

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 19

January Session, 2023



Referred to Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Introduced by: SEN. DUFF, 25th Dist.

AN ACT PROHIBITING FIBER OPTIC PROVIDERS AND CABLE COMPANIES FROM CHARGING CUSTOMERS THROUGH THE END OF THE BILLING CYCLE AFTER A SUBSCRIPTION IS CANCELLED.

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

- 1 That section 16-333m of the general statutes be amended to extend
- 2 the prohibitions in said section to all cable and telecommunications
- 3 companies providing video service or community antenna television
- 4 service in the state pursuant to a certificate issued by the Public Utilities
- 5 Regulatory Authority.

Statement of Purpose:

To prevent cable companies, including fiber optic providers, from charging customers to the end of the billing cycle when they cancel a subscription.

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