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SOURCES AND ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEMS.

AMENDMENT

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OFA Fiscal Note

Potential Cost

The amendment strikes the underlying bill and its associated fiscal impact.

Section 1, which requires the Department of Administrative Services adoption of a fire propagation testing standard for residential battery energy storage systems, results in no fiscal cost to the state.

Section 2 allows the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) to establish a process to evaluate environmental impacts associated with the installation of various energy storage systems. This could result in a potential cost to DEEP. The cost would be dependent upon the process established by the agency.

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