

**Bill Summary**  
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**Bill Analysis**

SB 1510 requires the owner of a wind energy facility to, when decommissioning the property, restore the property to the condition of the property prior to the establishment of the wind energy facility. The measure also specifies that the surety bond for a wind energy facility must be underwritten by surety companies listed as certified insurers acceptable as sureties and reinsurers on federal bonds as published in the Federal Register, Treasury Circular 570, latest revision. Solar facilities must also use such insurers and must ensure the financial assurance is equal to 125% of the estimate of the total cost of decommissioning.

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