



128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 763

LR 2007(01)

**An Act To Support Individuals with Disabilities by Exempting Certain Wages from Consideration for
MaineCare**

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. Nadeau of Winslow

Committee: Health and Human Services

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

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Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Current biennium cost increase - Federal Expenditures Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill exempts income received by a person with a disability from certain work programs available to individuals with disabilities from being considered in determining the person's eligibility for MaineCare. This would increase the number of individuals receiving MaineCare. As the Department of Health and Human Services cannot identify those individuals who receive income through these work programs, no fiscal estimate is made at this time.