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Representative Lefebvre of Newark moves that the report of the Committee on Natural Resources and Energy be amended in Sec. 6, 24 V.S.A. § 4352, after subsection (i) (Commissioner; consultation), by inserting a subsection (j) to read:

(j) Capacity needs of planning area. Notwithstanding any contrary provision of this section, a determination of whether a municipal or regional plan meets the requirements of subsection (c) of this section shall include consideration of:

(1) the capacity and energy produced by electric generation facilities already sited in the area to which the plan applies;

(2) the amount of that capacity and energy produced by renewable electric generation; and

(3) the relationship of the capacity and energy described in subdivisions (1) and (2) of this subsection to the area's peak demand and average energy consumption.