



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 792

LCO No. 1057



Referred to Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Introduced by:
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AN ACT CONCERNING RENEWABLE ENERGY, ENERGY EFFICIENCY, STATE CONTRACTS, PROTECTING CONSUMERS AND REDUCING ENERGY COSTS.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to: (1) Provide additional state
- 2 incentives for renewable energy generation and increase energy
- 3 efficiency in buildings, schools and other facilities; (2) require
- 4 companies with state contracts to be more accountable to the state by
- 5 establishing a system for auditing such companies and investigating
- 6 complaints of customer abuse by such companies; and (3) reduce energy
- 7 costs for consumers through state grants for residential energy
- 8 efficiency projects and by requiring gas and electric distribution
- 9 companies to credit over-earnings to low-income ratepayers.

Statement of Purpose:

To promote renewable energy, increase the energy efficiency of buildings, increase accountability in state contracting, provide consumer protection and lower costs for the state's energy consumers.