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HOUSE BILL

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AN ACT relative to decreasing assessment rates for entities providing VoIP and IP-enabled services, as well as certain local exchange carriers and their affiliates.

SPONSORS: Rep. Harrington, Straf. 18; Rep. Summers, Rock. 20

COMMITTEE: Science, Technology and Energy

ANALYSIS

This bill decreases the gross utility revenue of all excepted local exchange carriers, and all providers' gross revenue received from New Hampshire retail customers for a VoIP service or an IP-enabled service.

Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.
Matter removed from current law appears [~~in brackets and struck through.~~]
Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Five

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Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

1 33:1 Expenses of Public Utilities Commission Against Certain Utilities; Assessment. Amend RSA
2 363-A:2, I(c) and (d) to read as follows:

3 (c) ~~[33]~~ **10** percent of the gross utility revenue of all excepted local exchange carriers as
4 defined in RSA 362:7, I(c), and ~~[33]~~ **10** percent of the gross revenue of any affiliate of such a carrier
5 received from New Hampshire retail customers for a VoIP service as defined in RSA 362:7, I(d) or an IP-
6 enabled service as defined in RSA 362:7, I(e) that provides the voice capabilities described in RSA 362:7,
7 I(d)(1) and (3), other than a cellular mobile radio communications service provider;

8 (d) ~~[33]~~ **10** percent of all providers' gross revenue received from New Hampshire retail
9 customers for a VoIP service as defined in RSA 362:7, I(d) or an IP-enabled service as defined in RSA
10 362:7, I(e) that provides the voice capabilities described in RSA 362:7, I(d)(1) and (3), other than a cellular
11 mobile radio communications service provider or any entity to which subparagraph (c) applies; and

12 33:2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.

Approved: May 14, 2025
Effective Date: July 01, 2025

