

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH  
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

L.R. NO.: 3154-02  
BILL NO.: Perfected SB 727  
SUBJECT: Utilities; Public Records  
TYPE: Original  
DATE: February 23, 2000

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
None	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
<b>Local Government</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses  
This fiscal note contains 3 pages.

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**FISCAL ANALYSIS**

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Economic Development - Public Service Commission (PSC)** assume the proposal would have no fiscal impact on the PSC; however, additional legislation that may be passed could create a cumulative fiscal impact to the agency.

Officials from the **Department of Economic Development - Office of Public Counsel (OPC), Department of Natural Resources (DNR), City Utilities of Springfield (SPG)** and the **Columbia Water and Light (COL)** assume the proposed legislation would have no fiscal impact on their agencies.

Officials from the **Independence Power and Light (IND)** did not respond to our fiscal impact request.

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
	0	0	0

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
	0	0	0

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses is expected as a result of this proposal.

DESCRIPTION

This act pertains to closing certain municipal utility records. Current statutes provide that a municipal electric utility may close the portion of its records containing the names of suppliers and costs of services and plans for future marketing and service expansion areas and terminates the exemption if electric restructuring is not implemented by December 31, 2001.

The act extends the exemption to apply to both natural gas service and electric service provided by municipal utilities and revises the sunset to terminate the exemption if the General Assembly does not adopt electric utility restructuring legislation by December 31, 2002.

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DESCRIPTION (continued)

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

This proposal would not affect Total State Revenues.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Department of Economic Development - Public Service Commission  
Department of Economic Development - Office of Public Counsel  
Department of Natural Resources  
City Utilities of Springfield  
Columbia Water and Light

**NOT RESPONDING:**

Independence Power and Light



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