



General Assembly

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**Raised Bill No. 6983**

LCO No. 4723



Referred to Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Introduced by:  
(ET)

**AN ACT CONCERNING AGRICULTURAL CUSTOMERS AND VIRTUAL NET METERING.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subdivision (3) of subsection (a) of section 16-244u of the  
2 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
3 thereof (*Effective July 1, 2015*):

4 (3) "Agricultural customer host" means an in-state retail end user of  
5 an electric distribution company that uses electricity for the purpose of  
6 agriculture, as defined in subsection (q) of section 1-1, owns, leases or  
7 enters into a long-term contract for an agricultural virtual net metering  
8 facility and participates in agricultural virtual net metering;

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2015</i>	16-244u(a)(3)
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**Statement of Purpose:**

To allow agricultural customers to lease or enter into long-term contracts for an agricultural virtual net metering facility.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*