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NO. 2426

H.P. 1773 House of Representatives, March 3, 1988
Approved for introduction by a majority of the
Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 27.
Reference to the Committee on Education suggested and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative DIAMOND of Bangor.
Cosponsored by Senator PERKINS of Hancock,
Representatives LISNIK of Presque Isle and FOSTER of Ellsworth.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHT

AN ACT to Create the Maine Student Artist

Awards Program.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 27 MRSA §408 is enacted to read:

§408. Maine Student Artist Awards Program

1	The Maine Arts Commission shall establish the
2	Maine Student Artist Awards Program, which shall
3	recognize and honor outstanding achievement in the arts by the State's students. The awards shall be
4	arts by the State's students. The awards shall be
5	made during Maine Cultural Heritage Week, as
6	established in Title 1, section 118.
7.	 Eligibility. Any student in good standing at
8	a public or private secondary school within the State
9	shall be eligible to win an award.
10	Categories. Awards shall be presented in each
11	of the following categories:
12	A. Literary art, including:
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13	<pre>(1) Poetry and writing;</pre>
14	B. Performing arts, including:
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15	<pre>(1) Dance, including:</pre>
16	(a) Ballet, jazz and modern dance;
17	(2) Music, including:
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18	(a) Classical, contemporary, jazz and
19	folk music; and
20	(2) Mhaatay ayta isalulisa
20	(3) Theater arts, including:
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2 <u>1</u> 2 2	(a) Acting, design, directing, mime and
44	puppetry;
23	C Mraditional arts including.
23	C. Traditional arts, including:
24	(1) Crafts, humor and music; and
24	(I) Claits, number and music; and
25	D. Visual art, including:
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26	(1) Crafts, drawing, media, painting,
20 27	photography, printmaking and sculpture.
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28	3. Procedure. Any school with eligible students
29	may nominate a student for an award in one or more of

	1	the given categories. The school shall be responded	onsible
· Same	2	for submitting the completed application, according	npanied
	3	by a tape or slide of the artistic work.	
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~	6	Maine Arts Commission. Each panel shall sele	
)	7	student to receive the award. If the panel of	
_/	8		award
	9	shall be given.	
	10	4. Staffing assistance. The Maine	Arts
	11	Commission shall be responsible for implementi	ng all
	12	of the policies and procedures for each awar	rd, in
	13		nd the
	14	Commissioner of Educational and Cultural Services.	<u>.</u>
	15	Sec. 2. Appropriation. The following fun	ds are
	16	appropriated from the General Fund to carry or	ut the
	17	purposes of this Act.	
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	19	MAINE ARTS COMMISSION	
	20	Maine Student Artist Awards Program \$2	2,500
Y	21	These funds shall be	
	22	used to establish the	
	23	Maine Student Artist	
	24	Awards Program.	
	25	STATEMENT OF FACT	
	26	This hill exector the Maine Ctudent Artist	N
	27	This bill creates the Maine Student Artist Program, to be administered by the Maine	
	28	Commission to afford the Governor and the Commis	
	29	of Educational and Cultural Services the oppor	tunity
	30	to recognize and honor outstanding achievement	in the
	31	arts by Maine students annually during Maine Cu	ltural
	32	Heritage Week.	