Administrative Rule Analysis



TECHNICAL STANDARDS FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE

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Department: Licensing and Regulatory Affairs Agency: Michigan Public Service Commission

Enabling Statute: Transmission of Electricity, 1909 PA 106, MCL 460.551 et seq.

Railroads, 1909 PA 300, MCL 464.2 et seq.

Michigan Public Utilities Commission, 1919 PA 419, MCL 460.51 et seq. Michigan Public Service Commission, 1939 PA 3, MCL 460.1 et seq. Executive Organization Act, 1965 PA 380, MCL 16.101 et seq.

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BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RULES

Current rules apply to electric service utilities under the jurisdiction of the Michigan Public Service Commission (MPSC), and intend to promote safe and adequate electric service, encourage safety and efficiency, and provide for standards for uniform and reasonable electric utility practices. The proposed rule changes would update technical standards for electric service to reflect advances in metering technology, remove references to obsolete equipment, and include provisions for cybersecurity and reporting practices.

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED RULES

2017-091 LR would not have a significant fiscal impact on any unit of state or local government. Any cost incurred by the MPSC would be sufficiently supported by existing departmental appropriations.

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