

# HB4854



## 103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2023 and 2024

**HB4854**

Introduced 2/7/2024, by Rep. Tony M. McCombie

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 3855/1-131 new

Amends the Illinois Power Agency Act. Provides that the Illinois Commerce Commission, in consultation with the Illinois Power Agency, shall develop standards and guidelines to prohibit any Illinois ratepayer funds from being used by the Agency for the procurement of solar panels that are not manufactured or assembled by a company located in North America under the Agency's long-term renewable resources procurement plan.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning State government.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Power Agency Act is amended by  
5 adding Section 1-131 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 3855/1-131 new)

7 Sec. 1-131. Prohibition on procurement of solar panels not  
8 manufactured in North America. No later than 180 days after  
9 the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 103rd General  
10 Assembly, the Illinois Commerce Commission, in consultation  
11 with the Agency, shall develop standards and guidelines to  
12 prohibit any Illinois ratepayer funds, as collected under  
13 Section 16-108 of the Public Utilities Act, from being used by  
14 the Agency for the procurement of solar panels that are not  
15 manufactured or assembled by a company located in North  
16 America under the Agency's long-term renewable resources  
17 procurement plan.