

1.1 A bill for an act

1.2 relating to energy; repealing ban on issuing certificate of need for construction
1.3 of new nuclear-powered electric generating plant; repealing Minnesota Statutes
1.4 2008, section 216B.243, subdivision 3b.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. **REPEALER.**

1.7 Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 216B.243, subdivision 3b, is repealed.

216B.243 CERTIFICATE OF NEED FOR LARGE ENERGY FACILITY.

Subd. 3b. **Nuclear power plant; new construction prohibited; relicensing.** (a) The commission may not issue a certificate of need for the construction of a new nuclear-powered electric generating plant.

(b) Any certificate of need for additional storage of spent nuclear fuel for a facility seeking a license extension shall address the impacts of continued operations over the period for which approval is sought.