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L.D. 1066

Date: 6-10-13

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

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 759,  
L.D. 1066, Bill, "An Act To Increase Access to Health Coverage and Qualify Maine for  
Federal Funding"

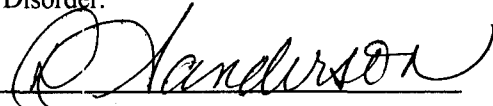
Amend the amendment by inserting after Part D the following:

**'PART E**

**Sec. E-1. Department of Health and Human Services to provide  
MaineCare services by July 1, 2013.** By July 1, 2013, the Department of Health and  
Human Services shall provide services to all adults on waiting lists for services under the  
MaineCare program Chapter 101, MaineCare Benefits Manual, Chapter II under the  
following waivers: Section 19, Home and Community-Based Benefits for the Elderly  
and for Adults with Disabilities; Section 21, Home and Community Benefits for  
Members with Intellectual Disabilities or Autistic Disorder; Section 22, Home and  
Community Benefits for the Physically Disabled; and Section 29, Support Benefits for  
Adults with Intellectual Disabilities or Autistic Disorder.'

**SUMMARY**

This Part directs the Department of Health and Human Services to provide services  
by July 1, 2013 to all adults on waiting lists for services under the MaineCare program  
Chapter 101, MaineCare Benefits Manual, Chapter II under the following waivers:  
Section 19, Home and Community-Based Benefits for the Elderly and for Adults with  
Disabilities; Section 21, Home and Community Benefits for Members with Intellectual  
Disabilities or Autistic Disorder; Section 22, Home and Community Benefits for the  
Physically Disabled; and Section 29, Support Benefits for Adults with Intellectual  
Disabilities or Autistic Disorder.

**SPONSORED BY:**   
**(Representative SANDERSON)**

**TOWN: Chelsea**

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED  
(See attached)**

**HOUSE AMENDMENT**



# 126th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1066

LR 1098(11)

**An Act To Increase Access to Health Coverage and Qualify Maine for Federal Funding**

**Fiscal Note for House Amendment *A* to Committee Amendment "A"**

**Sponsor: Rep. Sanderson of Chelsea**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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## Fiscal Note

Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

Requiring the Department of Health and Human Services provide waiver services to all individuals on waitlists for the specified MaineCare waiver programs would have a significant General Fund cost, with preliminary Department of Health and Human Services estimates indicating annual State costs of more than \$30 million per year. The exact number of individuals affected, the timing and availability of services and the cost of the services to be provided cannot be determined at this time.