

SENATE BILL 407

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CF HB 569

By: **Senator Kramer**

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Assigned to: Finance

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Electricity – Net Energy Metering – Limit**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the statewide limit on rated generating capacity for net energy
4 metering under a certain contract or tariff available to certain eligible
5 customer–generators; making a conforming change; and generally relating to
6 electricity and net energy metering.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
8 Article – Public Utilities
9 Section 7–306(d) and 7–306.2(g)
10 Annotated Code of Maryland
11 (2020 Replacement Volume and 2020 Supplement)

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

14 **Article – Public Utilities**

15 7–306.

16 (d) The Commission shall require electric utilities to develop a standard contract
17 or tariff for net energy metering and make it available to eligible customer–generators on
18 a first–come, first–served basis until the rated generating capacity owned and operated by
19 eligible customer–generators in the State reaches [1,500] **3,000** megawatts.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 7-306.2.

2 (g) The cumulative installed nameplate capacity under the pilot program shall
3 count toward the overall limitation [of 1,500 megawatts] for all net metering projects [in]
4 ESTABLISHED UNDER § 7-306(d) of this subtitle.

5 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
6 October 1, 2021.

Approved:

Governor.

President of the Senate.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.