

Public Utilities Committee

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AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 466 1 2 AMENDMENT NO. . Amend House Bill 466 by replacing 3 everything after the enacting clause with the following: "Section 5. The Energy Assistance Act is amended by adding 4 5 Section 15 as follows: (305 ILCS 20/15 new) 6 7 Sec. 15. Each year, the Director of Public Aid shall determine the percentage of residential gas utility customers enrolled in the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program for 9 the 12 months ending the previous June 30. No later than 10 September 15 of each year, the Director of Public Aid shall 11 certify to the Treasurer of the State of Illinois the amount of 12 money equaling the proportion of residential taxes paid by 13 regulated gas utilities pursuant to the Gas Revenue Tax Act and 14

the Gas Use Tax Act for households that received assistance

from the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program during the

12 months ending the previous June 30. The Treasurer shall

transfer 50% of that amount of money into the Supplemental Low

Income Energy Assistance Fund by September 30.".