

2007 Session

LRB or Bill No./Adm. Rule No.
Ch. PSC 133 – 1-AC-209
 Amendment No. if Applicable

FISCAL ESTIMATE

DOA-2048 N(R10/96)

- ORIGINAL UPDATED
 CORRECTED SUPPLEMENTAL

Subject
 PSC Revision to Natural Gas Construction Rules

Fiscal Effect

State: No State Fiscal Effect

Check columns below only if bill makes a direct appropriation
 or affects a sum sufficient appropriation.

Increase Costs - May be possible to Absorb
 Within Agency's Budget Yes No

- Increase Existing Appropriation Increase Existing Revenues
 Decrease Existing Appropriation Decrease Existing Revenues
 Create New Appropriation

Decrease Costs

Local: No local government costs

1. Increase Costs

- Permissive Mandatory

2. Decrease Costs

- Permissive Mandatory

3. Increase Revenues

- Permissive Mandatory

4. Decrease Revenues

- Permissive Mandatory

5. Types of Local Governmental Units
 Affected:

- Towns Villages Cities
 Counties Others _____
 School Districts WTCS Districts

Fund Sources Affected

- GPR FED PRO PRS SEG SEG-S

Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations

20.155 (1) (g)

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

The proposed rule changes provide a mechanism for utilities to report territorial exchanges between each other. The rule also modifies the types of construction that the Commission needs to be informed of and changes the Cost threshold for Commission approval of projects. While there may be a slight reduction in staff work in this area,
 The rule changes will allow PSC staff to spend more time concentrating on important gas safety issues.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

NONE

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