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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **State Procurement - Energy Performance Contracts - Duration**

3 FOR the purpose of increasing the authorized duration of energy performance contracts;
4 and generally relating to energy performance contracts.

5 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
6 Article - State Finance and Procurement
7 Section 12-301(b)(1)
8 Annotated Code of Maryland
9 (1995 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

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

12 **Article - State Finance and Procurement**

13 12-301.

14 (b) (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law and subject to the approval
15 and control of the Board of Public Works, a primary procurement unit of State
16 government is authorized to enter into energy performance contracts of up to [12] 25
17 years duration.

18 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
19 October 1, 1996.