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(To be offered in the Economic Matters Committee)

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 379

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 6, after the semicolon insert "authorizing the Department to use savings achieved through all appropriated funding sources toward calculating a certain target, provided the funding sources meet certain standards;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 28, after "EFFICIENCY" insert "<u>AND CONSERVATION</u>"; in the same line, after "TO" insert "<u>REDUCE UTILITY EXPENSES FOR</u>"; strike beginning with "HAVE" in line 29 down through the second "INCOME" in line 32 and substitute "<u>QUALIFY FOR THE DEPARTMENT'S LOW-INCOME ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS</u>"; and in line 33, strike "THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS OF THE DEPARTMENT".

On page 3, in line 4, after "A" insert "<u>COMMUNITY, BUILDING, OR</u>"; in line 5, strike "HAVE AN INCOME BELOW 200% OF THE FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL" and substitute "<u>QUALIFY FOR THE DEPARTMENT'S LOW-INCOME ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS</u>"; in line 13, after "(2)" insert "<u>(I)</u>"; and after line 16, insert:

"(II) THE DEPARTMENT MAY USE THE SAVINGS ACHIEVED THROUGH ALL APPROPRIATED FUNDING SOURCES TOWARD CALCULATING THE TARGET ANNUAL INCREMENTAL GROSS ENERGY SAVINGS, PROVIDED THE FUNDING SOURCES MEET THE STANDARDS OF PROGRAMS FUNDED THROUGH:

- 1. THE EMPOWER SURCHARGE; OR
- 2. THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY.".

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On page 4, in line 24, strike "AND"; and in line 25, after "(V)" insert "APROPOSED AVERAGE LIFETIME MEASURE THRESHOLD THAT ENCOURAGES THE DELIVERY OF INSULATION AND WEATHERIZATION MEASURES, DEVELOPED THROUGH A STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT PROCESS; AND

<u>(VI)</u>".