1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Public Utilities Act is amended by adding Section 9-211.5 as follows:
- 6 (220 ILCS 5/9-211.5 new)
- 7 Sec. 9-211.5. Recovery of water and wastewater service revenue requirements. A public utility that provides both water 8 9 and wastewater service may request in a general rate proceeding 10 that the Commission allocate a portion of the public utility's water service revenue requirement for recovery through 11 12 wastewater base rates or allocate a portion of the public utility's wastewater revenue requirement for recovery through 13 14 water base rates, and, if requested, the Commission may approve the allocation if it can be shown to be in the public interest. 15