

HOUSE _____ AMENDMENT NO. _____

Offered By _____

AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 613, Page 1, Section A, Line 4 by inserting after all of said Section and Line the following:

“21.960. 1. There is hereby established a joint committee of the general assembly to be known as the "Joint Committee on Renewable Technology and Industrial Onsite Energy Generation" for the period between the first regular session of the ninety-sixth general assembly and the second regular session of the ninety-seventh general assembly.

2. The joint committee shall be composed of ten members. Five members shall be from the senate, with three members appointed by the president pro tem of the senate and two members appointed by the minority leader of the senate. Five members shall be from the house of representatives, with three members appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives and two members appointed by the minority leader of the house of representatives. All members of the Missouri general assembly not appointed in this subsection may be nonvoting, ex officio members of the joint committee. A majority of the appointed members of the joint committee shall constitute a quorum.

3. The joint committee shall meet within thirty days after it becomes effective and organized by selecting a chairperson and a vice chairperson, one of whom shall be a member of the senate and the other a member of the house of representatives. The joint committee may meet at locations other than Jefferson City when the committee deems it necessary.

4. The committee shall prepare a final report together with its recommendations for any legislative action deemed necessary for submission to the speaker of the house of representatives, the president pro tem of the senate, and the governor by December 31, 2012. The report shall study and make recommendations regarding the development of renewable technologies and the impact of industrial onsite energy generation in this state and shall examine the following:

(1) Renewable technology advancements in:

(a) Battery storage;

(b) Transmission smart grids;

(c) Experimental generation;

(d) Electric vehicle delivery systems;

- 1 (2) Modular nuclear technology;
2 (3) Combined heat and power systems;
3 (4) Research into nonuranium nuclear fuel with renewable properties such as thorium;
4 (5) Existing services, resources, and capacity for onsite energy generation;
5 (6) Research into developing a consortium of university, utility, and industrial companies
6 to build a pilot modular nuclear generator;
7 (7) International practices of industrial energy generation;
8 (8) The impact on communities and populations affected; and
9 (9) Any needed state legislation, policies, or regulations.”; and

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11 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
12 accordingly.
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