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Introduced by M. of A. DenDEKKER -- read once and referred to the
Committee on Energy -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered
reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the public service law, in relation to providing consum-
ers the option to elect not to use transmitting utility meters

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEM-
BLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 Section 1. The public service law is amended by adding a new section
2 67-b to read as follows:
3 S 67-B. TRANSMITTING UTILITY METER; ELECTION NOT TO USE. NOTWITHSTAND-
4 ING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, THE COMMISSION IS AUTHORIZED TO PROVIDE
5 THAT CONSUMERS MAY ELECT NOT TO USE TRANSMITTING UTILITY METERS OF ANY
6 INVESTOR OWNED ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY SUBJECT TO REGULATION BY
7 THE COMMISSION; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT THE COMMISSION SHALL NOT CREATE
8 AND REGULATE A SURCHARGE FOR CONSUMERS WHO MAKE SUCH AN ELECTION. FOR
9 PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, THE TERM "TRANSMITTING UTILITY METER" MEANS AN
10 ELECTRIC METER THAT IS CAPABLE OF RECORDING CONSUMPTION OF ELECTRIC
11 ENERGY AND COMMUNICATING SUCH INFORMATION UTILIZING TWO-WAY COMMUNI-
12 CATION BETWEEN THE METER AND THE ELECTRIC SUPPLIER FOR MONITORING AND
13 BILLING PURPOSES.
14 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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