

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 1285

96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES HIGDON (Sponsor), COX, SCHAD,
FITZWATER AND KLIPPENSTEIN (Co-sponsors).

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapter 578, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to unauthorized meter reading, with a penalty provision.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 578, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 578.650, to read as follows:

**578.650. Any person who uses a device to read electric usage off of a meter without
2 the consent of the homeowner shall be guilty of a class D felony.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.