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Referred to Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Introduced by:
(ET)

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARD
FOR CLASS II RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES.**

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

1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 16-245a of the general statutes is
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*
3 *passage*):

4 (a) Subject to any modifications required by the Public Utilities
5 Regulatory Authority for retiring renewable energy certificates on
6 behalf of all electric ratepayers pursuant to subsection (h) of this
7 section and sections 16a-3f, 16a-3g, 16a-3h, 16a-3i, 16a-3j and 16a-3m,
8 an electric supplier and an electric distribution company providing
9 standard service or supplier of last resort service, pursuant to section
10 16-244c, shall demonstrate:

11 (1) On and after January 1, 2006, that not less than two per cent of
12 the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
13 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources
14 and an additional three per cent of the total output or services shall be
15 from Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

16 (2) On and after January 1, 2007, not less than three and one-half per
17 cent of the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
18 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources
19 and an additional three per cent of the total output or services shall be
20 from Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

21 (3) On and after January 1, 2008, not less than five per cent of the
22 total output or services of any such supplier or distribution company
23 shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources and an
24 additional three per cent of the total output or services shall be from
25 Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

26 (4) On and after January 1, 2009, not less than six per cent of the
27 total output or services of any such supplier or distribution company
28 shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources and an
29 additional three per cent of the total output or services shall be from
30 Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

31 (5) On and after January 1, 2010, not less than seven per cent of the
32 total output or services of any such supplier or distribution company
33 shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources and an
34 additional three per cent of the total output or services shall be from
35 Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

36 (6) On and after January 1, 2011, not less than eight per cent of the
37 total output or services of any such supplier or distribution company
38 shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources and an
39 additional three per cent of the total output or services shall be from
40 Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

41 (7) On and after January 1, 2012, not less than nine per cent of the
42 total output or services of any such supplier or distribution company
43 shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources and an
44 additional three per cent of the total output or services shall be from
45 Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

46 (8) On and after January 1, 2013, not less than ten per cent of the

47 total output or services of any such supplier or distribution company
48 shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources and an
49 additional three per cent of the total output or services shall be from
50 Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

51 (9) On and after January 1, 2014, not less than eleven per cent of the
52 total output or services of any such supplier or distribution company
53 shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources and an
54 additional three per cent of the total output or services shall be from
55 Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

56 (10) On and after January 1, 2015, not less than twelve and one-half
57 per cent of the total output or services of any such supplier or
58 distribution company shall be generated from Class I renewable
59 energy sources and an additional three per cent of the total output or
60 services shall be from Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

61 (11) On and after January 1, 2016, not less than fourteen per cent of
62 the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
63 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources
64 and an additional three per cent of the total output or services shall be
65 from Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

66 (12) On and after January 1, 2017, not less than fifteen and one-half
67 per cent of the total output or services of any such supplier or
68 distribution company shall be generated from Class I renewable
69 energy sources and an additional three per cent of the total output or
70 services shall be from Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

71 (13) On and after January 1, 2018, not less than seventeen per cent of
72 the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
73 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources
74 and an additional four per cent of the total output or services shall be
75 from Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

76 (14) On and after January 1, 2019, not less than nineteen and one-
77 half per cent of the total output or services of any such supplier or

78 distribution company shall be generated from Class I renewable
79 energy sources and an additional four per cent of the total output or
80 services shall be from Class I or Class II renewable energy sources;

81 (15) On and after January 1, 2020, not less than twenty-one per cent
82 of the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
83 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources
84 and an additional four per cent of the total output or services shall be
85 from [Class I or] Class II renewable energy sources, except that for any
86 electric supplier that has entered into or renewed a retail electric
87 supply contract on or before May 24, 2018, on and after January 1,
88 2020, not less than twenty per cent of the total output or services of any
89 such electric supplier shall be generated from Class I renewable energy
90 sources;

91 (16) On and after January 1, 2021, not less than twenty-two and one-
92 half per cent of the total output or services of any such supplier or
93 distribution company shall be generated from Class I renewable
94 energy sources and an additional four per cent of the total output or
95 services shall be from [Class I or] Class II renewable energy sources;

96 (17) On and after January 1, 2022, not less than twenty-four per cent
97 of the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
98 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources
99 and an additional four per cent of the total output or services shall be
100 from [Class I or] Class II renewable energy sources;

101 (18) On and after January 1, 2023, not less than twenty-six per cent
102 of the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
103 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources
104 and an additional four per cent of the total output or services shall be
105 from [Class I or] Class II renewable energy sources;

106 (19) On and after January 1, 2024, not less than twenty-eight per cent
107 of the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
108 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources

109 and an additional four per cent of the total output or services shall be
110 from [Class I or] Class II renewable energy sources;

111 (20) On and after January 1, 2025, not less than thirty per cent of the
112 total output or services of any such supplier or distribution company
113 shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources and an
114 additional four per cent of the total output or services shall be from
115 [Class I or] Class II renewable energy sources;

116 (21) On and after January 1, 2026, not less than thirty-two per cent of
117 the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
118 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources
119 and an additional four per cent of the total output or services shall be
120 from [Class I or] Class II renewable energy sources;

121 (22) On and after January 1, 2027, not less than thirty-four per cent
122 of the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
123 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources
124 and an additional four per cent of the total output or services shall be
125 from [Class I or] Class II renewable energy sources;

126 (23) On and after January 1, 2028, not less than thirty-six per cent of
127 the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
128 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources
129 and an additional four per cent of the total output or services shall be
130 from [Class I or] Class II renewable energy sources;

131 (24) On and after January 1, 2029, not less than thirty-eight per cent
132 of the total output or services of any such supplier or distribution
133 company shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources
134 and an additional four per cent of the total output or services shall be
135 from [Class I or] Class II renewable energy sources;

136 (25) On and after January 1, 2030, not less than forty per cent of the
137 total output or services of any such supplier or distribution company
138 shall be generated from Class I renewable energy sources and an
139 additional four per cent of the total output or services shall be from

140 [Class I or] Class II renewable energy sources.

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

ET *Joint Favorable*