



126th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Lower Costs to Municipalities and Reduce Energy Consumption through Increased Competition in the Municipal Street Light Market

Preliminary Fiscal Impact Statement for Original Bill

Sponsor: Rep. Nelson of Falmouth

Committee: Energy, Utilities and Technology

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

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Current biennium cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The Public Utilities Commission (PUC) will be required to establish and approve certain rates, charges and fees related to street lighting infrastructure assessed to a municipality by a transmission and distribution utility and to designate a standardized color coding system to differentiate street lighting infrastructure ownership. The PUC has adequate available resources for the expenses related to the activities required.