

**ASSEMBLY BILL 654 (LRB -3418)**

An Act to affect 2007 Wisconsin Act 20, section 9141 (1f); relating to: eliminating the study related to imposing local general property taxes on public utility property.

**2008**

01-03.	A.	Introduced by Representative <b>Honadel</b> ; cosponsored by Senator <b>Plale</b> .	
01-03.	A.	Read first time and referred to committee on Energy and Utilities .....	416
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02-13.	A.	Referred to committee on Rules .....	504
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02-26.	A.	Rules suspended .....	552
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03-06.	S.	Available for scheduling.	
03-11.	S.	Placed on calendar 3-12-2008 by committee on Senate Organization.	
03-12.	S.	Read a second time.	
03-12.	S.	Ordered to a third reading.	
03-12.	S.	Rules suspended.	
03-12.	S.	Read a third time and <b>concurred in</b> .	
03-12.	S.	Ordered immediately messaged.	
03-12.	A.	Received from Senate concurred in.	

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January 3, 2008 - Introduced by Representative HONADEL, cosponsored by Senator PLALE. Referred to Committee on Energy and Utilities.

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2 eliminating the study related to imposing local general property taxes on public  
3 utility property.

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### *Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

Under current law, no later than December 31, 2008, the Department of Revenue (DOR) must convene a study group to assess the feasibility of imposing local general property taxes on all property, other than production plants, of electric cooperatives, municipal utilities, and light, heat, and power companies and report its findings to the legislature no later than May 1, 2009. Under current law, generally, the property of a public utility is not subject to local general property taxes. This bill eliminates the requirement that DOR convene the study group.

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*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

4 SECTION 1. 2007 Wisconsin Act 20, section 9141 (1f) is repealed.

5 (END)