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Amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

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

EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF

General Purpose Aid for Local Schools 0308

Initiative: Deappropriates funds to recognize the savings to local schools as a result of an increase in the number of eligible children who are currently receiving free, appropriate public education services through the Child Development Services System and whose parents choose to delay the entry of the children into kindergarten until the start of the following school year due to the extension of the window of eligibility by 2 months.

GENERAL FUND	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$0	(\$53,590)
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$0	(\$53,590)

Preschool Handicapped 0449

Initiative: Provides funds for the provision of services to an increased number of eligible children who are currently receiving free, appropriate public education services through the Child Development Services System and whose parents choose to delay the entry of the children into kindergarten until the start of the following school year due to the extension of the window of eligibility by 2 months.

GENERAL FUND All Other	2007-08 \$0	2008-09 \$29,756
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$29,756
EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2007-08	2008-09
GENERAL FUND	\$0	(\$23,834)
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$0	(\$23,834)

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF (FORMERLY DHS)

Medical Care - Payments to Providers 0147

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Initiative: Provides funds for the provision of services to an increased number of MaineCare-eligible children who are currently receiving free, appropriate public education services through the Child Development Services System and whose parents choose to delay the entry of the children into kindergarten until the start of the following school year due to the extension of the window of eligibility by 2 months.

GENERAL FUND All Other	2007-08 \$0	2008-09 \$7,644
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$7,644
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND All Other	2007-08 \$0	2008-09 \$22,112
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$22,112
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF (FORMERLY DHS) DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2007-08	2008-09
GENERAL FUND FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	\$0 \$0	\$7,644 \$22,112
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$0	\$29,756
SECTION TOTALS	2007-08	2008-09
GENERAL FUND FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	\$0 \$0	(\$16,190) \$22,112
SECTION TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$0	\$5,922

SUMMARY

This amendment adds an appropriations and allocations section to the bill.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED (See attached)