

SENATE BILL SUMMARY

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SB 1382 Net Metering by Senator Bennett

Creates the Florida Net Metering Conservation Act. Directs the Public Service Commission to develop rules requiring public utilities to develop net metering programs under which they make available to customers meters that measure both energy production and consumption by the customer.

Requires utilities to pay customers for the excess generation of energy at its full avoided cost, as provided in provisions governing cogeneration. Prohibits the availability of net metering as a part of conjunctive billing of multiple points for a customer or group of customers. (See bill for details)