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	Subsidy Reimbursements for Certain Child Care Providers"					
Amend the bill by striking out all of section 1 and inserting the following:						
'Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §3737, sub-§6 is enacted to read:						
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care services provided under this chapter for subsidy payments under the Maine Child Care						
Affordability Program in section 3731-A administered by the department pursuant to rules						
adopted by the department. Reimbursement under the program to a child care provider must be based on enrollment rather than attendance and may not be reduced or eliminated based						
on a child's attendance. The department shall adopt rules to implement this subsection.						
Rules adopted pursuant to this subsection are routine technical rules as defined in Title 5,						
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# **COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

## COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 240, L.D. 561 (S-225)

### SUMMARY

This amendment removes all the provisions of the bill regarding reimbursement based on generally accepted payment practices. The amendment retains the provisions of the bill that relate to payments based on enrollment rather than attendance. The amendment also adds an appropriations and allocations section.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

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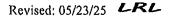
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### **132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE**

### LD 561

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### An Act to Ensure Subsidy Reimbursements for Certain Child Care Providers

### Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "4"(5.275) Committee: Health and Human Services Fiscal Note Required: Yes

	Fiscal Note			
Nat Coat (Savinga)	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	Projections FY 2027-28	Projections FY 2028-29
Net Cost (Savings) General Fund	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$75,000
Appropriations/Allocations General Fund	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$75,000

#### Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill includes General Fund appropriations of \$75,000 in fiscal year 2025-26 and \$75,000 in fiscal year 2026-27 to the Department of Health and Human Service to reimburse child care providers for subsidy payments based on enrollment rather than attendance under the Maine Child Care Affordability Program for children whose subsidy payments are not covered by Federal grant funding.