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STATE OF MAINE

SENATE

132ND LEGISLATURE

FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 131, L.D. 281, "An Act to Provide Support for Certain Maine Discovery Museum Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Educational Programming Throughout the State"

Amend the bill by incorporating the attached fiscal note.

SUMMARY

This amendment, which is the majority report of the committee, incorporates a fiscal note.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

**132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE****LD 281****LR 679(02)**

**An Act to Provide Support for Certain Maine Discovery Museum Science, Technology, Engineering
and Mathematics Educational Programming Throughout the State**

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-71)

Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	Projections FY 2027-28	Projections FY 2028-29
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$225,000	\$225,000	\$225,000	\$225,000
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$225,000	\$225,000	\$225,000	\$225,000

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill includes ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$225,000 per year beginning in fiscal year 2025-26 to the School Finance and Operations program within the Department of Education for funding to the Maine Discovery Museum to support the Maine Science Festival, the Maine Invention Convention and the Science Around ME program.