

# SOUTH CAROLINA REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS OFFICE STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT (803)734-0640 • RFA.SC.GOV/IMPACTS

Bill Number:	S. 0954	Introduced on January 31, 2018
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Subject:	Public Service Commission	
Requestor:	Senate Judiciary	
RFA Analyst(s):	Kokolis and Wren	
Impact Date:	February	14, 2018 - Updated for Additional Agency Response

## **Estimate of Fiscal Impact**

	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20
State Expenditure		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Full-Time Equivalent Position(s)	0.00	0.00
State Revenue		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Local Expenditure	\$0	\$0
Local Revenue	\$0	\$0

### **Fiscal Impact Summary**

This bill is not expected to have an expenditure impact on the General Fund, Other Funds, or Federal Funds since the bill requires the Public Service Commission (PSC) to perform activities that will be conducted in the normal course of agency business. This impact statement has been updated to include a response from PSC.

# **Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

#### Updated for Additional Agency Response on February 13, 2018 Introduced in the Senate on January 31, 2018 State Expenditure

This bill prohibits PSC from issuing an order for requests made pursuant to the Base Load Review Act until ninety days after the South Carolina General Assembly adjourns Sine Die for the 2018 legislative session. However, PSC may issue an experimental rate order to revise the electric rates in accordance with Chapter 34 of Title 58.

PSC indicates that this bill will have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Other Funds, or Federal Funds. The bill requires PSC to perform activities in the normal course of agency business, with the exception of waiting ninety days after adjournment of Sine Die for the 2018 legislative session to issue an order for requests pursuant to the Base Load Review Act. This section of the impact statement has been updated to include a response from PSC.

### State Revenue

N/A

**Local Expenditure** N/A

**Local Revenue** N/A

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State Revenue N/A

**Local Expenditure** N/A

**Local Revenue** N/A

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