
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 269, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§269- Preferential rates for residents within the same
5 zip code of a wind energy facility. (a) The public utilities
6 commission shall establish preferential rates for consumers of
7 energy who live within the same zip code of a wind energy
8 facility and who are subject to any adverse impacts created by
9 the wind-energy facility.

10 (b) The public utilities commission shall adopt rules in
11 accordance with chapter 91 to:

12 (1) Establish preferential rates for any public utility
13 service; and

14 (2) Determine which consumers of energy are subject to
15 adverse impacts,

16 pursuant to this section.





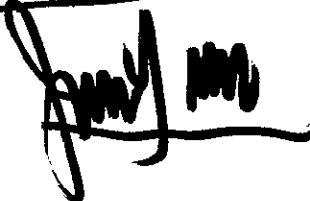

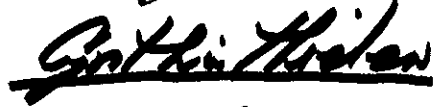





1 (c) For purposes of this section, "wind energy facility"
2 shall have the same meaning as defined in section 201N-31."

3 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

4 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Wind Energy Facility; Residents; Preferential Utility Rates

Description:

Requires the PUC to establish preferential utility rates for persons who live within the same zip code of a wind energy facility and who are adversely impacted by the operation of the facility.

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