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Proposed law provides for the following definitions:

- (1) "Commission" means the La. Public Service Commission.
- (2) "Utility or utility service provider" means either:
 - (a) Any person, public or private, subject to the general jurisdiction of the commission pursuant to the Constitution of Louisiana who provides electric or gas services to consumers in this state.
 - (b) Any person, public or private, who provides electric, water, telecommunication, gas, cable or internet service within this state.
- (3) "Eligible customer" means any person that has a written service agreement with a utility service provider.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that all utility service providers, who provides, gas electric, water, telecommunication, gas, cable or internet service in this state shall issue a credit to all customers who experience an outage of utility service for longer than 24 hours.

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