

125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Strengthen the State's Ability To Investigate and Prosecute Misuse of Public Benefits

Fiscal Note for Bill as Engrossed with: C "A" (S-542) S "A" (S-608) to C "A" (S-542) Committee: Health and Human Services

Fiscal Note

| | FY 2011-12 | FY 2012-13 | Projections FY 2013-14 | Projections FY 2014-15 |
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| Net Cost (Savings) General Fund | \$0 | \$166,328 | \$342,045 | \$351,717 |
| Appropriations/Allocations General Fund | \$0 | \$166,328 | \$342,045 | \$351,717 |
| Other Special Revenue Funds | \$0 | \$170,925 | \$351,239 | \$360,911 |

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill provides a General Fund appropriation of \$166,328 and an Other Special Revenue Funds allocation of \$170,925 in fiscal year 2012-13 for 8 Fraud Investigator positions and 2 Office Associate positions starting January 1, 2013 and related costs for the Office for Family Independence in the Department of Health and Human Services to strengthen the department's ability to investigate and prosecute the misuse of public benefits.