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IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2014

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RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - PROPANE GAS SALES

Introduced By: Representatives Keable, Johnston, Williams, Serpa, and O`Grady

Date Introduced: February 06, 2014

Referred To: House Corporations

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 5-83 of the General Laws entitled "Propane Gas Sales" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:

5-83-7. Measurement of propane for sales purposes. -- (a) Propane supplied to portable containers shall be measured and billed by weight, before and after filling, as shown on a national type evaluation program scale.

(b) Propane supplied to portable containers which cannot be weighed shall be measured by a national type evaluation program approved meter.

(c) The price per unit weight, or gallon, shall be conspicuously posted at the site of the filling scale.

(d) This section shall not apply to propane tank exchange programs wherein prefilled portable propane containers are provided to consumers for a flat fee.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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This act would set measurement standards for the sale of propane.

This act would take effect upon passage.

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