



103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2023 and 2024

HB3156

Introduced 2/17/2023, by Rep. Bob Morgan

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

25 ILCS 130/8A-16 new

Amends the Legislative Commission Reorganization Act. Requires the Architect of the Capitol, in consultation with the Secretary of State, to conduct a study to determine what may be required to permanently reduce all carbon dioxide and co-pollutant emissions from the Capitol Complex Power Plant, as well as from boilers and other similar sources of those emissions in the legislative complex, to zero through unit retirement or the use of 100% green hydrogen or other similar technologies that are commercially proven to achieve zero carbon emissions. Provides that the study shall be completed no later than July 1, 2024 and shall include a date certain by which the Capitol Complex Power Plant shall be permanently decommissioned. Defines "green hydrogen". Repeals provisions on July 1, 2025.

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1 AN ACT concerning State government.

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

4 Section 5. The Legislative Commission Reorganization Act
5 of 1984 is amended by adding Section 8A-16 as follows:

6 (25 ILCS 130/8A-16 new)

7 Sec. 8A-16. Legislative complex energy transition. The
8 Architect of the Capitol, in consultation with the Secretary
9 of State, shall conduct a study to determine what may be
10 required to permanently reduce all carbon dioxide and
11 co-pollutant emissions from the Capitol Complex Power Plant,
12 as well as from boilers and other similar sources of those
13 emissions in the legislative complex, to zero through unit
14 retirement or the use of 100% green hydrogen, as defined in
15 Section 9.15 of the Environmental Protection Act, or other
16 similar technologies that are commercially proven to achieve
17 zero carbon emissions. This study shall be completed no later
18 than July 1, 2024 and shall include a date certain by which the
19 Capitol Complex Power Plant shall be permanently
20 decommissioned. This Section is repealed on July 1, 2025.