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A BILL FOR

1 An Act providing for a strategic plan relating to the
2 implementation or expansion of renewable energy usage in
3 state buildings and facilities.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES STRATEGIC
2 PLAN — RENEWABLE ENERGY USAGE IN STATE BUILDINGS AND
3 FACILITIES. The department of administrative services shall
4 develop a strategic plan regarding the feasibility, timeline,
5 and costs of implementing or expanding renewable energy usage
6 in state buildings and facilities. The strategic plan shall
7 give precedence to the implementation or expansion of renewable
8 energy usage in state buildings and facilities with the
9 highest annual energy usage, as identified by the department.
10 The department shall submit a report on the strategic plan,
11 including any recommendations, to the general assembly by
12 January 1, 2020.

13 EXPLANATION

14 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
15 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

16 This bill requires the department of administrative
17 services (DAS) to develop a strategic plan regarding the
18 implementation or expansion of renewable energy usage in state
19 buildings and facilities. The plan shall give precedence to
20 the implementation or expansion of renewable energy usage in
21 buildings and facilities with the highest annual energy usage.
22 The DAS shall submit a report on the plan, including any
23 recommendations, to the general assembly by January 1, 2020.