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1	L.D. 137				
2	Date: 5/29/15 (Filing No. S-15)				
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5	STATE OF MAINE				
6	SENATE				
7	127TH LEGISLATURE				
8	FIRST REGULAR SESSION				
9 10	COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 504, L.D. 1374, Bill, "An Act T Expand the Educational Opportunity Tax Credit"				
11 12 13	Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph G in subparagraph (5) in division (c) in the first 2 lines (page 2, lines 1 and 2 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "if a graduate of the Maine Maritime Academy,"				
14	SUMMARY				
15 16	This amendment removes the requirement that the taxpayer be a graduate of th Maine Maritime Academy.				

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

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127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1374

LR 1965(02)

An Act To Expand the Educational Opportunity Tax Credit

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"(S-151)

Committee: Taxation

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Not Coat (Savings)	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	Projections FY 2017-18	Projections FY 2018-19	
Net Cost (Savings) General Fund	\$65,360	\$98,040	\$124,165	\$150,290	
Revenue					
General Fund	(\$65,360)	(\$98,040)	(\$124,165)	(\$150,290)	
Other Special Revenue Funds	(\$3,440)	(\$5,160)	(\$6,535)	(\$7,910)	

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill expands the educational opportunity tax credit to Maine residents working on a vessel at sea and would result in a reduction in General Fund revenue of \$65,360 in fiscal year 2015-16 and \$98,040 in fiscal year 2016-17 and a reduction in Local Government Fund revenue of \$3,440 in fiscal year 2015-16 and \$5,160 in fiscal year 2016-17.