

# NINETY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

# Legislative Document

S. P. 104 Referred to Committee on Public Utilities. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Silsby of Hancock.

# STATE OF MAINE

### IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-FIVE

#### AN ACT Relating to Public Hearings for Public Utilities.

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

**R. S., c. 44, § 61, amended.** Section 61 of chapter 44 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph to read as follows:

'Whenever any public utility has been notified by the Commission that formal public hearing will be held, as provided in section 35, section 57 of this section, such public utility may be required by the Commission to give reasonable notice of the time and place when and where such formal public hearing will be held to each of its subscribers affected or to be affected by such rates or service, and to file at the same time in the office of the clerk of the municipalities wherein such subscribers reside all pertinent information such as rates involved, service involved and exhibits thereto. Such notice shall be by ordinary mail and shall include a statement that pertinent information is on file at the office of the clerk of the municipality wherein the subscriber resides.'

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