

companies to obtain electricity supply for certain extended service to certain customers in certain manners; authorizing the Commission to take certain actions concerning certain competitive auctions and implementation of certain electricity rates; authorizing the procurement of electricity supply for certain service in certain manners, including by a competitive process that includes certain methods and strategies and by negotiated bilateral contracts; authorizing the rejection of certain bids in accordance with certain standards; requiring the disclosure of certain information concerning certain bids and contracts; authorizing the Commission to require or allow the construction or acquisition of certain facilities by certain electric companies; requiring the Commission to conduct certain proceedings if certain electric rates are to increase by certain amounts; authorizing the recovery of certain deferred costs in certain manners in accordance with certain plans and certain provisions; altering the amount and sources of funds to be assessed for the Electric Universal Service Program each year; altering the eligibility of certain customers for the Program; authorizing bill assistance under the Program to be paid on a monthly basis; requiring the collection of certain funds for the Program in a certain manner; authorizing an electric company to file certain rate stabilization plans and tariffs with the Commission; providing for the deferral and collection of certain costs and expenses; providing for the establishment and characteristics of rate stabilization property; providing for the issuance of qualified rate orders for certain purposes under certain circumstances; providing for the issuance of certain rate stabilization bonds for certain purposes; providing for the establishment, collection, and adjustment of certain rate stabilization charges in certain manners; providing for certain property rights in certain rate stabilization property; providing that certain transfers of certain property are true sales; requiring disclosure of certain information to certain consumers in a certain manner; providing for certain actions in the event of certain defaults; establishing certain rights and duties for a successor to an electric company for certain purposes; establishing certain maximum rates for certain residential electric customers for certain periods; providing for the deferral and collection of certain costs and expenses of certain electric companies related to those customers in certain manners; providing for the determination and application of certain credits of a certain amount for a certain number of years by certain electric companies in certain manners; providing that this Act binds the Commission and any successor body in a certain manner; repealing a credit against the corporate income tax for certain property taxes paid on certain operating real property used to generate electricity for sale; providing for the distribution of certain corporate income tax revenue for a certain fiscal year to a certain special fund; altering certain provisions relating to acquisition and issuance of stock and debt by certain public service companies incorporated in the State to apply to public service companies operating in the State; prohibiting the lending of money from a public service company to an affiliate on certain terms without the prior approval of the Commission; prohibiting a person from acquiring certain public service companies without the prior approval of the Commission; providing for the application and review of certain proposed acquisitions; requiring the disclosure of certain information by certain persons in connection with certain