



## 96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2009 and 2010

HB5135

Introduced 1/29/2010, by Rep. William B. Black

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

220 ILCS 5/8-304.5 new

Amends the Public Utilities Act. Provides that the Illinois Commerce Commission shall require that an electric utility with less than 2 million customers set the due date on the bills of non-residential customers to no less than 20 days after the date of the postmark on the bill.

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1 AN ACT concerning utilities.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Public Utilities Act is amended by adding  
5 Section 8-304.5 as follows:

6 (220 ILCS 5/8-304.5 new)

7 Sec. 8-304.5. Due date for bills of non-residential  
8 customers; utilities with less than 2 million customers. The  
9 Commission shall require that an electric utility with less  
10 than 2 million customers set the due date on the bills of  
11 non-residential customers to no less than 20 days after the  
12 date of the postmark on the bill.