SENATE BILL No. 1885

Introduced by Senator Bowen

February 22, 2002

An act to add Article 9 (commencing with Section 640) to Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 1 of the Public Utilities Code, relating to public utilities.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1885, as introduced, Bowen. Electrical corporations.

The Public Utilities Act governs the rights and obligations of public utilities and subjects them to regulation by the Public Utilities Commission.

This bill would declare the intent of the Legislature to reaffirm the obligation of electrical corporations to serve consumers.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Article 9 (commencing with Section 640) is added to Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 1 of the Public Utilities Code, to read:

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Article 9. Rights and Responsibilities of Public Utilities

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640. It is the intent of the Legislature to reaffirm the obligation of electrical corporations to serve consumers.

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