

BILL SUMMARY
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Bill No.:	HB3917
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Impact:	Potential Net Revenue Generator

Research Analysis

HB 3917, as introduced, defines a *large load data center* as a facility that:

- Primarily stores, manages, and processes digital data;
- Is used to house computer and network systems, including the following associated components:
 - Servers;
 - Network equipment and appliances;
 - Telecommunications;
 - Data storage systems;
 - Systems for monitoring and managing infrastructure performance;
 - Internet-related equipment and services;
 - Data communications connections;
 - Environmental controls;
 - Fire protection systems; and
 - Security systems and services.
- Requires, or is projected to require, a monthly demand of at least fifty (50) megawatts.

This measure requires a public utility that provides electric services to large load data centers to file with the Corporation Commission an updated schedule of tariffs for approval including a surcharge for large load data center customers applied during periods of peak demand on the electrical grid.

This measure creates in the State Treasury a revolving fund for the Oklahoma Corporation Commission designated as the *Grid Modernization Revolving Fund*. This is a continuing fund not subject to fiscal year limitations and consisting of monies received from the surcharge collected from public utilities pursuant to this act. The Corporation Commission is authorized to use all monies accruing to the credit of the fund for the purpose of modernizing the state's electric grid.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 3917 requires that public utilities that service large load data center customers to implement a surcharge to those customers to be applied during periods of peak demand on the electrical grid. The proceeds collected from this surcharge would be transferred to the Oklahoma Corporation Commission for deposit to the Grid Modernization Revolving Fund, also created in this measure. Thus, any funds collected from the implementation of this measure would be seen

as a net revenue positive to state budgetary resources. As written, the Corporation Commission does not anticipate any fiscal impact as a result of this measure at this time.

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Other Considerations

None.

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