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### SENATE BILL 150 - NET METERING PROGRAM & FUND

Summary of Changes ver. \A to ver. \H

**Title:** Conforming changes.

**Section 2. AS 42.05.395 (a)(1)** is amended changing the rate used to calculate credits from the retail power rate to the average wholesale power cost

**(a)(2)** is amended removing the March 31<sup>st</sup> expiration of credits to allow credits to be carried forward for up to 12 months from when the credit accrues before expiring.

**(b)** is deleted. (Allows a load-serving entity to have one net metering program.)

The following subsection is renumbered accordingly.

**(b)** is amended to remove the requirement that an RCA hearing be held to determine that a limitation on consumer-generation is necessary to protect the system reliability. Further amends the subsection by deleting "being unjust and unreasonable" language and replacing with "undue discrimination".

**Inserts new (c)** requiring a load-serving entity establish an alternate rate structure that accurately reflects the entity's costs to provide electrical service.

**Deletes (d)** and inserts language prohibiting a load-serving entity from shifting costs from consumer-generators to those who do not generate power.

**(e) is amended** to require the commission adopt regulations evaluating the new alternate rate structure in (c), which replaces the calculation of recoverable revenue losses as a factor in the commission's regulatory determination.

**(f)** Definitions of "consumer" and "consumer-generator" are amended by replacing "electric utility" with the term "load-serving entity". Includes conforming drafting changes.

**Deletes Section 3** of version \A to remove the Net Metering Reimbursement Fund.

Effective date is changed to July 1, 2026