## SENATE BILL 12

## 53RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2018

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AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES; AUTHORIZING A PUBLIC UTILITY TO CONVEY TITLE TO A COAL-FIRED POWER PLANT TO ANOTHER ENTITY FOR ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00); EXEMPTING THE CONVEYANCE FROM THE PUBLIC REGULATION COMMISSION'S JURISDICTION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

**SECTION 1.** A new section of the Public Utility Act is enacted to read:

"[NEW MATERIAL] CONVEYANCE OF COAL-FIRED POWER PLANT FOR
ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00)--EXEMPTION FROM COMMISSION JURISDICTION.--A
public utility that intends to abandon a coal-fired power plant
may convey title to the coal-fired power plant to another
entity for one dollar (\$1.00); provided that the entity to whom
the coal-fired power plant is conveyed shall use all or part of
the power plant's infrastructure for energy production or

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distribution. A conveyance pursuant to this section shall not be subject to the jurisdiction of the commission."

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