HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 2620

By COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND THE ENVIRONMENT

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On page 1 of the printed bill, line 4, delete "Section 2 of this 2007 Act is" and insert "Sections
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     2 and 3 of this 2007 Act are".
         In line 9, delete "one" and insert "1.5".
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         In line 10, after "appropriate" delete the rest of the line and delete lines 11 and 12 and insert
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     "solar energy technology in the public building. Solar energy technology shall include solar electric
     or solar thermal systems and may include passive solar energy systems when a proposed passive
     solar energy system will achieve a reduction in energy usage of at least 20 percent.".
         In line 15, delete "design and".
         In line 16, delete "and cost-effective".
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         In line 18, delete "design and".
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         In line 21, delete "or that it would".
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         In line 22, delete "not be cost-effective" and delete "design and".
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         In line 25, delete "one" and insert "1.5".
         In line 26, delete ", cost-effective" and delete "design and".
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         In line 27, delete "on" and insert "in".
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         On page 2, line 2, delete ", cost-effective" and delete "de-".
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         In line 3, delete "sign and".
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         After line 5, insert:
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         "(5) This section does not exempt an authorized state agency, as defined in ORS 276.905, from
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     complying with ORS 276.900 to 276.915, except that an authorized state agency, without complying
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     with ORS 276.900 to 276.915, may determine that solar energy technology described in this section
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     is appropriate for inclusion in the construction, reconstruction or major renovation of a public
     building.
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         "SECTION 3. Public improvement contracts subject to section 2 of this 2007 Act are also
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     subject to rules adopted by the State Department of Energy that include, but are not limited
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     to, requirements and specifications for:
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         "(1) Using particular solar energy systems or technologies in public improvements;
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         "(2) Determining the cost-effectiveness of solar energy systems or technologies; and
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         "(3) Reporting the use of solar energy systems or technologies in public improvements
     or submitting documents to the department for review, as appropriate.".
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         In line 6, delete "3" and insert "4".
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         In line 8, delete "design and".
         In line 11, delete "4" and insert "5".
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