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**History and Final Disposition**

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An Act To Protect Universal Service. (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.) Presented by Representative FITTS of Pittsfield. Referred to Jt. Standing Comm. on Utilities and Energy. Public Hearing 01/27/10. Final Disposition: Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310 03/22/10.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1697 \(124th Legis. 2010\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill**

[LD 1697](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Utilities and Energy

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**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, January 6, 2010 \(H940-963\)](#)

- p. H-962

[SENATE, January 7, 2010 \(S1227-1244\)](#)

- p. S-1230

[HOUSE, March 18, 2010 \(H1176-1187\)](#)

- p. H-1176

[SENATE, March 22, 2010 \(S1528-1548\)](#)

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**News Articles**

Bill looks to cut UMS internet sales (Miller, Kevin) (Bangor Daily News, 1/28/2010, p. B1, B6)

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: 124/LD16xx/nc124-ld-1697/D1001070.pdf)

FairPoint bill would slow internet growth (Portland Press Herald, 1/29/2010, p. A6) ●

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Bill pushes 'Three-Ring Binder' network forward (Russell, Eric) (Bangor Daily News,

- 4/8/2010, p. A1, A4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 124/LD16xx/nc124-ld-1697/B1004137.pdf)

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