

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 1047

House of Representatives, March 21, 1975

Referred to the Committee on Taxation. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Rideout of Mapleton.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-FIVE

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**AN ACT to Exempt Electrical Power Used to Operate Certain Pollution Control Facilities from the Sales Tax.**

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Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

36 MRSA § 1760, sub-§ 35 is enacted to read:

35. Electrical power used to operate water pollution control facilities or both. Sale of electrical power for the operation of any water pollution control facility or air pollution control facility or both, certified as such by the Department of Environmental Protection, and for any part, appurtenances or accessories thereof or for the repair or maintenance thereof. In order to qualify for an exemption under this subsection, the operator of the water pollution control facility or air pollution control facility or of both must install a separate electrical use monitoring device for each facility.

FISCAL NOTE

It is estimated that passage of this Act will result in a loss of \$18,750 for the first year of the biennium and of \$25,000 for the 2nd year of the biennium.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This Act will exempt electrical power used to operate water pollution control facilities or air pollution control facilities or both from the sales tax.