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**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

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**STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
126TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 652, L.D. 928, Bill, "An Act To Improve MaineCare Nursing Home Reimbursement To Preserve Access and Promote Quality"

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

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

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF (FORMERLY DHS)**

**Nursing Facilities 0148**

Initiative: Appropriates and allocates funds for a 2% increase in MaineCare reimbursement rates for nursing facility services.

<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>2014-15</b>
All Other	\$1,226,770	\$1,635,693
<b>GENERAL FUND TOTAL</b>	<u>\$1,226,770</u>	<u>\$1,635,693</u>

<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>2014-15</b>
All Other	\$1,963,789	\$2,618,386
<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL</b>	<u>\$1,963,789</u>	<u>\$2,618,386</u>

**SUMMARY**

This amendment is the majority report of the committee. This amendment deletes all of the provisions of the bill and inserts an appropriation and an allocation sufficient to

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

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1 grant to nursing facilities a 2% rate increase in MaineCare reimbursement rates for  
2 nursing facilities.

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**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

**(See attached)**



# 126th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 928

LR 1105(02)

## An Act To Improve MaineCare Nursing Home Reimbursement To Preserve Access and Promote Quality

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment

*A" (H-365)*

Committee: Health and Human Services

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

### Fiscal Note

	FY 2013-14	FY 2014-15	Projections FY 2015-16	Projections FY 2016-17
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>				
General Fund	\$1,226,770	\$1,635,693	\$1,635,693	\$1,635,693
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
General Fund	\$1,226,770	\$1,635,693	\$1,635,693	\$1,635,693
Federal Expenditures Fund	\$1,963,789	\$2,618,386	\$2,618,386	\$2,618,386

#### Fiscal Detail and Notes

Provides appropriations of \$1,226,770 in 2013-14 and \$1,635,693 in 2014-15 for the State's share of the costs of a two percent increase in MaineCare reimbursement rates for nursing facility services. This is assumed to be a one-time but permanent increase in MaineCare nursing facility rates, effective October 1, 2013.