SENATE BILL 970

Q3, M3 4lr2829 CF HB 1214 By: Senator Guzzone Introduced and read first time: February 2, 2024 Assigned to: Budget and Taxation Committee Report: Favorable Senate action: Adopted Read second time: February 26, 2024 CHAPTER AN ACT concerning Energy Storage Systems - Income Tax Credit and Grant Program - Sunset Extension FOR the purpose of extending the termination date for a credit against the State income tax for the installation of certain energy storage systems; delaying the establishment of the Energy Storage System Grant Program in the Maryland Energy Administration; and generally relating to an income tax credit and grant program for energy storage systems. BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article - Tax - General Section 10–719(g) Annotated Code of Maryland (2022 Replacement Volume and 2023 Supplement) BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – State Government Section 9-2012(h) Annotated Code of Maryland (2021 Replacement Volume and 2023 Supplement) (As enacted by Chapter 246 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2022) BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Chapter 246 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2022

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

<u>Underlining</u> indicates amendments to bill.

Section 4, 5, and 6

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Strike out indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.

- 1 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
- 2 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
- 3 Article Tax General
- 4 10-719.
- 5 (g) The credit under this section may not be claimed for an energy storage system 6 installed before January 1, 2018, or after December 31, [2024] **2026**.
- 7 Article State Government
- 8 9–2012.
- 9 (h) A grant under this section may not be awarded for an energy storage system 10 installed before January 1, [2025] **2027**.
- 11 Chapter 246 of the Acts of 2022
- 12 SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:
- 13 (a) Section 1 of this Act shall be applicable to taxable years beginning after 14 December 31, 2021, but before January 1, [2025] **2027**.
- 15 (b) Section 3 of this Act shall be applicable to taxable years beginning after 16 December 31, [2024] **2026**.
- SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 2 of this Act shall take effect July 1, [2024] **2026**.
- SECTION 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 3 of this Act shall take effect July 1, [2025] **2027**.
- 21 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 22 1, 2024.