

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 703,
2 Page 45, Section 620.1958, Line 17, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

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4 "Section 1. 1. The department of agriculture may establish a biomass energy development
5 program designed to identify feasible technology to covert biomass to energy that may be
6 reasonably implemented in Missouri and provide additional value to Missouri agricultural products.

7 2. A person or business may submit a proposal to the department for a biomass energy
8 development pilot project. The department may establish by rule specifications and requirements for
9 biomass energy development pilot projects. The department may authorize a pilot project by
10 notifying the public service commission and the applicant.

11 3. If the department authorizes biomass energy development pilot projects under this
12 section, the department shall prepare a report annually evaluating the program and the authorized
13 projects.

14 4. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created
15 under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is
16 subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and
17 chapter 536 are nonseverable. and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to
18 chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently
19 held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after
20 August 28, 2016, shall be invalid and void."; and

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22 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
23 accordingly.
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