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SB26-182

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Second Reading BY SENATOR Snyder

Amend printed bill, page 2, line 3, strike "portion;" and substitute "portion and (1)(e)(VIII)(F);".

Page 2, after line 10 insert:

"(e) (VIII) (F) A clean energy plan voluntarily filed by a cooperative electric association that has voted to exempt itself from regulation by the public utilities commission pursuant to article 9.5 of title 40 or by a municipal utility shall be deemed approved ~~by the public utilities commission~~ as filed if: The division ~~in consultation with the public utilities commission,~~ publicly verifies that the plan demonstrates that, by 2030, the cooperative electric association or municipal utility will achieve at least an eighty percent reduction in greenhouse gas emissions caused by the entity's Colorado retail electricity sales relative to 2005 levels; and the clean energy plan has previously been approved by a vote of the entity's governing body. ~~Voluntary submission of a clean energy plan by a cooperative electric association or municipal utility does not alter the entity's regulatory status with respect to the public utilities commission, including under article 9.5 of title 40.~~".

Page 2, line 11, strike "(e)".

Page 3, line 13, strike "SHALL:" and substitute "MUST:".

Page 4, line 6, after "PLAN;" insert "AND".

Page 4, line 7, after "2032," insert "AND NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER RULES OF THE COMMISSION SETTING A TIMELINE FOR CESSATION OF BURNING COAL,".

Page 4, line 9, strike "UTILITY;" and substitute "UTILITY.".

Page 4, strike lines 10 through 24.

Page 5, strike lines 2 through 6 and substitute "THIS SECTION.".

Page 5, line 9, strike "SHALL" and substitute "MUST".

Page 5, after line 12 insert:

"**SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 31-15-707, **add** (2)

as follows:

31-15-707. Municipally owned utilities - powers of a municipality - greenhouse gas emission reduction goals.

(2) THE GOVERNING BODY OF A MUNICIPALLY OWNED UTILITY THAT SUBMITS AN UPDATED CLEAN ENERGY PLAN PURSUANT TO SECTION 25-7-105 (1)(e)(VIII.5)(I) SHALL INSTRUCT THE MUNICIPALLY OWNED UTILITY TO SEEK TO:

(a) ACHIEVE A NINETY-FIVE PERCENT REDUCTION IN GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS CAUSED BY THE MUNICIPALLY OWNED UTILITY'S COLORADO RETAIL ELECTRICITY SALES BY DECEMBER 31, 2039, RELATIVE TO 2005 LEVELS, WITHOUT IMPAIRING THE MUNICIPALLY OWNED UTILITY'S ABILITY TO MAINTAIN THE ELECTRIC RELIABILITY STANDARDS OF A REGIONAL TRANSMISSION ORGANIZATION OF WHICH THE MUNICIPALLY OWNED UTILITY IS A MEMBER; AND

(b) REDUCE, BETWEEN THE DATE AN EIGHTY PERCENT REDUCTION IN GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS IS ACHIEVED AND DECEMBER 31, 2035, ANY CUMULATIVE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS RESULTING FROM THE UPDATED CLEAN ENERGY PLAN RELATIVE TO THE MUNICIPALLY OWNED UTILITY'S ORIGINAL CLEAN ENERGY PLAN, WITHOUT IMPAIRING THE MUNICIPALLY OWNED UTILITY'S ABILITY TO MAINTAIN THE ELECTRIC RELIABILITY STANDARDS OF A REGIONAL TRANSMISSION ORGANIZATION OF WHICH THE MUNICIPALLY OWNED UTILITY IS A MEMBER.".

Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

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