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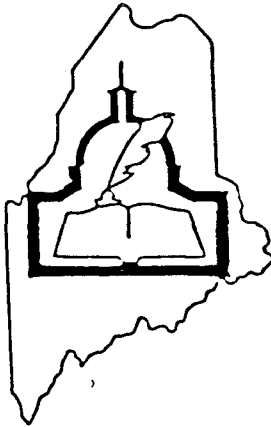
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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON
UTILITIES
BILL SUMMARY



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BILL SUMMARIES
JULY 1985

This document is a compilation of the bill summaries prepared by this office for the Joint Standing Committees of the Maine Legislature, covering the First Regular Session of the 112th Legislature. The summaries are arranged by LD number and indexed separately by committee.

LD: 1101 AN ACT TO LIMIT INVESTMENTS BY ELECTRIC
COMPANIES IN CERTAIN GENERATING FACILITIES
ND: WITHOUT STOCKHOLDER APPROVAL

BROWN A
CONNOLLY
REEVES

LV-WD HOUSE Accepted Committee Report
SENATE Accepted Committee Report -
GOV

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SUMMARY: The bill requires stockholder approval for the investment of more than \$10 million by any electric utility in a new generating facility or the fuel conversion or expansion of an existing facility.

LD: 1167 AN ACT TO STUDY THE EFFECT OF LOCAL MEASURED
EMERGENCY SERVICE
ND:

VOSE

LV-WD HOUSE Accepted Committee Report
SENATE Accepted Committee Report
GOV

CH #

SUMMARY: The bill orders study of the impact of mandatory local measured service on the various groups of residential and business customers. The study would be conducted by the Joint Standing Committee on Utilities. Survey research would be contracted by the Public Advocate with a budget of \$25,000 from the PUC Regulatory Fund. Local measured service is delayed until July 1, 1986.
This is one of nine bills withdrawn in favor of committee and PUC study. (See LD1011).

LD: 1179 AN ACT RELATING TO THE PROTECTION OF
UNDERGROUND FACILITIES UNDER THE PUBLIC
ND: 151 UTILITY LAW

VOSE
RICHARD
PARADIS E
PERKINS

HOUSE Enacted
SENATE Enacted
GOV SIGNED

PUBLIC
CH # 111

SUMMARY: This new draft of LD 151 makes the present law concerning protection of underground facilities applicable to state and state aid highway construction and maintenance activities performed by state maintenance forces, except for installation and maintenance of signs. The rest of the original bill is dropped.