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A bill for an act

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relating to energy; abolishing prohibition on issuing certificate of need for new

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nuclear power plant; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 216B.243,

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subdivision 3b.

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

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Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 216B.243, subdivision 3b, is amended to

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read:

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Subd. 3b. ~~Nuclear power plant; new construction prohibited; relicensing~~

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Additional storage of spent nuclear fuel. ~~(a) The commission may not issue a certificate~~

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~~of need for the construction of a new nuclear-powered electric generating plant.~~

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~~(b)~~ Any certificate of need for additional storage of spent nuclear fuel for a facility

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seeking a license extension shall address the impacts of continued operations over the

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period for which approval is sought.

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EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.