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**SB 887 – Electric Generation – Transition from Fossil Fuels – Carbon Dioxide Emissions
Rate and Transition Account**

Tuesday, February 25, 2020

Senate Finance Committee

OPPOSED

**Brian G. Malloy, International Vice President, International Brotherhood of Electrical
Workers Fourth District**

Dear Chair Kelley, Vice Chair Feldman, and members of the Finance Committee,

On behalf of more than 5,700 members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers in Maryland, I am opposing Senate Bill 887. Closing the fossil fueled plants in Maryland, without alternative energy sources in place will jeopardize the stability of the grid. There has also been no data that clearly supports that the proposed transition funding, if even available, will be sufficient to support the transition of the displaced workers and their communities. I and my Maryland IBEW members respectfully ask for an unfavorable report by the committee.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brian G. Malloy". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping tail on the letter "y".

Brian G. Malloy
International Vice President
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