

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5923



Referred to Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Introduced by: REP. LANOUE, 45th Dist. REP. DUBITSKY, 47th Dist.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION COMPANY ACCOUNTABILITY AND ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION COMPETITION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.

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

1 That a task force be established to (1) study how the market serviced 2 by each electric distribution company, as defined in section 16-1 of the 3 general statutes, may be reconstituted to increase accountability to 4 ratepayers and increase responsiveness to ratepayer needs, (2) study the 5 introduction of competition in the electric transmission or distribution 6 services industry in the state, and (3) provide an evaluation concerning 7 the costs of acquiring electric transmission or distribution services 8 infrastructure from each electric distribution company and 9 recommendations regarding whether acquisitions are necessary to 10 maintain electric grid reliability in the state.

Statement of Purpose:

To establish a task force to (1) study electric distribution companies and such companies' accountability and responsiveness to ratepayers, (2) study the introduction of competition in the electric transmission or distribution services industry in Connecticut, and (3) provide an evaluation concerning the costs of acquiring electric transmission or distribution services infrastructure from each electric distribution company and recommendations regarding whether acquisitions are necessary to maintain electric grid reliability in the state.