1st Sub. H.C.R. 9 CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING RURAL DEVELOPMENT OF WIND, SOLAR, AND GEOTHERMAL ENERGY

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 2

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Representative Michael E. Noel proposes the following amendments:

- 1. Page 3, Lines 55 through 62:
 - NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of the state of Utah, the
 - 56 Governor concurring therein, supports rural development of wind, solar, and geothermal energy
 - 57 resources within Utah as a complement to Utah's diversified energy system, so that Utah's rural
 - 58 communities can take an active part in and receive the benefits of Utah's economic
 - 59 development.

<u>BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature and the Governor support wind, solar, and geothermal energy development on lands managed by the Bureau of Land Management and the Forest Service, which lands constitute the majority of lands in rural Utah, and ask those agencies to actively support wind, solar, and geothermal energy development, including transmission line approvals.</u>

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature and the Governor oppose any federal land designation -- including Antiquities Act designations, ACEC designations, and resource management plan designations, among other designations -- in rural Utah that would prohibit wind, solar, and geothermal energy development on federally managed land in the state.

- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislature and the Governor support the
- 61 export of Utah-produced wind, solar, and geothermal energy to other states in the West through
- 62 participation in centralized and bilateral energy markets.