SB-469
AN ACT REQUIRING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES REGULATORY AUTHORITY TO ESTABLISH PERFORMANCE STANDARDS AND MINIMUM STAFFING AND EQUIPMENT LEVELS FOR ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION COMPANIES.
   As Amended by Senate "A" (LCO 9084)
Senate Calendar No.: 114

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None
Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill as amended requires the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority (PURA) to study industry standards for electric distribution company performance during emergencies and related staffing and infrastructure issues, and report the study to the Energy and Technology committee by January 1, 2020. It is expected that PURA can conduct the study within existing staffing and resources.

Senate “A” eliminates a requirement that the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority open a docket to establish regulations for electric distribution company staffing levels, and results in no fiscal impact.

The Out Years

State Impact: None
Municipal Impact: None

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