

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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## HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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### STATE OF MAINE

### SENATE

### 132ND LEGISLATURE

### FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 241, L.D. 562, "An Act to Update Reimbursement Rates for Transportation of Deceased Persons by Funeral Homes When the Transport is at the Request of the Chief Medical Examiner"

Amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

**Sec. 2. 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 increase the transportation reimbursement rate and to establish a reimbursement rate for employees of funeral establishments requested to transport a body for the Office of Chief Medical Examiner who are required to wait.

GENERAL FUND	2025-26	2026-27
All Other	\$49,026	\$49,026
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$49,026	\$49,026

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

### SUMMARY

This amendment adds an appropriations and allocations section.

### FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

# COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

**132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE****LD 562****LR 2232(02)**

**An Act to Update Reimbursement Rates for Transportation of Deceased Persons by Funeral Homes  
When the Transport is at the Request of the Chief Medical Examiner**

**Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"(S-103)**

**Committee: Health and Human Services**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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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	\$49,026	\$49,026	\$49,026	\$49,026
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
General Fund	\$49,026	\$49,026	\$49,026	\$49,026

**Fiscal Detail and Notes**

The bill includes General Fund appropriations of \$49,026 beginning in fiscal year 2025-26 to the Department of the Attorney General to increase the transportation reimbursement rate and to establish a reimbursement rate for employees required to wait for funeral establishments requested to transport a body for the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner.