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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 573

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"AN ACT CONCERNING VARIABLE ELECTRIC RATES."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. Subsection (g) of section 16-245o of the general statutes is
4 amended by adding subdivision (4) as follows (*Effective from passage*):

5 (NEW) (4) On and after October 1, 2015, no electric supplier shall
6 (A) enter into a contract to charge a residential customer a variable rate
7 for electric generation services; or (B) automatically renew or cause to
8 be automatically renewed a contract with a residential customer and,

9 pursuant to such contract, charge such customer a variable rate for
10 electric generation services.

11 Sec. 2. Section 16-245o of the general statutes is amended by adding
12 subsections (n) and (o) as follows (*Effective from passage*):

13 (NEW) (n) As used in this section, "residential customer" means a
14 customer who contracts with an electric supplier for generation
15 services at residential premises for domestic purposes only.

16 (NEW) (o) On or before October 1, 2015, the Public Utilities
17 Regulatory Authority shall initiate a proceeding to develop
18 recommendations and guidance regarding (1) what type of generation
19 services rate structure is best suited for residential customers who
20 allow a fixed contract with an electric supplier to expire and begin
21 paying a month-to-month rate for generation services from such
22 supplier; and (2) what rate increase is just and reasonable if a
23 generation services rate increase is necessary after the expiration of a
24 fixed contract and such customer begins paying a month-to-month
25 rate. The authority shall report, in accordance with the provisions of
26 section 11-4a of the general statutes, the findings of such proceeding to
27 the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having
28 cognizance of matters relating to energy, on or before January 1, 2016."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	16-245o(g)
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	16-245o