

**Amendment to Title XII
Offered by Mr. Green of Texas**

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Disposition:	<u>Agreed to by WV</u>

At the end of title XII, insert the following new subtitle and make the necessary and conforming changes in the table of contents:

SUBTITLE K—ECONOMIC DISPATCH

SEC. 1298. ECONOMIC DISPATCH.

Part II of the Federal Power Act (16 U.S.C. 824 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the following:

JOINT BOARD ON ECONOMIC DISPATCH -

- A. In general -- The Commission shall convene a joint board pursuant to section 209 of the Federal Power Act to study the issue of security constrained economic dispatch for a market region.
- B. Membership - The Commission shall request each state to nominate a representative for such joint board.
- C. Powers - The board's sole authority shall be to consider issues relevant to what constitutes "security constrained economic dispatch" and how such a mode of operating an electric energy system affects or enhances the reliability and affordability of service to customers.
- D. Report to the Congress - The board shall issue a report on these matters within one year of enactment of this Act, including any consensus recommendations for statutory or regulatory reform.