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**JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON
UTILITIES & ENERGY**

LD 1614 PART 2 BUDGET BILL

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THIS FILE CONTAINS THE FOLLOWING:

Committee Recommendations

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TO: Mary Cathcart, Senate Chair
Joseph Brannigan, House Chair
Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs

FROM: Christopher Hall, Senate Chair *CH, c*
Lawrence Bliss, House Chair *LB, c*
Joint Standing Committee on Utilities and Energy

DATE: May 8, 2003

RE: Recommendations on the "Part 2" Budget

Pursuant to Joint Rule 314, subsection 4, we are providing our comments on the portion of the Part 2 budget that affects matters within the jurisdiction of this committee.

Our committee is aware of only one such provision: the provision in Part C of the bill that moves certain federal funds and other special revenue associated with three positions that were moved from DECD to the PUC in the Part 1 budget. We understand the provision to be merely an accounting change that moves the funds from the Administrative Division to the Conservation Administration Fund and has no net financial impact. We understand this accounting change is acceptable to the PUC. Our committee has briefly review the provision and has no objection to it.

If you have questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

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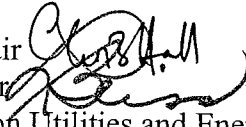

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Sen. Mary Cathcart, Chair
Rep. Joseph Brannigan, Chair
Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs

FROM: Sen. Christopher Hall, Chair 
Rep. Lawrence Bliss, Chair 
Joint Standing Committee on Utilities and Energy

DATE: May 22, 2003

RE: Priorities for Bills On or Expected to Go to the Appropriations Table

As far as we are able to determine at this time, a total of 4 bills from this committee are expected to land on the Appropriations Table. We've met and voted and prioritized the 4 bills in the following order.

priority	LD	Short Title
1	163	Provide Energy Opportunities to N. ME
2	1483	Improve Ability of PUC to Enforce Laws, Rules and Requirements
3	1444	Facilitate E-9-1-1 for Multi-line Telephone Systems
4	233	Promote Energy Conservation

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

cc: Members, Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs
Members, Joint Standing Committee on Utilities and Energy

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