

Remote Net Metering by Farm and Non-Residential Customer-Generators

This Act generally permits farmers and certain other customers who use solar electric generating equipment, farm waste electric generating equipment, or wind electric generating equipment, to designate all or a portion of the net metering credits generated by such equipment to meters at any property their own or lease within the service territory of the same electric corporation to which their net energy meters are interconnected.

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Status: Enacted into law in 2011.

Suggested State Legislation

(Title, enacting clause, etc.)

1 Section 1. [*Short Title.*] An Act providing for remote net metering by farm and non-
2 residential customer-generators

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4 Section 2. [Authorization.]

5 (a) A customer who owns or operates a farm operation as such term is defined in [insert
6 citation], or a non-residential customer-generator as defined by [insert citation] that locates solar
7 electric generating equipment or farm waste electric generating equipment with a net energy meter
8 on property owned or leased by such customer-generator may designate all or a portion of the net
9 metering credits generated by such equipment to meters at any property owned or leased by such
10 customer-generator within the service territory of the same electric corporation to which the
11 customer-generator's net energy meters are interconnected and being within the same load zone as
12 determined by the location based marginal price as of the date of initial request by the customer-
13 generator to conduct net metering. The electric corporation will credit the accounts of the customer
14 by applying any credits to the highest use meter first, then subsequent highest use meters until all
15 such credits are attributed to the customer. Any excess credits shall be carried over to the following
16 month.

17 (b) A customer who owns or operates land used in agricultural production as defined in
18 [insert citation], or a non-residential customer-generator as defined in [insert citation] that locates
19 wind electric generating equipment with a net energy meter on property owned or leased by such
20 customer-generator may designate all or a portion of the net metering credits generated by such
21 equipment to meters, at any property owned or leased by such customer-generator within the service
22 territory of the same electric corporation to which the customer-generator's net energy meters are
23 interconnected and being within the same load zone as determined by the location based marginal
24 price as of the date of initial request by the customer-generator to conduct net metering. The electric
25 corporation will credit the accounts of the customer by applying any credits to the highest use meter
26 first, then subsequent highest use meters until all such credits are attributed to the customer. Any
27 excess credits shall be carried over to the following month.

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29 Section 3. [*Severability.*] Insert severability clause.

1 Section 4. [*Repealer.*] Insert repealer clause.

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3 Section 5. [*Effective Date.*] Insert effective date.