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Minority

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
124TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 483, L.D. 700, Bill, "An Act To Restore Funding for Bed-hold Days at Private Nonmedical Institutions"

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 2 and inserting the following:

Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF (FORMERLY DHS)

Private Non-medical Institutions (PNMI) - State Only N069

Initiative: Appropriates funds to restore reimbursement to private nonmedical institutions for bed-hold days up to 45 days annually per resident determined to qualify for medical or therapeutic absences and up to 7 days annually for personal or family-related absences.

Table with 3 columns: GENERAL FUND, 2009-10, 2010-11. Rows include All Other and GENERAL FUND TOTAL.

SUMMARY

This amendment is the minority report and it replaces the appropriations and allocations section.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



124th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 700

LR 1509(02)

An Act To Restore Funding for Bed-hold Days at Private Nonmedical Institutions

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

Committee: Health and Human Services

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	2009-10	2010-11	Projections 2011-12	Projections 2012-13
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$3,364,150	\$3,364,150	\$3,364,150	\$3,364,150
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$3,364,150	\$3,364,150	\$3,364,150	\$3,364,150

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Provides an appropriation of \$3,364,150 in FY 2009-10 and in FY 2010-11 to the Department of Health and Human Services for the costs of restoring reimbursement to private non-medical institutions (PNMIs) for bed-hold days up to 45 days annually per resident determined to qualify for medical or therapeutic absences and up to 7 days annually for personal or family-related absences. The estimated cost is based on recent experience in reimbursing for bed-hold days, assumes no MaineCare funds would be allowable to reimburse these costs and would offset savings assumed in PL 2007, c 539 and subsequent Department regulations to limit and then eliminate bed-hold day reimbursement.