

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Second Reading

BY REPRESENTATIVE Pico

1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 9, line 14, strike "portion and (3)(a)" and
2 substitute "portion, (3)(a), and (5)".

3 Page 9, after line 22 insert:

4 "(5) (a) The commission shall apply a THE SOCIAL cost of carbon
5 dioxide emissions AND THE SOCIAL COST OF RENEWABLES to the
6 nonenergy benefits for programs that are defined to be beneficial
7 electrification.

8 (b) AS USED IN THIS SUBSECTION (5) THE "SOCIAL COST OF
9 RENEWABLES":

10 (I) INCLUDES THE COST OF:

11 (A) EXTRACTION AND MINING OF RARE EARTH METALS;

12 (B) MANUFACTURE OF RENEWABLE ENERGY COMPONENTS;

13 (C) TRANSPORTATION OF COMPONENTS AND EQUIPMENT;

14 (D) THE DISPATCHABLE ENERGY NEEDED TO MANUFACTURE AND
15 TRANSPORT COMPONENTS AND BACK UP RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCES
16 WHEN WIND IS NOT BLOWING AND THE SUN IS NOT SHINING;

17 (E) THE RECYCLING AND DISPOSAL REQUIREMENTS FOR
18 REPLACEMENT OF WIND FARM AND SOLAR FARM FACILITIES;

19 (F) THE LOSS OF UNITED STATES ENERGY INDEPENDENCE; AND

20 (G) THE LOW-WAGE LABOR USED IN OTHER COUNTRIES TO
21 MANUFACTURE RENEWABLE ENERGY COMPONENTS; AND

22 (II) IS SET AT EIGHTY-TWO DOLLARS PER MEGAWATT HOUR."

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