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L.D. 249

Date: 5/16/25

(Filing No. S-98)

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STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
132ND LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 116, L.D. 249, "An Act to Update Certain Medical Examiner Fees"

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 2 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 2. 22 MRSA §3024, 3rd ¶, as amended by PL 2013, c. 113, §3, is further amended to read:

The Chief Medical Examiner may, in an unusual circumstance as determined by the Chief Medical Examiner, prescribe a special fee for the service of a medical examiner or medicolegal death investigator or for any consultant service the Chief Medical Examiner determines necessary. A special fee prescribed by the Chief Medical Examiner under this paragraph may not include a fee for a standard blood, urine or vitreous collection.

Sec. 3. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

ATTORNEY GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF THE  
Chief Medical Examiner - Office of 0412

Initiative: Provides funding to cover an increase in the medical examiner and medicolegal death investigator examination fees from \$100 to \$150.

GENERAL FUND	2025-26	2026-27
All Other	\$76,000	\$76,000
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$76,000</u>	<u>\$76,000</u>

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 116, L.D. 249 (S-98)

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**SUMMARY**

This amendment, which is the majority report of the committee, makes a technical change to the language of the bill and adds an appropriations and allocations section.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

(See attached)

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



# 132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 249

LR 145(02)

## An Act to Update Certain Medical Examiner Fees

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-98)  
Committee: Judiciary  
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

### Fiscal Note

	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	Projections FY 2027-28	Projections FY 2028-29
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$76,000	\$76,000	\$76,000	\$76,000
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
General Fund	\$76,000	\$76,000	\$76,000	\$76,000

#### Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill includes General Fund appropriations of \$76,000 beginning in fiscal year 2025-26 to the Department of the Attorney General to cover an increase in the medical examiner examination fees from \$100 to \$150.