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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 3441

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Energy and Climate Finance and Policy Division

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A bill for an act
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relating to energy; requiring natural gas utilities to respond to certain capacity
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inquiries; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 216B.
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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
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Section 1. **[216B.1639] GAS UTILITY CAPACITY INQUIRIES.**
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(a) A gas utility must respond to a capacity inquiry from a potential or existing retail
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customer within 72 hours of the time it receives the capacity inquiry.
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(b) For purposes of this section, "gas utility" has the meaning given in section 216B.1635,
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subdivision 1, paragraph (a).
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**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.