

Bill No. SB 1544



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CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u>	.	<u>House</u>
Comm: FAV	.	
3/13/2008	.	
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1 The Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation  
 2 (Dockery) recommended the following **amendment to amendment**  
 3 **(866008)** :

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between line(s) 1573 and 1574

7 insert:

9 Section 24. Subsection (1) of section 403.506, Florida  
 10 Statutes, is amended to read:

11 403.506 Applicability, thresholds, and certification.--

12 (1) The provisions of this act shall apply to any  
 13 electrical power plant as defined herein, except that the  
 14 provisions of this act shall not apply to any electrical power  
 15 plant ~~or steam generating plant~~ of less than 75 megawatts in



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16 gross capacity including its associated facilities ~~or to any~~  
17 ~~substation to be constructed as part of an associated~~  
18 ~~transmission line~~ unless the applicant has elected to apply for  
19 certification of such electrical power plant ~~or substation~~ under  
20 this act. The provisions of this act shall not apply to ~~any unit~~  
21 capacity expansions ~~expansion~~ of 75 ~~35~~ megawatts or less, in the  
22 aggregate, of an existing exothermic reaction cogeneration  
23 electrical generating facility ~~unit~~ that was exempt from this  
24 act when it was originally built; however, this exemption shall  
25 not apply if the unit uses oil or natural gas for purposes other  
26 than unit startup. No construction of any new electrical power  
27 plant or expansion in steam generating capacity as measured by  
28 an increase in the maximum electrical generator rating of any  
29 existing electrical power plant may be undertaken after October  
30 1, 1973, without first obtaining certification in the manner as  
31 herein provided, except that this act shall not apply to any  
32 such electrical power plant which is presently operating or  
33 under construction or which has, upon the effective date of  
34 chapter 73-33, Laws of Florida, applied for a permit or  
35 certification under requirements in force prior to the effective  
36 date of such act.

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38 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

39 And the title is amended as follows:

40       On line(s) 2097, after the second semicolon,  
41 insert:

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43 | amending s. 403.506, F.S.; revising the thresholds and  
44 | applicability standards of the Florida Electrical Power  
45 | Plant Siting Act; deleting a provision that exempts from  
46 | the act a steam generating plant; exempting from the act  
47 | the associated facilities of an electrical power plant;