

**DRAFTER'S NOTE
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Sen. Decker:

This amendment uses the terms “fixed carbon” and “plasma gasification.” I did not create definitions for those terms, as they appear to have commonly understood scientific meanings. If necessary, the PSC can promulgate rules to interpret their meanings under s. 227.11 (2) (a), which allows a state agency to promulgate rules interpreting statutory provisions that it administers. If you want to limit the PSC’s authority over the meaning of the terms, you could create definition for the terms. Let me know if you want to add definitions.

Also, please note that the proposed Clean Energy Jobs Act may negate the changes made by this amendment. Therefore, you should monitor the changes made by that proposed act to ensure that it is amended in a way that accomplishes your intent.

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