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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 1110/2

from Ch. 96 1/2, par. 4102

Amends the Illinois Coal and Energy Development Bond Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning definitions.

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AN ACT concerning State government.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The Illinois Coal and Energy Development Bond
Act is amended by changing Section 2 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 1110/2) (from Ch. 96 1/2, par. 4102)

7 Sec. 2. As used in this Act, "coal" or "coal resources" 8 include coal, coal products or by-products, including 9 electricity and and synthetic fuels. "Development of fossil 10 fuels and coal resources" includes research, development, and demonstration of improved methods of discovery, production, 11 transportation, sale, distribution, conversion, utilization, 12 end-use and waste disposal of fossil fuels and coal resources. 13 14 "Development of alternative forms of energy" includes research, development and demonstration for the purposes of 15 16 promoting the adoption and utilization of energy systems, 17 including but not limited to solar heating and cooling, solar photovoltaic, wind, bioconversion, 18 passive, geothermal, 19 hydroelectric, re-use of waste energy, re-use of waste 20 materials, and any other energy system except that which is 21 generated by nuclear energy. "Fossil fuels" include petroleum, 22 petroleum by-products and natural gas.

23 (Source: P.A. 84-1452.)