

~~[(c)] (D)~~ The Commission may allow an electricity supplier ~~OR AN ELECTRIC COMPANY~~ to submit the report required under § 7-505(b)(4) of this title to demonstrate compliance with the renewable energy portfolio standard.

~~[(d)] (E)~~ An aggregator or broker who assists an electricity customer in purchasing electricity but who does not supply the electricity or take title to or ownership of the electricity may require the electricity supplier who supplies the electricity to demonstrate compliance with this subtitle.

~~(F) (E)~~ (1) NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIER 3 RENEWABLE ENERGY PORTFOLIO STANDARD REQUIREMENTS UNDER OF § 7-703(B) OF THIS TITLE SUBTITLE, IF THE ACTUAL OR PROJECTED DOLLAR-FOR-DOLLAR COSTS COST INCURRED INCURRED OR TO BE INCURRED BY AN ELECTRICITY SUPPLIER SOLELY FOR THE PURCHASE OF TIER 3 1 RENEWABLE ENERGY CREDITS DERIVED FROM SOLAR ENERGY IN ANY ONE 1 YEAR IS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO, OR IS ANTICIPATED TO BE GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO, 1% OF THE ANNUAL ELECTRICITY SALES REVENUE FOR AN ELECTRIC COMPANY, THE ELECTRIC COMPANY ELECTRIC SUPPLIER'S TOTAL ANNUAL ELECTRICITY SALES REVENUES IN MARYLAND, THE ELECTRICITY SUPPLIER MAY REQUEST THAT THE COMMISSION DELAY A SCHEDULED INCREASE THAT APPLIES TO THE ELECTRIC COMPANY IN TIER 3 REQUIREMENTS FOR 1 YEAR:

(I) DELAY BY 1 YEAR EACH OF THE SCHEDULED PERCENTAGES FOR SOLAR ENERGY UNDER § 7-703(B) OF THIS SUBTITLE THAT WOULD APPLY TO THE ELECTRICITY SUPPLIER IN TIER 3; AND

(II) ALLOW THE RENEWABLE ENERGY PORTFOLIO STANDARD FOR TIER 3 SOLAR ENERGY FOR THAT YEAR TO CONTINUE TO APPLY TO THE ELECTRICITY SUPPLIER FOR THE FOLLOWING YEAR.

(2) IN MAKING ITS DETERMINATION UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE COMMISSION SHALL CONSIDER THE ACTUAL OR PROJECTED DOLLAR-FOR-DOLLAR COMPLIANCE COSTS OF OTHER ELECTRIC COMPANIES ELECTRICITY SUPPLIERS.

(3) IF AN ELECTRICITY SUPPLIER MAKES A REQUEST UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION BASED ON PROJECTED COSTS, THE ELECTRICITY SUPPLIER SHALL PROVIDE VERIFIABLE EVIDENCE OF THE PROJECTIONS TO THE COMMISSION AT THE TIME OF THE REQUEST.

(4) IF THE COMMISSION ALLOWS A DELAY UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION: