



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6495

LCO No. 295



Referred to Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Introduced by:
REP. STEINBERG, 136th Dist.

**AN ACT PREVENTING ELECTRIC SERVICE SHUTOFFS DURING
SUMMER MONTHS FOR CERTAIN RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS.**

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

- 1 That section 16-262c of the general statutes be amended to prohibit
- 2 electric distribution companies from denying or refusing to reinstate
- 3 residential electric service during the summer months in hardship cases
- 4 where the customer lacks the financial resources to pay an electric bill
- 5 or arrearage.

Statement of Purpose:

To prohibit electric service shutoffs during summer for some
economically disadvantaged customers.