



129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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LR 1613(01)

An Act To Provide Funding for Maine Public

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. Jorgensen of Portland

Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement

	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	Projections FY 2021-22	Projections FY 2022-23
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$2,000,000	\$2,500,000	\$2,500,000	\$2,500,000
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$2,000,000	\$2,500,000	\$2,500,000	\$2,500,000

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill includes ongoing General Fund appropriations totaling \$2,000,000 per year beginning in fiscal year 2019-20 to Maine Public, formerly know as Maine Public Broadcasting Corporation. Of that amount, \$1,500,000 is provided to maintain the annual funding levels to Maine Public and \$500,000 per year is provided to increase the State's contribution to funding the cost of the emergency alert system.