

March 7, 2023

**HB 891: PSC Study Act of 2023** Economic Matters Committee

Position: Favorable

Dear Chair Wilson and Economic Matters Committee,

On behalf of Advanced Energy United, we respectfully urge a favorable vote on HB 891: PSC Study Act of 2023. Advanced Energy United is a national industry association that represents the full range of advanced energy technologies and services, ranging from solar companies and electric vehicle manufacturers, to energy efficiency companies, transmission developers and more. We advocate for policies that allow our member companies to compete to repower our economy with 100% clean energy in Maryland and nationally. The businesses we represent are lowering consumer costs, creating millions of new jobs, and providing the full range of clean, efficient, and reliable energy and transportation solutions.

Our member companies and staff work with public utility regulatory commissions all over the country like the Maryland Public Service Commission. Our companies know first hand that The PSC Study Act of 2023 is critically important to ensuring that the Maryland Public Service Commission meets its full potential as we work to repower our economy with 100% clean energy in Maryland and nationally. We thank Delegate Amprey for his leadership on the bill and ask for your support of HB 891.

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