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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 569, L.D. 790, "Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 380: Energy Conservation Programs by Electric Transmission and Distribution Utilities, a Major Substantive Rule of the Public Utilities Commission"

Amend the resolve in section 1 in the last line (page 1, line 28 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "is" the following: 'not'

Further amend the resolve by inserting at the end before the summary the following:

FISCAL NOTE

Since this resolve disapproves the final adoption of major substantive rules proposed by the Public Utilities Commission, the commission will be required to adopt new major substantive rules. The costs to adopt these rules can be absorbed by the commission utilizing existing budgeted resources.'

SUMMARY

This resolve disapproved final adoption of Chapter 380: Energy Conservation Programs by Electric Transmission and Distribution Utilities, a major substantive rule of the Public Utilities Commission. The issues associated with conservation programs are proposed to be addressed in other legislation. This amendment also adds a fiscal note to the resolve.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT