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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 165

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 165 by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The University of Illinois Act is amended by  
5 adding Section 120 as follows:

6 (110 ILCS 305/120 new)

7 Sec. 120. Carbon capture, utilization, and storage report.

8 (a) Subject to appropriation, the Prairie Research  
9 Institute at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign,  
10 in consultation with an intergovernmental advisory committee,  
11 must file a report on the potential for carbon capture,  
12 utilization, and storage as a clean energy technology  
13 throughout Illinois with the Governor and the General Assembly  
14 no later than December 31, 2022. The report must provide an  
15 assessment of Illinois subsurface storage resources, state of  
16 readiness, and provide recommendations for policy and

1 regulatory needs at the State level based on its findings, and  
2 shall, at a minimum, address all the following areas:

3 (1) carbon capture, utilization, and storage current  
4 status and future storage resource potential in the State.  
5 Enhanced Oil Recovery shall remain outside the scope of  
6 this study;

7 (2) procedures, standards, and safeguards for the  
8 storage of carbon dioxide;

9 (3) permitting processes and the coordination with  
10 applicable federal law or regulatory commissions,  
11 including the Class VI injection well permitting process;

12 (4) economic impact, job creation, and job retention  
13 from carbon capture, utilization, and storage that both  
14 protects the environment and supports short-term and  
15 long-term economic growth;

16 (5) development of knowledge capacity of appropriate  
17 State agencies and stakeholders;

18 (6) environmental justice and stakeholder issues  
19 related to carbon capture, utilization, and storage  
20 throughout the State;

21 (7) leveraging federal policies and public-private  
22 partnerships for research, design, and development to  
23 benefit the State;

24 (8) liability for the storage and monitoring  
25 maintenance of the carbon dioxide after the completion of  
26 a carbon capture, utilization, and storage project;

1           (9) acquisition, ownership, and amalgamation of pore  
2           space for carbon capture, utilization, and storage; and

3           (10) methodologies to establish any necessary fees,  
4           costs, or offsets.

5           (b) In developing the report under this Section, the  
6           Prairie Research Institute shall form an advisory committee,  
7           which shall be composed of all the following members:

8           (1) the Director of the Environmental Protection  
9           Agency, or his or her designee;

10           (2) the Director of Natural Resources, or his or her  
11           designee;

12           (3) the Director of Commerce and Economic Opportunity,  
13           or his or her designee;

14           (4) the Director of the Illinois Emergency Management  
15           Agency, or his or her designee;

16           (5) the Director of Agriculture, or his or her  
17           designee;

18           (6) the Attorney General, or his or her designee;

19           (7) one member of the Senate, appointed by the  
20           President of the Senate;

21           (8) one member of the House of Representatives,  
22           appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;

23           (9) one member of the Senate, appointed by the  
24           Minority Leader of the Senate; and

25           (10) one member of the House of Representatives,  
26           appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of

1       Representatives.

2       (c) No later than 60 days after the effective date of this  
3 amendatory Act of the 102nd General Assembly, the advisory  
4 committee shall hold its first meeting at the call of the  
5 Executive Director of the Prairie Research Institute, at which  
6 meeting the members shall select a chairperson from among  
7 themselves. After its first meeting, the committee shall meet  
8 at the call of the chairperson. Members of the committee shall  
9 serve without compensation. The Prairie Research Committee  
10 shall provide administrative support to the committee.

11       (d) The Prairie Research Institute shall also engage with  
12 interested stakeholders throughout the State to gain insights  
13 into socio-economic perspectives from environmental justice  
14 organizations, environmental non-governmental organizations,  
15 industry, landowners, farm bureaus, manufacturing, labor  
16 unions, and others.

17       (e) This Section is repealed on January 1, 2023.

18       Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
19 becoming law.".