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Amendment Name: Amendment CA (S-474) (LD 1895 2020)

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ENERGY, UTILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY

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**STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
129TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 647, L.D. 1895, Bill, “An Act Regarding Positions at the Public Utilities Commission”

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 6 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 6. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Public Utilities - Administrative Division 0184

Initiative: Provides funding for one Public Service Coordinator II position and associated All Other costs.

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2019-20	2020-21
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	0.000	1.000
Personal Services	\$0	\$53,192
All Other	\$0	\$3,216
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$0	\$56,408

Public Utilities - Administrative Division 0184

Initiative: Provides funding for 2 Utility Analyst positions and one Senior Consumer Assistance Specialist position and associated All Other costs.

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2019-20	2020-21
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	0.000	3.000
Personal Services	\$0	\$182,283
All Other	\$0	\$12,309

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

1	OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$0	\$194,592
2	PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION		
3	DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2019-20	2020-21
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5	OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	\$0	\$251,000
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7	DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$0	\$251,000
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9 **SUMMARY**

10 This amendment reduces the funds allocated to the Public Utilities Commission due
11 to the decrease in time remaining in fiscal year 2020-21.

12 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

13 **(See attached)**



129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1895

LR 2904(02)

An Act Regarding Positions at the Public Utilities Commission

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "

Committee: Energy, Utilities and Technology

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	Projections FY 2021-22	Projections FY 2022-23
Appropriations/Allocations				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	\$251,000	\$518,952	\$536,517
Revenue				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	\$251,000	\$518,952	\$536,517

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill includes allocations of \$251,000 in fiscal year 2020-21 to the Public Utilities Commission (PUC) for 2 Utility Analyst positions, one Senior Consumer Assistance Specialist position and one Public Service Coordinator II position and associated costs. The PUC is funded by an assessment set to produce sufficient revenue for the expenditures allocated by the Legislature for operating the PUC. The increased allocations in this bill require a corresponding increase in revenue from the assessment on transmission and distribution utilities.