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BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 188

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 5, after “programs;” insert “expanding the information that the Maryland Energy Administration is required to include in a certain annual report;”; and in line 15, after “9-20B-05(h)(1)” insert “and 9-20B-12”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 20, insert:

“9-20B-12.

(a) On or before January 1 of each year, the Administration shall report to the Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of this article, to the General Assembly on the uses and expenditures of the Fund from the prior fiscal year.

(b) The report shall include:

(1) a detailed accounting of all amounts received by and disbursed from the Fund;

(2) all amounts used by the Administration for administrative purposes;

(3) programs, projects, and activities included in each category under § 9-20B-05(g) of this subtitle;

(4) the status of programs, projects, activities, and investments implemented with funds from the Fund, including an evaluation of the impact of the

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programs, projects, activities, and investments that are directed to low-income or moderate-income residential sectors or to other particular classes of ratepayers;

(5) A DESCRIPTION AND EVALUATION OF THE IMPACT OF RENEWABLE ENERGY PROGRAMS DIRECTED TO THE LOW-INCOME RESIDENTIAL SECTOR UNDER § 9-20B-05(H)(1)(I) OF THIS SUBTITLE, INCLUDING HOW CUSTOMERS HAVE RECEIVED ACTUAL BENEFITS OF THESE PROGRAMS;

[(5)](6) an estimate of electricity savings from the programs, projects, activities, and investments;

[(6)] (7) the number of allowances sold in each auction;

[(7)] (8) the average allowance price from each auction;

[(8)] (9) an estimate of revenue from future auctions; and

[(9)] (10) recommendations for changes to the allocation of funds under § 9-20B-05(g) of this subtitle.”.