

FIRST REGULAR SESSION  
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR  
**HOUSE BILL NO. 679**  
**94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

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Reported from the Special Committee on Rural Community Development March 14, 2007 with recommendation that House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 679 Do Pass. Referred to the Committee on Rules pursuant to Rule 25(21)(f).

D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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**AN ACT**

To amend chapter 386, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to duties of the public service commission.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 386, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be  
2 known as section 386.311, to read as follows:

**386.311. For any application for approval for the construction of any new electric  
2 plant, the commission shall consider any existing planning and zoning plans and building  
3 codes governing the area in which the electric plant is to be constructed before approving  
4 the final location of such electric plant. Before approval is granted, the commission shall  
5 hold at least one public hearing on the application in the county in which the electric plant  
6 is to be constructed, and such hearing shall be held in the city, town, or village closest to  
7 the proposed location of the electric plant.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.