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Abstract: Authorizes the Louisiana Public Service Commission (LPSC) to adjust the fuel adjustment charge of an electric utility.

<u>Present law</u> provides for an electric utility's use of an authorized fuel adjustment clause to recoup from rate-paying customers the ongoing, actual costs of fuel and energy generation. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u>.

To ensure just and reasonable fuel adjustment charges to rate-paying customers, <u>proposed law</u> authorizes the LPSC to adjust the fuel adjustment charge of an electric utility that assesses recoupment charges through operation of an authorized fuel adjustment clause.

(Adds R.S. 45:1163.2(G))