

HOUSE BILL No. 2034

By Committee on Energy and Utilities

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9 AN ACT concerning utilities; relating to greenhouse gas emissions.

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11 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

12 Section 1. (a) As used in this section, “public utility” means an elec-
13 tric public utility, as defined in K.S.A. 66-101a, and amendments thereto,
14 but does not include any municipally owned or operated electric utility.

15 (b) Each public utility shall develop, or work with regional or local
16 organizations to develop, and implement a voluntary conservation pro-
17 gram to assist businesses and institutions in: (1) Inventorying and assess-
18 ing the emissions of greenhouse gases from purchased electricity, heat or
19 steam and, where feasible, indirect emissions from activities of the busi-
20 ness or institution; and (2) developing methods and practices to reduce
21 such emissions while taking into consideration the economic impact of
22 such methods and practices.

23 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
24 publication in the statute book.