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Introduced by Sen. RANZENHOFER -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Energy and Telecommunications -- recommitted to the Committee on Energy and Telecommunications in accordance with Senate Rule 6, sec. 8 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the public service law, in relation to reducing the amount a utility can be assessed

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1     Section 1. Paragraph (g) of subdivision 2 of section 18-a of the  
2     public service law, as amended by section 2 of part A of chapter 173 of  
3     the laws of 2013, is amended to read as follows:  
4     (g) The total amount which may be charged to any public utility compa-  
5     ny and the Long Island power authority under authority of this subdivi-  
6     sion for any state fiscal year shall not exceed ONE-THIRD OF one per  
7     centum of such public utility company's or authority's gross operating  
8     revenues derived from intrastate utility operations in the last preced-  
9     ing calendar year, or other twelve month period as determined by the  
10    chairman; provided, however, that no corporation or person that is  
11    subject to the jurisdiction of the commission only with respect to safe-  
12    ty, or the power authority of the state of New York, shall be subject to  
13    the general assessment provided for under this subdivision.  
14    Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivision one of this section, for  
15    telephone corporations as defined in subdivision seventeen of section  
16    two of this article, the total amount which may be charged such corpo-  
17    rations for department expenses under the authority of subdivision one  
18    of this section for any state fiscal year shall not exceed one-third of  
19    one percentum of such corporation's gross operating revenue, over and  
20    above five hundred thousand dollars, derived from intrastate utility  
21    operations in the last preceding calendar year, or other twelve month  
22    period as determined by the chairman.  
23    S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets  
[ ] is old law to be omitted.

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