

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2019 and 2020 HB1137

by Rep. Michael J. Madigan

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

220 ILCS 15/1

from Ch. 96 1/2, par. 5501

Amends the Gas Storage Act. Makes a technical change in a Section relating to condemnation of property.

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1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Gas Storage Act is amended by changing Section 1 as follows:
- 6 (220 ILCS 15/1) (from Ch. 96 1/2, par. 5501)
- 7 Sec. 1. Any corporation which is engaged in or desires to 8 engage in, the the distribution, transportation or storage of 9 natural gas or manufactured gas, which gas, in whole or in part, is intended for ultimate distribution to the public in 10 the State of Illinois, if the said business of such corporation 11 is regulated or subject to regulation under either the laws of 12 the State of Illinois or the laws of the United States, shall 13 14 have the right to enter upon, take or damage private property or any interest therein, in the manner provided for by the law 15 of eminent domain, necessary or convenient for its said 16 17 operations, including the storage of gas, all of which operations are hereby recognized and declared to be affected 18 19 with a public interest and all of the property used in which 20 operations is hereby recognized and declared to be devoted to 21 public use.
- 22 (Source: Laws 1951, p. 395.)