

125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1883

LR 2839(02)

An Act To Clarify the Regulation of Private Natural Gas Pipelines

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " " Committee: Energy, Utilities and Technology Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill provides that the Public Utilities Commission has safety jurisdiction over facilities that are used to liquify or compress natural gas for sale or distribution to others by means other than a pipeline and that are owned or operated by an affiliate of the owner of a natural gas pipeline. Any additional costs to the Public Utilities Commission can be absorbed within existing resources.