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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (Filing No. H-105)
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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 529, L.D. 595, Bill,
"AN ACT to Exempt Fuel Adjustment Charges of Electric Util-
ities from the Requirement that such Charges be Prorated."

Amend the Bill by striking out in the last 5 lines (last
4 lines in L.D.) before the statement of fact the underlined
words and punctuation ", except that where an electric util-
ity changes its fuel adjustment charges pursuant to section
131, such change may, for billing purposes, relate back to the
commencement of the billing cycle during which the change was
approved by the commission" and inserting in its place the
following underlined words and punctuation ', except that when
an electric utility changes its fuel adjustment charges pur-
suant to section 131, the commission may, for billing purposes,
order that the change be applied to all kilowatt hours reflected
in meter readings on or after the effective date of the change,
or to such other period as it deems just and reasonable'

Statement of Fact

This amendment allows the Public Utilities Commission to order application of changes in the fuel adjustment charges to bills reflecting meter readings after a date certain, deemed just and reasonable rather than requiring proration.

Reported by the Committee on Public Utilities.
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