

## **State Corporation Commission 2024 Session Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** SB191

**House of Origin**     Introduced     Substitute     Engrossed  
**Second House**     In Committee     Substitute     Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Subramanyam

**3. Committee:** Rules

**4. Title:** Electric utilities; data center demand; allocation of costs among customer classes.

**5. Summary:** Directs the State Corporation Commission to ensure that any plan, petition, or proposal from a utility to meet demand associated with data centers considers generation, transmission, and distribution system costs so as to meet such demand at the lowest aggregate reasonable cost.

The bill also directs the Commission to initiate a proceeding, on or before December 31, 2024, (i) to determine if the current allocation of costs among customers and the different classifications of customers of electric utilities results in customers that are data centers receiving unreasonable subsidies from other customers or classifications of customers and (ii) if it determines unreasonable subsidies exist, to amend such allocation of costs.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** None. See Item 8.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** No fiscal impact to the State Corporation Commission. The State Corporation Commission can manage the anticipated work with existing staff and resources.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** State Corporation Commission

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** None

**11. Other Comments:** No