



# 132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

**LD 697****LR 293(06)**

## **An Act to Direct the Maine Prescription Drug Affordability Board to Assess Strategies to Reduce Prescription Drug Costs and to Take Steps to Implement Reference-based Pricing**

**Fiscal Note for Bill as Engrossed with:****C "A" (S-159)****S "A" (S-459) to C "A" (S-159)****Committee: Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services**

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### **Fiscal Note**

	<b>FY 2025-26</b>	<b>FY 2026-27</b>	<b>Projections FY 2027-28</b>	<b>Projections FY 2028-29</b>
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$107,817	\$149,118	\$156,563	\$162,450
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
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#### **Fiscal Detail and Notes**

This bill includes ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$107,817 in fiscal year 2025-26 and \$149,118 in fiscal year 2026-27 to the Office of Affordable Health Care to fund one Public Service Manager III position and related All Other costs to support the Prescription Drug Affordability Board with strategic direction, administrative work, and subscriptions.