# SENATE BILL No. 314

### DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 8-1-40.

**Synopsis:** Net metering for electricity generation. Amends the statute concerning distributed electricity generation as follows: (1) Repeals provisions requiring an electricity supplier's net metering tariff to remain available to customers until the earlier of: (A) January 1 of the first calendar year after the calendar year in which the aggregate amount of net metering facility nameplate capacity under the electricity supplier's net metering tariff equals at least 1.5% of the electricity supplier's most recent summer peak load; or (B) July 1, 2022. (2) Repeals provisions requiring an electricity supplier to: (A) petition the Indiana utility regulatory commission (IURC) for a rate for the procurement of excess distributed generation produced by customers overlaps a distributed generation facility and (B) credit at the approved owning a distributed generation facility; and (B) credit, at the approved rate, customers for excess distributed generation supplied to the electricity supplier. (3) Provides that an electricity supplier's net metering tariff must be made and remain available to customers at least until January 1 of the first calendar year after the calendar year in which the aggregate amount of net metering facility nameplate capacity under the electricity supplier's net metering tariff equals at least 5% (versus 1.5% under current law) of the electricity supplier's most recent summer peak load. (4) Requires an electricity supplier to petition, before July 1, 2022, the IURC for approval of a new or amended net metering tariff that does the following: (A) Provides that the aggregate amount of net metering facility nameplate capacity made available for participation by customers under the net metering tariff is at least 5% of the electricity supplier's most recent summer peak load. (B) Provides that the minimum net metering facility nameplate capacity made (Continued next page)

Effective: Upon passage.

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January 11, 2022, read first time and referred to Committee on Utilities.



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available is subject to the reservation of: (i) 30% (versus 40% under current law) for participation by residential customers; and (ii) not more than 5% (versus 15% under current law) for participation by customers that install a net metering facility that uses organic waste biomass. (5) Provides that before July 1, 2022, the IURC shall make similar amendments to its net metering rules. (6) Provides that a customer that installs a net metering facility on the customer's premises before the net metering tariff of the customer's electricity supplier terminates under the bill's provisions shall continue to be served under the net metering tariff until the customer removes from the customer's premises or replaces the net metering facility. (Current law requires the customer to continue to be served under the net metering tariff until: (A) the customer removes or replaces the net metering facility; or (B) either July 1, 2032, or July 1, 2047, depending on the date of installation; whichever is earlier.) Specifies that any repairs, updates, or upgrades to portions of a net metering facility that do not increase the nameplate capacity of the net metering facility are not considered a replacement of the net metering facility for purposes of these provisions. (7) Makes conforming changes in other provisions of the statute. Adds a noncode provision to address electricity suppliers that have applied for approval, or received approval, for an excess distributed generation rate or tariff from the IURC under current law, and to require: (1) the IURC to: (A) close any pending proceeding for an electricity supplier that has not yet received approval for an excess distributed generation rate or tariff; and (B) direct the electricity supplier to file a petition with the IURC for approval of a new or amended net metering tariff, as required under the bill; and (2) an electricity supplier that has been granted approval by the IURC of an excess distributed generation rate and tariff to file with the IURC, not later than 30 days after the enactment of the bill, a petition for approval of a new or amended net metering tariff, as required under the bill.



### Introduced

Second Regular Session of the 122nd General Assembly (2022)

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# **SENATE BILL No. 314**

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1	SECTION 1. IC 8-1-40-3 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
2	PASSAGE]. Sec. 3. (a) As used in this chapter, "distributed generation"
3	means electricity produced by a generator or other device that is:
4	(1) located on the customer's premises;
5	(2) owned by the customer;
6	(3) sized at a nameplate capacity of the lesser of:
7	(A) not more than one (1) megawatt; or
8	(B) the customer's average annual consumption of electricity
9	on the premises; and
10	(4) interconnected and operated in parallel with the electricity
11	supplier's facilities in accordance with the commission's approved
12	interconnection standards.
13	(b) The term does not include electricity produced by the following:
14	(1) An electric generator used exclusively for emergency
15	<del>purposes.</del>



1	(2) A net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k))
2	operating under a net metering tariff.
3	SECTION 2. IC 8-1-40-5 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
4	PASSAGE]. Sec. 5. As used in this chapter, "excess distributed
5	generation" means the difference between:
6	(1) the electricity that is supplied by an electricity supplier to a
7	customer that produces distributed generation; and
8	(2) the electricity that is supplied back to the electricity supplier
9	by the customer.
10	SECTION 3. IC 8-1-40-5.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
11	AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
12	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 5.5. As used in this chapter, "install", with
13	respect to a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k))
14	of a customer, means to set up so that the net metering facility (as
15	defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) can be safely energized,
16	notwithstanding any metering or inspection requirements that the
17	customer's electricity supplier has not yet performed.
18	SECTION 4. IC 8-1-40-6 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
19	PASSAGE]. Sec. 6. As used in this chapter, "marginal price of
20	electricity" means the hourly market price for electricity as determined
21	by a regional transmission organization of which the electricity supplier
22	serving a customer is a member.
23	SECTION 5. IC 8-1-40-7, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017,
24	SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
25	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 7. As used in this chapter, "net metering
26	tariff" means a tariff that (1) an electricity supplier offers for net
27	metering under 170 IAC 4-4.2. and
28	(2) is in effect on January 1, 2017.
29	SECTION 6. IC 8-1-40-9 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
30	PASSAGE]. Sec. 9. As used in this chapter, "regional transmission
31	organization" has the meaning set forth in IC 8-1-37-9.
32	SECTION 7. IC 8-1-40-10, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017,
33	SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
34	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 10. Subject to sections section 13 and 14 of
35	this chapter, a net metering tariff of an electricity supplier must be
36	made and remain available to the electricity supplier's customers at
37	least until the earlier of the following:
38	(1) January 1 of the first calendar year after the calendar year in
39	which the aggregate amount of net metering facility nameplate
40	capacity under the electricity supplier's net metering tariff equals
41	at least one and one-half percent (1.5%) of the most recent

summer peak load of the electricity supplier.



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(2) July 1, 2022. or exceeds the aggregate amount of net metering facility nameplate capacity made available, as specified by the electricity supplier under section 12(b) of this chapter, for participation by customers under the electricity supplier's net metering tariff. However, an electricity supplier may, at the electricity supplier's sole discretion, continue to make the electricity supplier's net metering tariff available to customers after the electricity supplier's limit on net metering facility nameplate capacity has been met or exceeded.

Before July 1, 2022, if an electricity supplier reasonably anticipates, at any point in a calendar year, that the aggregate amount of net metering facility nameplate capacity under the electricity supplier's net metering tariff will equal at least one and one half percent (1.5%) of the most recent summer peak load of the electricity supplier, the electricity supplier shall, in accordance with section 16 of this chapter, petition the commission for approval of a rate for the procurement of excess distributed generation.

SECTION 8. IC 8-1-40-11, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 11. (a) Except as provided in sections section 12 and 21(b) of this chapter: before July 1, 2047:

- (1) an electricity supplier may not seek to change the terms and conditions of the electricity supplier's net metering tariff; and
- (2) the commission may not approve changes to an electricity supplier's net metering tariff.
- (b) Except as provided in sections 13 and 14 of this chapter, after June 30, 2022:
  - (1) an electricity supplier may not make a net metering tariff available to customers; and
  - (2) the terms and conditions of a net metering tariff offered by an electricity supplier before July 1, 2022, expire and are unenforceable.

SECTION 9. IC 8-1-40-12, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 12. (a) Before January 1, 2018, the commission shall amend 170 IAC 4-4.2-4, and an electricity supplier shall amend the electricity supplier's net metering tariff, to do the following:

(1) Increase the allowed limit on the aggregate amount of net metering facility nameplate capacity under the net metering tariff to one and one-half percent (1.5%) of the most recent summer peak load of the electricity supplier.



1	(2) Modify the required reservation of capacity under the limit
2	described in subdivision (1) to require the reservation of:
3	(A) forty percent (40%) of the capacity for participation by
4	residential customers; and
5	(B) fifteen percent (15%) of the capacity for participation by
6	customers that install a net metering facility that uses a
7	renewable energy resource described in IC 8-1-37-4(a)(5).
8	(b) Before July 1, 2022, an electricity supplier shall petition the
9	commission for approval of an amended or a new net metering
10	tariff that does the following:
11	(1) Provides that the aggregate amount of net metering
12	facility nameplate capacity made available for participation
13	by customers under the net metering tariff is at least five
14	percent (5%) of the most recent summer peak load of the
15	electricity supplier. However, an electricity supplier may
16	increase the limit on the aggregate amount of net metering
17	facility nameplate capacity under the electricity supplier's net
18	metering tariff at the electricity supplier's sole discretion.
19	(2) Provides that the minimum net metering facility
20	nameplate capacity made available for participation by
21	customers under subdivision (1) is subject to following:
22	(A) The reservation of thirty percent (30%) of the capacity
23	for participation by residential customers.
24	(B) The reservation of not more than five percent (5%) of
25	the capacity for participation by customers that install a
26	net metering facility that uses a renewable energy resource
27	described in IC 8-1-37-4(a)(5).
28	An electricity supplier's petition under this subsection may not
29	include any other substantive changes to the terms and conditions
30	of the electricity supplier's existing net metering tariff being
31	amended or replaced. Not later than thirty (30) days after receipt
32	of a petition under this subsection, the commission shall review the
33	petition and, if the petition complies with subdivisions (1) and (2),
34 35	shall approve the electricity supplier's new or amended net
36	metering tariff. If the commission determines that the petition does
36 37	not comply with subdivisions (1) and (2), the commission shall notify the electricity supplier of the defect and shall require the
38	notify the electricity supplier of the defect and shall require the
39	electricity supplier to remedy the defect not later than a date set forth by the commission in its notice to the electricity supplier
39 40	under this subsection.
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(c) Before July 1, 2022, the commission shall amend 170

IAC 4-4.2 to do the following:



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1	(1) Amend 170 IAC 4-4.2-4(a) to provide that a net metering
2	tariff of an electricity supplier must be made and remain
3	available to the electricity supplier's customers at least until
4	January 1 of the first calendar year after the calendar year in
5	which the aggregate amount of net metering facility
6	nameplate capacity under the electricity supplier's net
7	metering tariff equals at least five percent (5%) of the most
8	recent summer peak load of the electricity supplier.
9	(2) Amend 170 IAC 4-4.2-4(b) to:
10	(A) establish as the minimum limit on the aggregate
11	amount of net metering facility nameplate capacity that an
12	electricity supplier may establish under the electricity
13	supplier's net metering tariff an amount equal to at least
14	five percent (5%) of the most recent summer peak load of
15	the electricity supplier; and
16	(B) provide that the required minimum net metering
17	facility nameplate capacity made available for
18	participation by an electricity supplier's customers under
19	clause (A) is subject to following:
20	(i) Thirty percent (30%) of the capacity must be reserved
21	for participation by residential customers.
22	(ii) Not more than five percent (5%) of the capacity must
23	be reserved for participation by customers that install a
24	net metering facility that uses a renewable energy
25	resource described in IC 8-1-37-4(a)(5).
26	(b) (d) In amending 170 IAC 4-4.2-4, as required by subsection
27	subsections (a) and (c), the commission may adopt emergency rules
28	in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1. Notwithstanding
29	IC 4-22-2-37.1(g), an emergency rule adopted by the commission under
30	this section and in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on
30 31	this section and in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on the date on which a rule that supersedes the emergency rule is adopted
30 31 32	this section and in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on the date on which a rule that supersedes the emergency rule is adopted by the commission under IC 4-22-2-24 through IC 4-22-2-36.
30 31 32 33	this section and in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on the date on which a rule that supersedes the emergency rule is adopted by the commission under IC 4-22-2-24 through IC 4-22-2-36.  SECTION 10. IC 8-1-40-13, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017,
30 31 32	this section and in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on the date on which a rule that supersedes the emergency rule is adopted by the commission under IC 4-22-2-24 through IC 4-22-2-36.  SECTION 10. IC 8-1-40-13, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
30 31 32 33 34 35	this section and in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on the date on which a rule that supersedes the emergency rule is adopted by the commission under IC 4-22-2-24 through IC 4-22-2-36.  SECTION 10. IC 8-1-40-13, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 13. (a) This section applies to a customer that
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30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38	this section and in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on the date on which a rule that supersedes the emergency rule is adopted by the commission under IC 4-22-2-24 through IC 4-22-2-36.  SECTION 10. IC 8-1-40-13, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 13. (a) This section applies to a customer that installs a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) on the
30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39	this section and in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on the date on which a rule that supersedes the emergency rule is adopted by the commission under IC 4-22-2-24 through IC 4-22-2-36.  SECTION 10. IC 8-1-40-13, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 13. (a) This section applies to a customer that installs a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) on the customer's premises
30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38	this section and in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on the date on which a rule that supersedes the emergency rule is adopted by the commission under IC 4-22-2-24 through IC 4-22-2-36.  SECTION 10. IC 8-1-40-13, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 13. (a) This section applies to a customer that installs a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) on the customer's premises  (1) after December 31, 2017; and
30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39	this section and in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on the date on which a rule that supersedes the emergency rule is adopted by the commission under IC 4-22-2-24 through IC 4-22-2-36.  SECTION 10. IC 8-1-40-13, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 13. (a) This section applies to a customer that installs a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) on the customer's premises  (1) after December 31, 2017; and (2) before the date on which the net metering tariff of the



1	metering tariff on the date on which the electricity supplier's net
2	metering tariff terminates under section 10(1) or 10(2) 10 of this
3	chapter shall continue to be served under the terms and conditions of
4	the net metering tariff until
5	(1) the customer removes from the customer's premises or
6	replaces the net metering facility (as defined in 170
7	IAC 4-4.2-1(k)). <del>or</del>
8	(2) July 1, 2032;
9	whichever occurs earlier.
10	(c) A successor in interest to a customer's premises on which a net
11	metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)): that
12	(1) is located; and
13	(2) was installed during the period described in subsection (a) is
14	located before the date on which the net metering tariff of the
15	customer's electricity supplier terminated under section 10;
16	may, if the successor in interest chooses, be served under the terms and
17	conditions of the net metering tariff of the electricity supplier that
18	provides retail electric service at the premises until
19	(1) the net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) is
20	removed from the premises or is replaced. or
21	(2) July 1, 2032;
22	whichever occurs earlier.
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24	(d) The amount of nameplate capacity of a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) installed on a customer's
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26	premises on the date on which the net metering tariff of the customer's electricity supplier terminates under section 10 of this
27	chapter is the amount of the customer's net metering facility (as
28	defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) nameplate capacity considered to be
29	participating in the net metering tariff of the customer's electricity
30	supplier as of the date on which the net metering tariff of the
31	customer's electricity supplier terminates under section 10 of this
32	chapter. Any repairs, updates, or upgrades to portions of the net
33	metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) that:
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35	(1) are made after the date on which the net metering tariff of the customer's electricity supplier terminates under section 10
36	of this chapter; and
37	(2) do not increase the nameplate capacity of the net metering
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39	facility;
39 40	are not considered a replacement of the net metering facility for
40	purposes of subsections (b) and (c). SECTION 11. IC 8-1-40-14 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
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42	PASSAGE]. Sec. 14. (a) This section applies to a customer that installs



1	a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) on the
2	customer's premises before January 1, 2018.
3	(b) A customer that is participating in an electricity supplier's net
4	metering tariff on December 31, 2017, shall continue to be served
5	under the terms and conditions of the net metering tariff until:
6	(1) the customer removes from the customer's premises or
7	replaces the net metering facility (as defined in 170
8	<del>IAC 4-4.2-1(k)); or</del>
9	<del>(2) July 1, 2047;</del>
10	whichever occurs earlier.
11	(c) A successor in interest to a customer's premises on which is
12	located a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) that
13	was installed before January 1, 2018, may, if the successor in interest
14	chooses, be served under the terms and conditions of the net metering
15	tariff of the electricity supplier that provides retail electric service at
16	the premises until:
17	(1) the net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) is
18	removed from the premises or is replaced; or
19	(2) July 1, 2047;
20	whichever occurs earlier.
21	SECTION 12. IC 8-1-40-15 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
22	PASSAGE]. Sec. 15. An electricity supplier shall procure the excess
23	distributed generation produced by a customer at a rate approved by the
24	commission under section 17 of this chapter. Amounts credited to a
25	customer by an electricity supplier for excess distributed generation
26	shall be recognized in the electricity supplier's fuel adjustment
27	proceedings under IC 8-1-2-42.
28	SECTION 13. IC 8-1-40-16 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
29	PASSAGE]. Sec. 16. Not later than March 1, 2021, an electricity
30	supplier shall file with the commission a petition requesting a rate for
31	the procurement of excess distributed generation by the electricity
32	supplier. After an electricity supplier's initial rate for excess distributed
33	generation is approved by the commission under section 17 of this
34	chapter, the electricity supplier shall submit on an annual basis, not
35	later than March 1 of each year, an updated rate for excess distributed
36	generation in accordance with the methodology set forth in section 17
37	of this chapter.
38	SECTION 14. IC 8-1-40-17 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
39	PASSAGE]. Sec. 17. The commission shall review a petition filed
40	under section 16 of this chapter by an electricity supplier and, after

notice and a public hearing, shall approve a rate to be credited to

participating customers by the electricity supplier for excess distributed



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1	generation if the commission finds that the rate requested by the
2	electricity supplier was accurately calculated and equals the product of:
3	(1) the average marginal price of electricity paid by the electricity
4	supplier during the most recent calendar year; multiplied by
5	(2) one and twenty-five hundredths (1.25).
6	SECTION 15. IC 8-1-40-18 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
7	PASSAGE]. Sec. 18. An electricity supplier shall compensate a
8	customer from whom the electricity supplier procures excess
9	distributed generation (at the rate approved by the commission under
10	section 17 of this chapter) through a credit on the customer's monthly
11	bill. Any excess credit shall be carried forward and applied against
12	future charges to the customer for as long as the customer receives
13	retail electric service from the electricity supplier at the premises.
14	SECTION 16. IC 8-1-40-19 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
15	PASSAGE]. Sec. 19. (a) To ensure that customers that produce
16	distributed generation are properly charged for the costs of the
17	electricity delivery system through which an electricity supplier:
18	(1) provides retail electric service to those customers; and
19	(2) procures excess distributed generation from those customers;
20	the electricity supplier may request approval by the commission of the
21	recovery of energy delivery costs attributable to serving customers that
22	produce distributed generation.
23	(b) The commission may approve a request for cost recovery
24	submitted by an electricity supplier under subsection (a) if the
25	commission finds that the request:
26	(1) is reasonable; and
27	(2) does not result in a double recovery of energy delivery costs
28	from customers that produce distributed generation.
29	SECTION 17. IC 8-1-40-20 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
30	PASSAGE]. Sec. 20. (a) An electricity supplier shall provide and
31	maintain the metering equipment necessary to carry out the
32	procurement of excess distributed generation from customers in
33	accordance with this chapter.
34	(b) The commission shall recognize in the electricity supplier's basic
35	rates and charges an electricity supplier's reasonable costs for the
36	metering equipment required under subsection (a).
37	SECTION 18. IC 8-1-40-21, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017,
38	SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
39	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 21. (a) Subject to subsection (b) and sections
40	section 10 and 11 of this chapter, after June 30, 2017, the commission's
41	rules and standards set forth in:
42	(1) 170 IAC 4-4.2 (concerning net metering); and



1	(2) 170 IAC 4-4.3 (concerning interconnection);
2	remain in effect and apply to net metering under an electricity
3	supplier's net metering tariff. and to distributed generation under this
4	<del>chapter.</del>
5	(b) After June 30, 2017, the commission may adopt changes under
6	IC 4-22-2, including emergency rules in the manner provided by
7	IC 4-22-2-37.1, to the rules and standards described in subsection (a)
8	only as necessary to:
9	(1) update fees or charges;
10	(2) adopt revisions necessitated by new technologies; or
11	(3) reflect changes in safety, performance, or reliability standards.
12	Notwithstanding IC 4-22-2-37.1(g), an emergency rule adopted by the
13	commission under this subsection and in the manner provided by
14	IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on the date on which a rule that supersedes the
15	emergency rule is adopted by the commission under IC 4-22-2-4
16	through IC 4-22-2-36.
17	SECTION 19. IC 8-1-40-22, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017,
18	SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
19	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 22. A net metering customer that produces
20	distributed generation (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(j)) shall comply
21	with applicable safety, performance, and reliability standards
22	established by the following:
23	(1) The commission.
24	(2) An electricity supplier, subject to approval by the commission.
25	(3) The National Electric Code.
26	(4) The National Electrical Safety Code.
27	(5) The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.
28	(6) Underwriters Laboratories.
29	(7) The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.
30	(8) Local regulatory authorities.
31	SECTION 20. IC 8-1-40-23, AS ADDED BY P.L.264-2017,
32	SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
33	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 23. (a) A net metering customer that
34	produces distributed generation (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(j)) has
35	the following rights regarding the installation and ownership of
36	distributed generation equipment: a net metering facility (as defined
37	in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)):
38	(1) The right to know that the attorney general is authorized to
39	enforce this section, including by receiving complaints
10	concerning the installation and ownership of distributed

generation equipment. a net metering facility (as defined in 170



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IAC 4-4.2-1(k)).

- (2) The right to know the expected amount of electricity that will be produced by the distributed generation equipment net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) that the customer is purchasing.
- (3) The right to know all costs associated with installing distributed generation equipment, a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)), including any taxes for which the customer is liable.
- (4) The right to know the value of all federal, state, or local tax credits or other incentives or rebates that the customer may receive.
- (5) The right to know the rate at which the customer will be credited for electricity produced by the customer's distributed generation equipment net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) and delivered to a public utility (as defined in IC 8-1-2-1): an electricity supplier.
- (6) The right to know if a provider of distributed generation equipment a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) insures the distributed generation equipment net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) against damage or loss and, if applicable, any circumstances under which the provider does not insure against or otherwise cover damage to or loss of the distributed generation equipment. net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)).
- (7) The right to know the responsibilities of a provider of distributed generation equipment a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) with respect to installing or removing distributed generation equipment. the net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)).
- (b) The attorney general, in consultation with the commission, shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 that the attorney general considers necessary to implement and enforce this section, including a rule requiring written disclosure of the rights set forth in subsection (a) by a provider of distributed generation equipment a net metering facility (as defined in 170 IAC 4-4.2-1(k)) to a customer. In adopting the rules required by this subsection, the attorney general may adopt emergency rules in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1. Notwithstanding IC 4-22-2-37.1(g), an emergency rule adopted by the attorney general under this subsection and in the manner provided by IC 4-22-2-37.1 expires on the date on which a rule that supersedes the emergency rule is adopted by the attorney general under IC 4-22-2-24 through IC 4-22-2-36.



1	SECTION 21. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) The definitions
2	in IC 8-1-40, as amended by this act, apply throughout this
3	SECTION.
4	(b) If:
5	(1) an electricity supplier has filed, before the effective date of
6	this act, a petition with the commission under IC 8-1-40-16
7	before its repeal by this act; and
8	(2) the commission, as of the effective date of this act, has no
9	approved:
10	(A) a rate under IC 8-1-40-17, before its repeal by this act
11	or
12	(B) an excess distributed generation tariff;
13	for the electricity supplier;
14	the commission shall close the proceeding and direct the electricity
15	supplier to file a petition with the commission for approval of ar
16	amended or a new net metering tariff as required by IC 8-1-40-12
17	as amended by this act.
18	(c) If, before the effective date of this act, the commission has
19	approved a rate under IC 8-1-40-17, before its repeal by this act
20	and an excess distributed generation tariff for an electricity
21	supplier, the electricity supplier shall, not later than thirty (30)
22	days after the effective date of this act, file a petition with the
23	commission for approval of an amended or a new net metering
24	tariff as required by IC 8-1-40-12, as amended by this act. Upor
25	the commission's approval of the electricity supplier's new or
26	amended net metering tariff:
27	(1) the electricity supplier's:
28	(A) rate under IC 8-1-40-17, before its repeal by this act
29	and
30	(B) excess distributed generation tariff;
31	are no longer in effect; and
32	(2) the electricity supplier's new or amended net metering
33	tariff, as approved by the commission, is in effect and
34	available to the electricity supplier's customers, subject to
35	IC 8-1-40-10, as amended by this act, as directed by the
36	commission in its order approving the new or amended new
37	metering tariff.
38	(d) This section expires January 1, 2026.
39	SECTION 22. An emergency is declared for this act.

