HOUSE BILL NO. HB0231

Net metering amendments.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Yin, Lindholm, Roscoe, Salazar and Zwonitzer and Senator(s) Rothfuss

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for

1 AN ACT relating to net metering; amending the definition of

2 net metering; providing that an electric utility may

3 authorize a customer-generator to use a net metering system

4 with a generating capacity of greater than twenty-five

5 kilowatts; and providing for an effective date.

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7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

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9 **Section 1.** W.S. 37-16-101(a)(viii)(B) and (E) and

10 37-16-102 by creating a new subsection (b) are amended to

11 read:

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13 **37-16-101.** Definitions.

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1 (a) As used in this chapter unless the context or a 2 specific article otherwise requires: 3 4 (viii) "Net metering system" means a facility for the production of electrical energy that: 5 6 7 (B) Has a generating capacity of not more 8 than twenty-five (25) kilowatts, except as otherwise provided by W.S. 37-16-102(b); 9 10 11 (E) Is intended primarily to offset part or 12 all of the customer-generator's requirements for electricity, including electricity demands from premises owned or 13 controlled by the customer-generator but not co-located with 14 the facility. 15 16 17 37-16-102. Electric utility requirements; electric utility authorizations. 18 19 20 (b) An electric utility may authorize a 21 customer-generator to use a net metering system that has a generating capacity of more than twenty-five (25) kilowatts. 22

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1 Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2019.

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