Florida Senate - 2007

By Senator Constantine

22-1749-07 1 A bill to be entitled 2 An act relating to reports of the Florida Energy Commission; amending s. 377.901, F.S.; 3 extending the deadline for filing the initial 4 5 report; authorizing the commission to make б recommendations regarding related economic, 7 energy, and environmental benefits; providing an effective date. 8 9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 10 11 12 Section 1. Subsection (6) of section 377.901, Florida 13 Statutes, is amended to read: 377.901 Florida Energy Commission.--14 (6)(a) The commission shall report by December 31 of 15 each year to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of 16 17 the House of Representatives on its progress and recommendations, including draft legislation. 18 (b) The commission's initial report must be filed by 19 February 1, 2008 December 31, 2007, and must identify 20 21 incentives for research, development, or deployment projects 22 involving the goals and issues set forth in this section; set 23 forth policy recommendations for conservation of all forms of energy; and set forth a plan of action, together with a 2.4 timetable, for addressing additional issues. 25 (c) The commission's initial report shall also 26 27 recommend consensus-based public-involvement processes that 2.8 evaluate greenhouse gas emissions in this state and the commission shall make recommendations regarding related 29 30 economic, energy, and environmental benefits. 31

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1	(d) The report must include recommended steps and a
2	schedule for the development of a comprehensive state climate
3	action plan with greenhouse gas reduction through a
4	public-involvement process, including transportation and land
5	use; power generation; residential, commercial, and industrial
б	activities; waste management; agriculture and forestry;
7	emissions-reporting systems; and public education.
8	Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a
9	law.
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13	Extends the deadline for the Florida Energy Commission to file its initial report. Authorizes the commission to
14	make recommendations regarding related economic, energy, and environmental benefits.
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