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SB 250 Data Centers

Explanation of Changes Version N to Version I

Page 3, lines 9-18 of Version I: Financial security language was added at the request of a public utility. This language provides that if furnishing service to a data center will require an electric or gas utility to incur capital investment costs in excess of a million dollars, a contract must require the data center provide financial security to the utility.

Page 4, lines 16-19 of Version I: New language requiring a data center to submit a water usage plan to a municipality detailing monthly water usage and wastewater discharge as a component of a community benefit agreement.

Page 5, lines 1-3 and Page 6, lines 7-9 of Version I: Decreases the size of a data center subject to the terms of the legislation, from 20 MW or 2 BCF of natural gas to 15 MW or 1.5 BCF of natural gas. Removed language applying 20 percent of a utility's total sales as a threshold for when a data center must meet the requirements of the bill. This was removed so small data centers on microgrids are not subject to the terms of the bill.

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