

SB142_L.010

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Energy & Environment.

SB26-142 be amended as follows:

1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 8, before line 4 insert:

2 "(11) (a) EMISSION REDUCTIONS ASSOCIATED WITH A THERMAL
3 ENERGY NETWORK THAT IS OPERATING IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS
4 SECTION AND THAT IS WITHIN THE SERVICE TERRITORY OF A PUBLIC
5 UTILITY THAT IS REQUIRED TO FILE A CLEAN HEAT PLAN WITH THE PUBLIC
6 UTILITIES COMMISSION PURSUANT TO SECTION 40-3.2-108 SHALL BE
7 COUNTED AS PART OF THE PUBLIC UTILITY'S EMISSION REDUCTION
8 CALCULATIONS RELATED TO THE UTILITY'S CLEAN HEAT PLAN, EVEN IF THE
9 THERMAL ENERGY NETWORK IS CONSTRUCTED OR OPERATED WITHOUT
10 UTILITY INVESTMENT OR PARTICIPATION.

11 (b) THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION SHALL PROHIBIT THE
12 DOUBLE COUNTING OF EMISSION REDUCTIONS ASSOCIATED WITH A
13 THERMAL ENERGY NETWORK.

14 (c) A LOCAL GOVERNMENT THAT CONSTRUCTS, DEVELOPS, OR
15 OPERATES A THERMAL ENERGY NETWORK SHALL NOTIFY THE PUBLIC
16 UTILITY THAT PROVIDES UTILITY SERVICE TO THE LOCATION WHERE THE
17 THERMAL ENERGY NETWORK IS LOCATED THAT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT
18 WILL CONSTRUCT, DEVELOP, OR OPERATE A THERMAL ENERGY NETWORK
19 PRIOR TO BEGINNING CONSTRUCTION OF THE THERMAL ENERGY NETWORK
20 IN ORDER TO ALLOW FOR COORDINATION BETWEEN THE LOCAL
21 GOVERNMENT AND THE PUBLIC UTILITY RELATED TO THE UTILITY' CLEAN
22 HEAT PLAN, TO THE EXTENT PRACTICABLE."

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