



130th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Improve the Lives of Maine Workers by Supporting Apprenticeships That Lead to Good-paying Jobs

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Sen. Rafferty of York

Committee: Labor and Housing

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

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Redistributes funding for Maine Apprenticeship Program

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Requiring the Maine Apprenticeship Program within the Department of Labor to apply at least 75% of the program funding toward apprenticeship programs that pay at least 1.5 times the rate of the minimum wage upon completion of the apprenticeship agreement will limit the amount of funding available for other apprenticeship programs that do not meet this criteria to 25% of the total program funding available.