

HOUSE BILL 123

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By: **Delegates Gordon, Barve, Kagan, and Hubbard**

Introduced and read first time: January 17, 2000

Assigned to: Environmental Matters

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Electric Industry - Aggregation - Municipal Corporations**

3 FOR the purpose of repealing the prohibition on a municipal corporation from acting

4 as an aggregator of electric demand; and generally relating to the ability of a

5 municipal corporation to act as an aggregator.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

7 Article - Public Utility Companies

8 Section 7-510(f)

9 Annotated Code of Maryland

10 (1998 Volume and 1999 Supplement)

11 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF

12 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

13 **Article - Public Utility Companies**

14 7-510.

15 (f) A county [or municipal corporation] may not act as an aggregator unless

16 the Commission determines there is not sufficient competition within the boundaries

17 of the county [or municipal corporation].

18 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect

19 June 1, 2000.