

## State Corporation Commission 2009 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number:** HB2155

House of Origin	<u>X</u>	Introduced	<u>  </u>	Substitute	<u>  </u>	Engrossed
Second House	<u>  </u>	In Committee	<u>  </u>	Substitute	<u>  </u>	Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Toscano

**3. Committee:** Commerce and Labor

**4. Title:** Net energy metering.

**5. Summary:** Net energy metering. Requires an electric utility that purchases excess electricity generated by an eligible customer-generator under the net energy metering program pay for such electric power at a rate that is at least equal to the retail tariff rate that the customer-generator is charged for the electricity it buys from the utility. The maximum generation capacity for a nonresidential customer-generator is increased from 500 kilowatts to two megawatts. The measure also requires the State Corporation Commission to establish a program that will allow a customer with multiple, separately billed facilities located within a utility's service territory, one or more of which are eligible customer-generators, to aggregate the electricity consumption and generation of its participating facilities.

**6. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** Not available – See Item 8

**7. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No

**8. Fiscal Implications:** House Bill 2155 could potentially result in an insignificant reduction in utility consumption tax collections since electric utility billings could be slightly lower.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** None

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No

**11. Other Comments:** None

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