

Section of SB7 relevant to Energy Efficiency

163-16 **Sec. 39.905. GOAL FOR ENERGY EFFICIENCY.** (a) It is the
163-17 goal of the legislature that:

163-18 (1) electric utilities will administer energy savings
163-19 incentive programs in a market-neutral, nondiscriminatory manner
163-20 but will not offer underlying competitive services;

163-21 (2) all customers, in all customer classes, have a
163-22 choice of and access to energy efficiency alternatives and other
163-23 choices from the market that allow each customer to reduce energy
163-24 consumption and reduce energy costs; and

163-25 (3) each electric utility will provide, through
163-26 market-based standard offer programs or limited, targeted,
164-1 market-transformation programs, incentives sufficient for retail
164-2 electric providers and competitive energy service providers to
164-3 acquire additional cost-effective energy efficiency equivalent to
164-4 at least 10 percent of the electric utility's annual growth in
164-5 demand.

164-6 (b) The commission shall provide oversight and adopt rules
164-7 and procedures, as necessary, to ensure that the goal of this
164-8 section is achieved by January 1, 2004.