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Date: 5/21/07

L.D. 1666
(Filing No. H-281)

UTILITIES AND ENERGY

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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
123RD LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1175, L.D. 1666, "Resolve, Directing the Public Utilities Commission To Amend its Rules To Increase the Amount of Energy Conservation Funds for School Administrative Units"

Amend the resolve by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'Resolve, To Promote Energy Conservation in Schools'

Amend the resolve by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1. Plan for energy efficiency and conservation in schools. Resolved:
That the Public Utilities Commission shall develop a plan to increase energy efficiency and conservation in school facilities in the State, to promote opportunities for school administrative units to participate in the Public Utilities Commission's Efficiency Maine programs and to encourage data collection on school energy consumption and costs. The commission shall report on the plan as part of the annual report required under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 35-A, section 3211-A, subsection 11.'

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the resolve. The amendment directs the Public Utilities Commission to develop a plan to increase energy efficiency and conservation in school facilities in the State, to promote opportunities for school administrative units to participate in the Public Utilities Commission's Efficiency Maine programs and to encourage data collection on school energy consumption and costs. The amendment requires the commission to report on the plan as part of the annual report of the Efficiency Maine program.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



Approved: 05/17/07 *MAC*

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LD 1666

LR 1661(02)

Resolve, Directing the Public Utilities Commission To Amend its Rules To Increase the Amount of Energy Conservation Funds for School Administrative Units

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"

Committee: Utilities and Energy

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The additional costs associated with this legislation can be absorbed by the Public Utilities Commission utilizing existing budgeted resources.