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Res.

L.D. 1387

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EDUCATION AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS

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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
122ND LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 964, L.D. 1387, "Resolve, To Develop a Statewide Entrepreneurship Curriculum from Kindergarten through College"

Amend the resolve by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'Resolve, To Promote Training Centers for Entrepreneurship'

Further amend the resolve by striking out all of sections 1 to 3 and inserting in their place the following:

'Sec. 1. University of Maine System and Maine Community College System to review entrepreneurship curriculum and promote campuses as entrepreneur training centers. Resolved: That the University of Maine System and the Maine Community College System shall each undertake a review of their current offerings and programs with a goal of presenting their offerings in a way that highlights the University of Maine System and the Maine Community College System as training centers for entrepreneurship for nascent entrepreneurs and existing business owners and operators; and be it further

Sec. 2. Coordination of entrepreneurship education. Resolved: That the Chancellor of the University of Maine System and the President of the Maine Community College System shall meet regularly to coordinate entrepreneurship education within postsecondary schools and report on the state of entrepreneurship education in postsecondary schools in the State to the Joint Standing Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs no later than February 1, 2006; and be it further'

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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2 Further amend the resolve in that part designated "4." in
the first line (page 2, line 1 in L.D.) by striking out the
following: "4. Maine" and inserting in its place the
4 following: 'Sec. 4. Maine'

6 Further amend the resolve in that part designated "4." in
the 5th line (page 2, line 5 in L.D.) by striking out the
8 following: "include" and inserting in its place the following:
'consist of' and in the last line (page 2, line 11 in L.D.) by
10 striking out the following: "."

12 Further amend the resolve by relettering or renumbering any
nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read
14 consecutively.

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SUMMARY

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20 This amendment changes the title of the resolve and removes
the directives for curriculum development. It requires that the
22 Chancellor of the University of Maine System and the President of
the Maine Community College System review course offerings
relating to entrepreneurship and promote their campuses as
24 entrepreneur training centers. It removes all directives to the
Commissioner of Education regarding entrepreneurship at the
26 elementary and secondary levels.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



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LD 1387

LR 0106(02)

Resolve, To Develop a Statewide Entrepreneurship Curriculum from Kindergarten through College

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"

Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	2005-06	2006-07	Projections 2007-08	Projections 2008-09
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$185,000	\$185,000	\$185,000	\$185,000
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$185,000	\$185,000	\$185,000	\$185,000

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill includes ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$185,000 per year, beginning in fiscal year 2005-06, for the Maine Community College System to provide an entrepreneurship training program at all of its campuses throughout the State.

Additional costs to the University of Maine System and the Maine Community College System to conduct the required review of their existing course offerings related to entrepreneurship, to promote their campuses as entrepreneur training centers and to coordinate entrepreneurship education within postsecondary schools can be absorbed within each system's existing budgeted resources.