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A Local Law to direct the mayor's office of sustainability to study the feasibility of different types of renewable energy sources combined with battery storage are practical on Rikers Island.

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. The Director of the Mayors' Office of Sustainability, or such other agency or city official as the mayor shall designate, shall conduct a feasibility study to evaluate the economic costs, value, rate of return and sustainability of constructing renewable energy sources combined with battery storage facilities on Rikers Island. Within 12 months after this local law takes, the Director, or other agency or official designated by the mayor, shall submit a feasibility report including findings and recommendations to the mayor and the speaker of the council and such report shall be made publicly available on the city's website.

§ 2. This local law takes effect immediately upon enactment and expires and is deemed repealed after the submission of the report due.

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