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(To be offered in the Economic Matters Committee)

# AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1419

(First Reading File Bill)

# AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 8, after "storage;" insert "<u>requiring the Commission to evaluate</u> certain energy storage installation programs in other states and coordinate with electric companies and stakeholders to design certain programs;".

# AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 28, insert:

# "SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

- (a) The General Assembly finds that the use of distributed energy storage in the State would provide reliability and electric system benefits in Maryland.
- (b) By January 1, 2026, the Public Service Commission shall evaluate programs enacted in other states to facilitate the installation of energy storage within homes and businesses.
- (c) After completing the evaluation required under subsection (b) of this section, the Commission shall coordinate with electric companies and other stakeholders to design, by June 1, 2026, programs to advance and expand home—and business—sited energy storage in the State.";

and in line 29, strike "2." and substitute "3.".