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Abstract: Creates the Solar Storage Initiative Program to make solar and battery storage systems accessible to households and critical facilities in low-income areas.

<u>Proposed law</u> creates the Solar Storage Initiative Program to provide rebates for the use of integrated solar and battery storage systems during power outages in order to make them accessible to eligible households and critical facilities.

Proposed law defines "battery energy storage system", "critical facilities", and "solar photovoltaic".

<u>Proposed law</u> grants LED the authority to administer the Solar Storage Initiative Program and to promulgate rules necessary for its administration.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires that eligible households and critical facilities be located in low-income communities, communities, of color, or environmental justice communities.

(Adds R.S. 51:3215-3218)