>HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES,</b>		
24	<b>DEPARTMENT OF</b>		
25	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>
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27	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>\$520,000</b>	<b>\$520,000</b>
28	<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>\$209,093</b>	<b>\$209,094</b>
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30	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<u><b>\$729,093</b></u>	<u><b>\$729,094</b></u>
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32 **SUMMARY**

33 This amendment directs the Department of Health and Human Services to amend its  
34 rules to determine, of the funds provided in section 6, the proportional amount to be

1 distributed to each provider based on the supplemental allowances and additional special  
2 wage allowances established in the bill as amended by Committee Amendment "A". This  
3 amendment also replaces the appropriations and allocations section.

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**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

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**(See attached)**

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(Senator BREEN)

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