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S.F. No. 4373 – Smart Metering Gateway Device

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S.F. 4373 defines “electric utility” and “smart meter gateway device.”

The bill requires an electric utility that sells or provides electricity in Minnesota to get written consent from a person who owns a home or business before installing a smart meter gateway device on or in their home.

The bill requires the electric utility to create a form that allows a person to opt in to having a smart meter gateway device installed. The bill also requires electric utilities to disclose whether a smart meter gateway device has been installed and requires electric utilities to remove or allow removal of a smart meter gateway device at the request of the person who owns the home or business.