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Senate Bill 272

By: Senator Brown of the 26th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend Code Section 46-2-25 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the
- 2 procedure for changing any rate, charge, classification, or service, so as to provide that a
- 3 utility that recovers from its customers the costs of financing associated with the construction
- 4 of a nuclear generating plant shall provide such customers with certain information regarding
- 5 certain charges to them relating to the recovery of such costs; to provide for related matters;
- 6 to provide for a contingent effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 SECTION 1.

- 9 Code Section 46-2-25 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the procedure
- 10 for changing any rate, charge, classification, or service, is amended by adding a new
- 11 subsection to read as follows:
- 12 "(c.2) A utility that recovers from its customers the costs of financing associated with the
- construction of a nuclear generating plant pursuant to subsection (c.1) of this Code section
- shall provide in the billing statement to the customer a conspicuous notation reflecting the
- 15 <u>exact amount charged to the customer to recover the costs of financing associated with the</u>
- nuclear generating plant's construction. Such disclosure shall appear in the billing
- statement provided to the customer and shall be printed in a font not less than 14 point."

18 SECTION 2.

- 19 This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2009, provided that Senate Bill 31 as passed
- 20 during the 2009 Legislative Session is signed by the Governor and becomes law.

21 SECTION 3.

22 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.