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In Senate, January 16, 2007

An Act To Clarify the Scope of Conservation Programs with Respect to Electricity Use

Submitted by the Office of the Public Advocate pursuant to Joint Rule 204.
Reference to the Committee on Utilities and Energy suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Joy J. O'Brien'.

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator BARTLETT of Cumberland.
Cosponsored by Representative BLISS of South Portland and
Senators: BROMLEY of Cumberland, HOBBS of York, MARRACHÉ of Kennebec,
Representatives: EBERLE of South Portland, HINCK of Portland.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 35-A MRSA §3211-A, sub-§1, ¶D,** as enacted by PL 2001, c. 624, §4, is
3 amended to read:

4 D. "Conservation programs" means programs developed by the commission
5 pursuant to this section designed to reduce inefficient electricity use. Conservation
6 programs may also result in savings in nonelectric fuels that are incidental to
7 electricity savings.

8 **SUMMARY**

9 This bill clarifies that conservation programs administered by the Public Utilities
10 Commission may result in savings in nonelectric fuels that are incidental to electricity
11 savings.