

129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Direct Electric Utilities To Provide Comparative Usage Data on Customer Billing Statements

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "
Committee: Energy Utilities and Technology
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Any additional costs incurred by the Public Utilities Commission to adopt rules requiring additional reporting requirements by investor-owned transmission and distribution utilities on residential, small commercial and medium commercial customer billing notices are anticipated to be minor and can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.

Investor-owned transmission and distribution utilities may incur additional costs to update billing systems to implement the additional informational requirements on customer billing notices. These costs may be passed on to electric utility customers through scheduled rate cases. The amount of these costs cannot be determined at this time.