

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Date:

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Majority

L.D. 703

(Filing No. H- 64)

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## LABOR

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## 132ND LEGISLATURE

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## FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 442, L.D. 703, "An Act to Establish a Health Care Gap Year Program for Recent College Graduates"

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Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

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**'Sec. 1. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and allocations are made.

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### LABOR, DEPARTMENT OF

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### Employment Services Activity 0852

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Initiative: Provides one-time funds in fiscal year 2025-26 and fiscal year 2026-27 only for a health care gap year program that incentivizes recent college graduates to work in critical health care positions, particularly in underserved and rural communities.

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### GENERAL FUND

2025-26

2026-27

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All Other

\$250,000

\$250,000

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GENERAL FUND TOTAL

\$250,000

\$250,000

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

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## SUMMARY

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This amendment replaces the appropriations and allocations section and provides \$250,000 in one-time funds for fiscal year 2025-26 and fiscal year 2026-27 only for a health care gap year program that incentivizes recent college graduates to work in critical health care positions, particularly in underserved and rural communities.

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## FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

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(See attached)

# COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



Approved: 03/20/25 **LRL**

# 132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 703

LR 2268(02)

An Act to Establish a Health Care Gap Year Program for Recent College Graduates

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (17-64)

Committee: Labor

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

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## Fiscal Note

	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	Projections FY 2027-28	Projections FY 2028-29
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$250,000	\$250,000	\$0	\$0
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
General Fund	\$250,000	\$250,000	\$0	\$0

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill includes one-time General Fund appropriations of \$250,000 per year in fiscal year 2025-26 and fiscal year 2026-27 only to the Department of Labor to support a health care gap year program that incentivizes recent college graduates to work in critical health care positions, particularly in underserved and rural communities.