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LEGISLATIVE BILL 636

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Committee: Natural Resources

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to political subdivisions; to prohibit
- 2 restrictions on the provision of certain energy services as
- 3 prescribed; and to provide an exception.
- 4 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

- 1 Section 1. (1) No county, city, village, or other political
- 2 <u>subdivision of the state shall enact or implement any ordinance, code,</u>
- 3 resolution, rule, regulation, or policy that restricts, prohibits, or has
- 4 the effect of restricting or prohibiting the types or fuel sources of
- 5 energy which may be used, delivered, converted, or supplied by the
- 6 following entities to serve customers that such entities are authorized
- 7 to serve:
- 8 (a) A natural gas utility;
- 9 <u>(b) A natural gas transmission company; or</u>
- 10 (c) A retail marketer or dispenser of propane.
- 11 (2) This section does not apply to ordinances, codes, resolutions,
- 12 <u>rules, regulations, or policies:</u>
- 13 (a) Governing a natural gas utility owned or operated and directly
- 14 <u>controlled by a city or village; or</u>
- (b) Regulating a retail marketer or dispenser of propane.