

State Corporation Commission 2009 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB2081

House of Origin Introduced ___ Substitute ___ Engrossed
Second House ___ In Committee ___ Substitute ___ Enrolled

2. Patron: Saxman

3. Committee: Commerce and Labor

4. Title: **Distribution of underground gas service; penalty.**

5. Summary: Distribution of underground gas service; penalty. Declares that it is unlawful to sell and distribute natural gas or propane, propane-air mixture, or other manufactured gas to the public via underground lines, except pursuant to a certificate of public convenience and necessity issued by the State Corporation Commission. The measure states that this provision is declarative of existing law. The measure imposes a fine on any person violating the prohibition of up to \$1,000 per day, which fine is in addition to any other penalties provided by law.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates: No fiscal impact.

7. Budget Amendment Necessary: None.

8. Fiscal Implications: None.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: State Corporation Commission

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: None.

11. Other Comments: None.

Date: 1/16/2009 T. Faherty
cc: Secretary of Commerce and Trade