

SF0092

Small customer electrical generation.

Sponsored By: Senator(s) Case

AN ACT relating to net metering; revising how net metering compensation applies to small customer-generators that are first operational after a specified date; authorizing the public service commission to authorize a different calculation of net energy if energy is being subsidized by other customers; making conforming changes; requiring rulemaking; repealing an obsolete provision; and providing for an effective date.

1/11/2023 Bill Number Assigned

1/11/2023 S Received for Introduction

1/11/2023 S Introduced and Referred to S07 - Corporations

1/26/2023 S07 - Corporations: Recommend Amend and Do Pass 3-2-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Case, Landen, Scott

Nays: Senator(s) Barlow, Boner

Ayes 3 Nays 2 Excused 0 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

1/26/2023 S Placed on General File

SF0092SS001/ADOPTED

Page 4-line 21 Delete "January 1, 2034" and insert "July 1, 2039".

Page 5-line 3 Delete all new language. LANDON, ACTING CHAIRMAN

1/26/2023 S COW: Passed

1/27/2023 S 2nd Reading:Passed

SF0092S3001/ADOPTED

Page 2-line 1 Delete "subsection (b)" and insert "subsections (b) and (c)".

Page 2-after line 18 Insert:

- "(c) Any cooperative electric utility that is exempt from retail rate regulation by the public service commission under chapter 17, title 37 of the Wyoming statutes shall not be subject to subsection (b) of this section and the board of directors of a cooperative electric utility shall, not later than April 1, 2024, adopt rates, terms and conditions to compensate small customergenerators that are first operational on or after July 1, 2024 and any cooperative electric utility shall comply with the following:
- (i) Give written notice to all of its member owners, not less than thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of the cooperative's initial rates, terms and conditions regarding compensation of small customer-generators and of the effective date of any subsequent change to the rates, terms and conditions, including procedures for the cooperative's member owners to comment on proposed rates;
- (ii) Rates, terms and conditions adopted by a cooperative electric utility in accordance with this subsection shall be filed with the commission; and

(iii) Be subject to the complaint, investigation and resolution process pursuant to W.S. 37-17-104(d) and (e) regarding the rates, terms and conditions adopted by the board to compensate small customer-generators.

Page 7-line 5

After "2024." insert "Any cooperative electric utility that is exempt from retail rate regulation by the public service commission under chapter 17, title 37 of the Wyoming statutes shall adopt rates, terms and conditions to compensate small customer-generators as provided in W.S. 37-16-105(c) not later than April 1,

2024." CASE

SF0092S3002/ADOPTED (CORRECTED COPY)
Page 2-line 16 Delete "prevent rate".

Page 2-line 17 Delete entirely.

Page 2-line 18 Delete entirely and insert "provide for just and

reasonable rates, terms and conditions.". ROTHFUSS

1/30/2023 S 3rd Reading: Passed 18-11-1-0-1

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Biteman, Brennan, Case, Cooper, Dockstader, Ellis, French, Furphy, Gierau, Hicks, Jones, Kolb, Landen, Rothfuss, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz

Nays: Senator(s) Baldwin, Barlow, Boner, Bouchard, Hutchings, Ide, Kinskey, Laursen, Pappas, President Driskill, Salazar

Excused: Senator Mckeown

Conflicts: Senator Nethercott

Ayes 18 Nays 11 Excused 1 Absent 0 Conflicts 1

1/30/2023 H Received for Introduction

2/14/2023 H Introduced and Referred to H06 - Travel

2/24/2023 H No report prior to CoW Cutoff

2/24/2023 H:Died in Committee Returned Bill Pursuant to HR 5-4