



S.F. No. 4504 – Energy, Utilities, Environment, and Climate Omnibus Bill (as amended by the A21)

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Section 1 [216B.2413; Plug-In Solar Photovoltaic Device] creates several exemptions for plug-in solar photovoltaic devices, including:

- (1) A requirement to enter into an interconnection agreement with an electric utility;
- (2) Net metering provisions under section 216B.164; and
- (3) Fees, conditions, required approval, or reporting requirement, except as specified, on its installation or operation.

An electric utility may require a customer to register a solar photovoltaic device and provide specific information.

Customers are required to install a plug-in solar photovoltaic device according to the manufacturer's installation instructions.

Section 2 (amends section 216C.02, subdivision 1) amends the partnerships the commissioner may enter into.

Section 3 (amends section 216C.05, subdivision 1) amends provisions related to energy security plans. Requires energy security plans to include:

- (1) All sources of regulated and unregulated energy;
- (2) A statewide risk assessment;
- (3) An all-hazards threat assessment;
- (4) Analysis of cross-sector critical infrastructure interdependencies;
- (5) Risk mitigation strategies; and
- (6) Multistate and regional coordination is in the public interest.

Section 4 (amends section 216C.377, subdivision 10) extends the application deadline for the solar for public buildings grant program.

Section 5 (amends section 216C.377, subdivision 13) extends the reporting deadline for the solar for public buildings grant program.

Section 6 (amends section 216C.391, subdivision 6) amends when reimbursements may cover cost sharing expenses.

Section 7 (amends section 216C.391, subdivision 7) makes technical changes to the reporting required under this section.

Section 8 (amends section 216C.441, subdivision 3) amends the authority of the Minnesota Climate Innovation Finance Authority (MNCIFA) to include borrowing money or other property for any purpose relating to MNCIFA's activities, and sell notes, mortgages, or other interest that secures a loan.

Section 9 (amends section 216C.441, subdivision 4) makes a technical change.

Section 10 (amends section 216C.441) provides limited liability for the state related to the notes, loans, or other interest entered into by MNCIFA.

Section 11 (amends section 216C.46, subdivision 3) amends provisions related to the Residential Heat Pump Program to align the statute with federal law.



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