

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chairman of Committee

February 13, 2012  
Date

Committee on Agriculture, Livestock, & Natural Resources.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB12-1160 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 2, line 3, strike "(C)" and substitute "(C); and
- 2 **add** (1) (a) (I.5)".
  
- 3 Page 2, line 26, strike "METHANE CAPTURED FROM ACTIVE AND INACTIVE
- 4 COAL MINES," and substitute "COAL MINE METHANE GAS,".
  
- 5 Page 3, before line 5, insert:
  
- 6 "(I.5) "COAL MINE METHANE GAS" MEANS THE GREENHOUSE GAS
- 7 METHANE CAPTURED FROM ACTIVE AND INACTIVE COAL MINES, WHERE IT
- 8 IS DETERMINED THAT THE METHANE IS ESCAPING TO THE ATMOSPHERE
- 9 AND UNDER THESE CIRCUMSTANCES FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS
- 10 PARAGRAPH (a) IS AN ELIGIBLE ENERGY RESOURCE."

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