

**State Corporation Commission
2009 Fiscal Impact Statement**

1. Bill Number: HB2268

House of Origin X Introduced Substitute Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute Enrolled

2. Patron: Poindexter

3. Committee: Commerce and Labor

4. Title: **Definition of biomass.**

5. Summary: Definition of biomass. Defines biomass, for purposes of Chapter 23 of Title 56, as organic material, including materials that are within the scope of "biomass" in the existing section establishing a streamlined environmental permitting process for qualified energy generators, and (i) organic refuse-derived fuel, (ii) other industrial solid waste of an organic, non-hazardous nature; and (iii) unusable reject materials from recycling operations that are primarily of a cellulosic or lignin nature.

6. Fiscal Impact Estimates: No fiscal impact.

7. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

8. Fiscal Implications: None.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: No

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