

SENATE BILL No. 719

August 31, 2005, Introduced by Senator ALLEN and referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Small Business and Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 1972 PA 299, entitled

"An act to provide for the assessment, collection and disposition of the costs of regulation of public utilities,"

by amending section 1 (MCL 460.111), as amended by 1992 PA 36.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 1. As used in this act:

2 (a) "Commission" means the public service commission.

3 (b) "Department" means the department of commerce.

4 (c) "Public utility" means a steam, heat, electric, power,
5 gas, water, **WASTEWATER**, telecommunications, telegraph,
6 communications, pipeline, or gas producing company regulated by the
7 commission, whether private, corporate, or cooperative, except a
8 municipally owned utility.