

# ACT No. 452

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 835

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCFARLAND

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:1622(3)(b), relative to electric vehicle charging technology and equipment networks; to provide for legislative intent; to urge certain actions of the Public Service Commission; to provide for certain definition exclusions; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 45:1622(3)(b) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§1622. Purpose; legislative intent

The Louisiana Legislature hereby finds it necessary and in the best interest of the state to promote rapid development of a statewide electric vehicle charging network by doing all of the following:

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(3) Urging the Louisiana Public Service Commission to explore excluding persons or corporations from the definition of public utility when all of the following occur:

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(b) Those persons or corporations furnish electricity exclusively to charge battery electric vehicles and plug-in hybrid electric vehicles to or for the public for compensation, or those persons or corporations furnish electricity exclusively to charge marine vessels, vessel-mounted charging or power delivery power points, or

CODING: Words in ~~struck through~~ type are deletions from existing law; words underscored are additions.

1            on-shore charging or power delivery power points that are primarily for the use of  
2            marine vessels.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_