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A bill to be entitled 1 2 An act relating to regional planning; amending 3 s. 186.507, F.S.; enumerating energy planning 4 as a specific component that may be addressed 5 in a strategic regional policy plan; providing an effective date. 6 7 8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 9 Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 186.507, Florida 10 Statutes, 1998 Supplement, is amended to read: 11 12 186.507 Strategic regional policy plans.--(1) A strategic regional policy plan shall contain 13 regional goals and policies that shall address affordable 14 housing, economic development, emergency preparedness, natural 15 resources of regional significance, and regional 16 17 transportation, and that may address energy planning and any other subject that which relates to the particular needs and 18 19 circumstances of the comprehensive planning district as 20 determined by the regional planning council. Regional plans shall identify and address significant regional resources and 21 22 facilities. Regional plans shall be consistent with the state 23 comprehensive plan. Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a 24 25 law. 26 ********** 27 2.8 SENATE SUMMARY Specifies energy planning as an element that may be included in a strategic regional policy plan. 29 30 31