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Chair Lawrence, Chair Zeigler and Honorable People of the EUT Committee
I can only hope you will dispose of this bill, "LD 2099 An Act to Make Changes to Certain Laws Governing Renewable Energy Projects" - in a properly designated circular file, as it is simply another weaponization of a government agency to rip off the ratepayers of the two investor-owned electric delivery utilities.

Why would anyone pass off this ambiguous statement " if the commission finds that the use of ratepayer funds is reasonably likely to achieve net benefits to electric ratepayers." to the commission when everyone knows the sponsor of this bill is throwing a wink and a nod towards the GEO and others who consider raiding ratepayers of their money is the righteous thing to do. Hasn't the sponsor any respect for ratepayers? Is this the best statement to be made to sell this bill to the ratepayers? Being so lazy to not even explain in some minor detail what one means to achieve with this bill is the epitome of arrogance.

How many more government agencies known to have no engineering expertise or persuasive propaganda skills will be handed over ratepayer money to produce word salads in the name of saving the planet. Is mumble jumble the new verbal tool that is considered legislative doctrine?

The mockery of the ratepayers in this bill is pathetic. If this bill moves forward, the sponsor could become a wealthy man selling snowballs to eskimos. At least to eskimos regarded to the same extent as ratepayers are with this bill.

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