

SENATE BILL 449

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CF HB 280

By: **Senator Middleton**

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Assigned to: Finance

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Electric Service Quality and Reliability Standards – Deadlines**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the dates by which the Public Service Commission is
4 required to determine whether certain electric companies have met certain
5 service quality and reliability standards under certain circumstances; altering
6 the date by which certain electric companies are required to submit to the
7 Commission a certain annual performance report; and generally relating to
8 electric service quality and reliability standards.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
10 Article – Public Utilities
11 Section 7–213(f)(1) and (g)(1)
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (2010 Replacement Volume and 2011 Supplement)

14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

16 **Article – Public Utilities**

17 7–213.

18 (f) (1) On or before [July] **SEPTEMBER** 1, 2013, and [July] **SEPTEMBER**
19 1 of each year thereafter, the Commission shall determine whether each electric
20 company has met the service quality and reliability standards adopted by the
21 Commission for that electric company under subsection (d) of this section.

22 (g) (1) On or before [February] **APRIL** 1 of each year, each electric
23 company shall submit to the Commission an annual performance report that
24 summarizes the actual electric service reliability results for the preceding year.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
2 July 1, 2012.