

STATE OF KANSAS

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MR. CHAIRMAN:

I move to amend **Substitute for HB 2365**, on page 16, following line 19, by inserting:

"Sec. 51.

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

(a) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, in addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made from the public service regulation fund (143-00-2019-0100) for fiscal year 2018 by the above agency by section 60 of chapter 104 of the 2017 Session Laws of Kansas, this or other appropriation act of the 2018 regular session of the legislature, expenditures shall be made by the state corporation commission from the public service regulation fund for fiscal year 2018 for contractual services to open a docket and issue a final order prior to June 30, 2019, to conduct a study to determine the effectiveness of current rates and costs of investor-owned electric public utilities as defined in K.S.A. 66-101a, and amendments thereto, with findings and analysis upon: (1) The effectiveness of rate of return as the primary measure in evaluating current and proposed rate changes; (2) the impacts of electric transmission investments by such electric utilities; (3) rate and cost comparisons of such electric utilities and their retail sales impact; (4) the value that distributed energy provides to such electric utilities, customers that own distributed energy resources, the southwest power pool and general economic benefits to the state; (5) the potential impact of economic development rates on consumer sales; (6) the potential impact of energy efficiency and demand-side investments by such utilities on consumer bills; (7) any costs incurred by such utilities to build and operate vehicle charging stations and any associated costs incurred by ratepayers; and (8) any other policies or electric service issues deemed appropriate by the commission: *Provided*, That, notwithstanding the provisions of

K.S.A. 66-101, 66-117 or K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 66-1265, and amendments thereto, or any other statute, no expenditures shall be made by the state corporation commission from any special revenue fund or funds for fiscal year 2018 to issue any order that authorizes any investor-owned electric public utility as defined in K.S.A. 66-101a, and amendments thereto, to assess customer-generators as defined in K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 66-1264, and amendments thereto, any charge or fee that is not assessed for other customer classes, prior to the issuance of such final order required by this subsection.

Sec. 52.

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

(a) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, in addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made from the public service regulation fund (143-00-2019-0100) for fiscal year 2019 by the above agency by section 61 of chapter 104 of the 2017 Session Laws of Kansas, this or other appropriation act of the 2018 regular session of the legislature, expenditures shall be made by the state corporation commission from the public service regulation fund for fiscal year 2019 for contractual services to continue to review, analyze and issue a final order prior to June 30, 2019, and continue to study to determine the effectiveness of current rates and costs of investor-owned electric public utilities as defined in K.S.A. 66-101a, and amendments thereto, with findings and analysis upon those items listed in section 51(a): *Provided*, That, notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 66-101, 66-117 and K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 66-1265, and amendments thereto, or any other statute, no expenditures shall be made by the state corporation commission from any special revenue fund or funds for fiscal year 2019 to issue any order that authorizes any investor-owned electric public utility as defined in K.S.A. 66-101a, and amendments thereto, to assess a customer-generator as defined in K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 66-1264, and amendments thereto, any charge or fee that is not assessed on other customer classes, prior to the issuance of such final order required by this subsection.";

On page 77, in line 36, by striking "116" and inserting "118";

On page 78, in line 10, by striking "116" and inserting "118";

On page 79, in line 8, by striking "116" and inserting "118";

And by renumbering remaining sections accordingly

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