

House File 2105 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act providing for a study of excess energy production by
2 electric power generating facilities.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. IOWA UTILITIES COMMISSION — EXCESS ENERGY
2 PRODUCTION — STUDY. The Iowa utilities commission shall conduct
3 a study that examines whether, during any certain time of day,
4 electric power generating facilities are on average producing
5 more energy than the amount necessary to provide electric service
6 to customers. If the commission finds that, during a certain
7 time of day, electric power generating facilities are on average
8 producing more energy than the amount necessary to provide
9 electric service to customers, the commission shall examine the
10 feasibility of providing the excess energy for free to residents
11 of Iowa at that certain time of the day for the purpose of
12 energy storage for individual consumption. The commission shall
13 submit a report detailing its findings and recommendations to the
14 general assembly on or before December 31, 2026.

15 EXPLANATION

16 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
17 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

18 This bill directs the Iowa utilities commission (commission)
19 to conduct a study that examines whether, during any certain
20 time of day, electric power generating facilities are on average
21 producing more energy than the amount necessary to provide
22 electric service to customers.

23 If the commission finds a certain time of day when electric
24 power generating facilities are on average producing more
25 energy than the amount necessary to provide electric service
26 to customers, the bill directs the commission to examine the
27 feasibility of providing the excess energy for free to residents
28 of Iowa at that certain time of the day for the purpose of energy
29 storage for individual consumption.

30 The bill requires the commission to submit a report detailing
31 its findings and recommendations to the general assembly on or
32 before December 31, 2026.