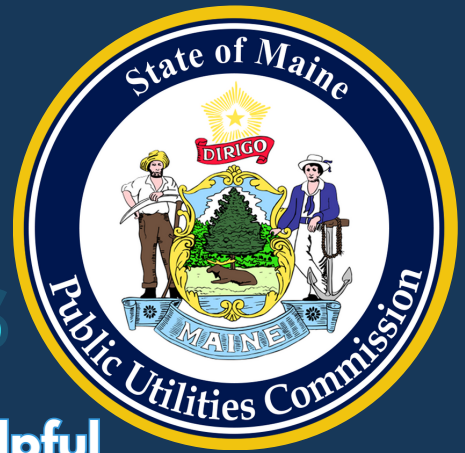


Understanding Legislative Dates



To comply with regulations and laws, it is helpful to know how legislative dates work to reduce confusion and errors in meeting deadlines.

START DATE

When the rule says a specific number of days for a required action, keep in mind the day you file is not day 1, it is day 0.



BUSINESS DAYS

If a rule ever discusses business days, be sure to exclude weekends and holidays when calculating the dates.



LESS THAN 7 DAYS

If the rule says a number that is less than 7 for an amount of days, do not include weekends or state holidays when you are determining dates.



MORE THAN 7 DAYS

If the rule states a number of days that is more than 7, then you would include weekends and holidays when determining the date.



WEEKEND/HOLIDAY

If any of your dates to file with the Commission are on a weekend or holiday then file the next business day.

