
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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INTRODUCED BY GREENWOOD, MERRY, AFFLERBACH, FOX, BELARDI,
DISTLER, WOZNIAK AND TELEK, APRIL 10, 1985

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON CONSUMER AFFAIRS, APRIL 10, 1985

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, further regulating rates charged
3 outside the boundaries of municipal corporations.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Section 1301 of Title 66 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 1301. Rates to be just and reasonable.

9 (a) General rule.--Every rate made, demanded, or received by
10 any public utility, or by any two or more public utilities
11 jointly, shall be just and reasonable, and in conformity with
12 regulations or orders of the commission. Only public utility
13 service being furnished or rendered by a municipal corporation,
14 or by the operating agencies of any municipal corporation,
15 beyond its corporate limits, shall be subject to regulation and
16 control by the commission as to rates, with the same force, and
17 in like manner, as if such service were rendered by a public
18 utility.

1 (b) Municipal corporation rates outside its boundaries.--A
2 municipal corporation or an operating agency of a municipal
3 corporation shall not impose a base rate for public utility
4 service outside of its corporate boundaries which is in excess
5 of the base rate assessed for public utility service charged
6 within its boundaries. Nothing contained in this subsection
7 shall prevent a municipal corporation from equalizing lower
8 rates charged outside of its boundaries with higher rates
9 charged within its boundaries.

10 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.