



AN ACT

1 Amending the act of November 30, 2004 (P.L.1672, No.213),  
 2 entitled, "An act providing for the sale of electric energy  
 3 generated from renewable and environmentally beneficial  
 4 sources, for the acquisition of electric energy generated  
 5 from renewable and environmentally beneficial sources by  
 6 electric distribution and supply companies and for the powers  
 7 and duties of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission,"  
 8 further providing for alternative energy portfolio standards  
 9 and for portfolio requirements in other states.

10 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
 11 hereby enacts as follows:

12 Section 1. Sections 3(b)(2) and 4 of the act of November 30,  
 13 2004 (P.L.1672, No.213), known as the Alternative Energy  
 14 Portfolio Standards Act, amended July 17, 2007 (P.L.114, No.35),  
 15 are amended to read:

16 Section 3. Alternative energy portfolio standards.

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18 (b) Tier I and solar photovoltaic shares.--

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20 (2) The total percentage of the electric energy sold by  
 21 an electric distribution company or electric generation

1 supplier to retail electric customers in this Commonwealth  
2 that must be sold from solar photovoltaic technologies is:

3 (i) 0.0013% for June 1, 2006, through May 31, 2007.

4 (ii) 0.0030% for June 1, 2007, through May 31, 2008.

5 (iii) 0.0063% for June 1, 2008, through May 31,  
6 2009.

7 (iv) 0.0120% for June 1, 2009, through May 31, 2010.

8 (v) 0.0203% for June 1, 2010, through May 31, 2011.

9 (vi) 0.0325% for June 1, 2011, through May 31, 2012.

10 (vii) [0.0510%] 0.1500% for June 1, 2012, through  
11 May 31, 2013.

12 (viii) [0.0840%] 0.1700% for June 1, 2013, through  
13 May 31, 2014.

14 (ix) [0.1440%] 0.2041% for June 1, 2014, through May  
15 31, 2015.

16 (x) 0.2500% for June 1, 2015, through May 31, 2016.

17 (xi) 0.2933% for June 1, 2016, through May 31, 2017.

18 (xii) 0.3400% for June 1, 2017, through May 31,  
19 2018.

20 (xiii) 0.3900% for June 1, 2018, through May 31,  
21 2019.

22 (xiv) 0.4433% for June 1, 2019, through May 31,  
23 2020.

24 (xv) 0.5000% for June 1, 2020, and thereafter.

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27 Section 4. Portfolio requirements in other states.

28 (a) General rule.--If an electric distribution supplier or  
29 electric generation company provider sells electricity in any  
30 other state and is subject to renewable energy portfolio

1 requirements in that state, they shall list any such requirement  
2 and shall indicate how it satisfied those renewable energy  
3 portfolio requirements. To prevent double-counting, the electric  
4 distribution supplier or electric generation company shall not  
5 satisfy Pennsylvania's alternative energy portfolio requirements  
6 using alternative energy used to satisfy another state's  
7 portfolio requirements or alternative energy credits already  
8 purchased by individuals, businesses or government bodies that  
9 do not have a compliance obligation under this act unless the  
10 individual, business or government body sells those credits to  
11 the electric distribution company or electric generation  
12 supplier. Energy derived from alternative energy sources inside  
13 the geographical boundaries of this Commonwealth shall be  
14 eligible to meet the compliance requirements under this act.  
15 Energy derived from alternative energy sources located outside  
16 the geographical boundaries of this Commonwealth but within the  
17 service territory of a regional transmission organization that  
18 manages the transmission system in any part of this Commonwealth  
19 shall only be eligible to meet the compliance requirements of  
20 electric distribution companies or electric generation suppliers  
21 located within the service territory of the same regional  
22 transmission organization. For purposes of compliance with this  
23 act, alternative energy sources located in the PJM  
24 Interconnection, L.L.C. regional transmission organization (PJM)  
25 or its successor service territory shall be eligible to fulfill  
26 compliance obligations of all Pennsylvania electric distribution  
27 companies and electric generation suppliers. Energy derived from  
28 alternative energy sources located outside the service territory  
29 of a regional transmission organization that manages the  
30 transmission system in any part of this Commonwealth shall not

1 be eligible to meet the compliance requirements of this act.

2 Electric distribution companies and electric generation  
3 suppliers shall document that this energy was not used to  
4 satisfy another state's renewable energy portfolio standards.

5 (b) Solar photovoltaic technology.--To meet the requirements  
6 of this section, all solar photovoltaic technology registered  
7 after January 1, 2012, shall directly deliver the electricity it  
8 generates to the distribution system operated by an electric  
9 distribution company operating within this Commonwealth and  
10 currently obligated to meet the compliance requirements  
11 contained in this act.

12 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.