216B.72 QUALIFIED LARGE-SCALE DATA CENTER FEE.

(a) The commissioner must collect an annual fee from the qualified large-scale data center, on a schedule prescribed by the commissioner and deposited in the energy and conservation account established in section 216B.241, subdivision 2a.

(b) The fee is based on the qualified large-scale data center's peak demand the utility arranges to serve, reflecting the qualified large-scale data center's peak demand forecast provided to the utility, expressed in megawatts (MW), as follows:

Peak Demand	Fee
(1) 100 to 250 MW	$2,000,000
(2) above 250 MW but below 500 MW	$3,000,000
(3) 500 MW but below 750 MW	$4,000,000
(4) 750 MW or greater	$5,000,000

(c) The fee data collected under this section must be treated as nonpublic data, as defined under section 13.02, subdivision 9.

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