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I	L.D. 346				
2	Date: 6 - 27-11 (Filing No. S-345)				
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4	STATE OF MAINE				
5	SENATE				
6	125TH LEGISLATURE				
7	FIRST REGULAR SESSION				
8 9 0	SENATE AMENDMENT " A " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 272, L.D. 346, Bill, "An Act To Reimburse Pharmacies under the MaineCare Program Based on Wholesale Acquisition Costs"				
1	Amend the amendment by striking out all of section 4.				
2 3	Amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.				
4	SUMMARY				
5	This amendment strikes the appropriations and allocations section.				
6	SPONSORED BY: Rufard Rock Off				
7	(Senator ROSEN, R.)				
8	COUNTY: Hancock FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED (See attached)				



125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 346

LR 978(07)

An Act To Reimburse Pharmacies under the MaineCare Program Based on Wholesale Acquisition Costs

Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment "A" to Committee Amendment "A" \$.345

Sponsor: Sen. Rosen of Hancock

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Net Cost (Savings)	FY 2011-12	FY 2012-13	Projections FY 2013-14	Projections FY 2014-15
General Fund	(\$27,500)	\$0	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	(\$27,500)	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Expenditures Fund	(\$27,500)	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The amendment removes the appropriation-allocation section and assumes the Department of Health and Human Services can absorb the one-time cost of implementing the MaineCare mandatory drug co-payment system changes within the Maine Integrated Health Management Solution (MIHMS) system change management process. Also assumes the potential for a decrease in MaineCare prescription drug utilization and spending as a result of implementation of a mandatory prescription drug co-payment system remains.