

~~Section 4-403
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1998 Volume)~~

~~BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,~~

~~Article — Natural Resources
Section 3-302
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1997 Replacement Volume and 1998 Supplement)~~

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article — Public Utility Companies

1-101.

(a) In this article the following words have the meanings indicated.

(B) (1) "AGGREGATOR" MEANS AN ENTITY OR AN INDIVIDUAL THAT ACTS ON BEHALF OF A CUSTOMER TO PURCHASE ELECTRICITY.

(2) "AGGREGATOR" DOES NOT INCLUDE:

(I) AN ENTITY OR INDIVIDUAL THAT PURCHASES ELECTRICITY FOR ITS OWN USE OR FOR THE USE OF ITS SUBSIDIARIES OR AFFILIATES;

(II) A MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC UTILITY SERVING ONLY IN ITS DISTRIBUTION TERRITORY; OR

(III) A COMBINATION OF GOVERNMENTAL UNITS THAT PURCHASES ELECTRICITY FOR USE BY THE GOVERNMENTAL UNITS.

(C) "BROKER" MEANS AN ENTITY OR INDIVIDUAL THAT ACTS AS AN AGENT OR INTERMEDIARY IN THE SALE AND PURCHASE OF ELECTRICITY BUT DOES NOT TAKE TITLE TO ELECTRICITY.

[(b)] (D) "Commission" means the Public Service Commission.

[(c)] (E) (1) "Common carrier" means a person, public authority, or federal, State, district, or municipal transportation unit that is engaged in the public transportation of persons for hire, by land, water, air, or any combination of them.

(2) "Common carrier" includes:

(i) an airline company;

(ii) a car company, motor vehicle company, automobile company, or motor bus company;

(iii) a power boat company, vessel-boat company, steamboat company, or ferry company;