STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

July 29, 2026

Introduced by COMMITTEE ON RULES -- (at request of M. of A. Yeger) -- read once and referred to the Committee on Energy

AN ACT to amend the public service law, in relation to net energy metering for certain residential customer-generators

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section 66-j of the public service law is amended by adding a new subdivision 4-a to read as follows:

4-a. Exemptions for certain residential customer-generators. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, rule, or regulation to the contrary, a residential customer-generator who owns or operates solar electric generating equipment located and used at the residence, and powering up to four residential units, shall be exempt from the value of distributed energy resources, the value stack compensation methodology, or any other compensation structure that provides anything other than watt-for-watt compensation, and shall be credited using the net energy metering rates pursuant to subdivision four of this section. Nothing in this section shall prohibit interconnected residential customer-generators from opting in to a compensation structure, other than net energy metering.

§ 2. Section 66-l of the public service law is amended by adding a new subdivision 4-a to read as follows:

4-a. Exemptions for certain residential customer-generators. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, rule, or regulation to the contrary, a residential customer-generator who owns or operates wind electric generating equipment located and used at the residence, and powering up to four residential units, shall be exempt from the value of distributed energy resources, the value stack compensation methodology, or any other compensation structure that provides anything other than watt-for-watt compensation, and shall be credited using the net energy metering rates pursuant to subdivision four of this section. Nothing in this section shall prohibit interconnected residential customer-generators from opting in to a compensation structure, other than net energy metering.

§ 3. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and completed on or before such effective date.

EXPLANATION--Matter in *italics* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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