Senate

General Assembly

File No. 333

January Session, 2025

Senate Bill No. 1293

Senate, March 31, 2025

The Committee on Energy and Technology reported through SEN. NEEDLEMAN of the 33rd Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF ELECTRIC UTILITIES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection shall conduct a study concerning the operations, reliability, rates and regulatory oversight of electric utilities in the state. Not later than January 1, 2026, the commissioner shall submit a report, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to energy and technology.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	*from passage*	New section

ET *Joint Favorable*

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill requires the Commissioner of the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) to study various issues related to electric utilities. This is not anticipated to result in a fiscal impact as DEEP has the staff and expertise necessary to complete the study.

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State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

OLR Bill Analysis

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SUMMARY

The Office of Legislative Research does not analyze Special Acts.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Energy and Technology Committee

Joint Favorable
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