

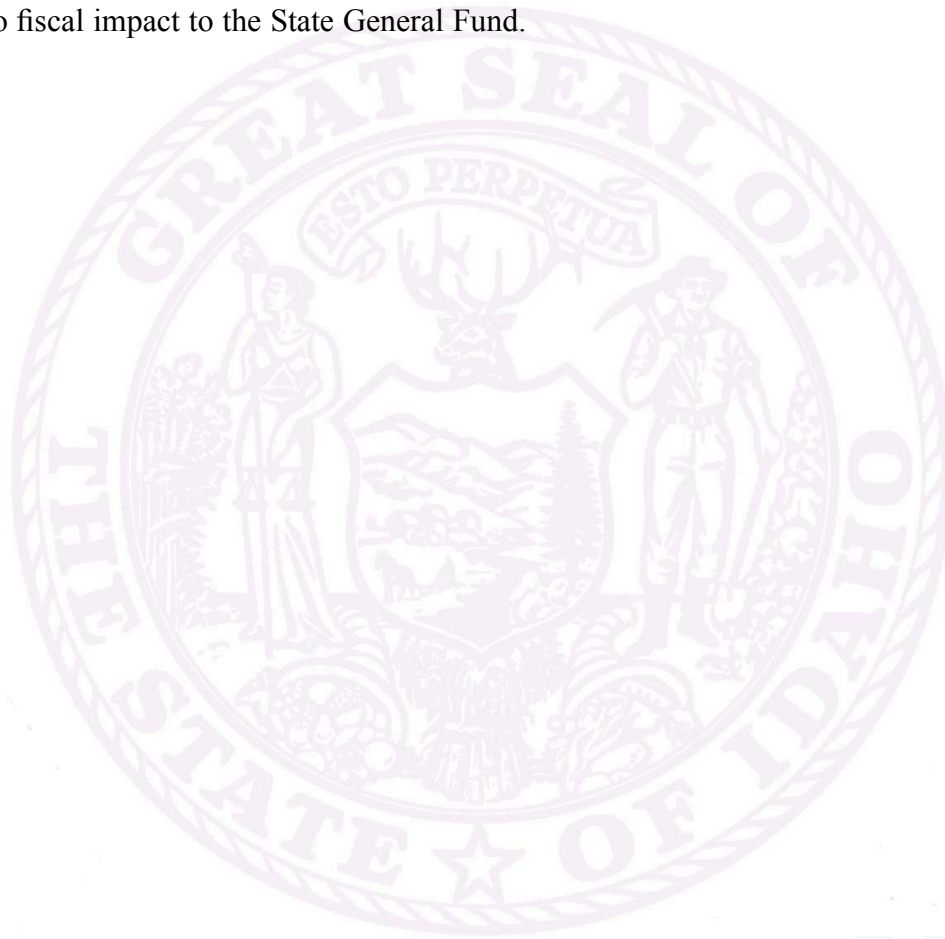
STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS22727

Gathering lines are pipelines and other fixtures used to transport, deliver, and distribute natural gas, natural gas condensate or crude oil from a well-head to a transmission line or main line. This legislation clarifies that a company owning or operating a gathering line is subject to the safety regulations of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission, but is not classified as a public utility unless it applies for that designation. The bill also clarifies the definition of "gathering lines" to include those lines that carry natural gas condensate.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact to the State General Fund.



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