

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Transportation & Energy.

SB22-090 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 4, after line 20 insert:

2 "(4) (a) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (4)(c) OF THIS
3 SECTION, IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTIONS (2) AND (3)
4 OF THIS SECTION, A RETAIL UTILITY MUST SEND EACH OF ITS CUSTOMERS
5 A NOTIFICATION, TWICE ANNUALLY AND IN BOTH ENGLISH AND SPANISH,
6 BY MEANS OF THE CUSTOMER'S PREFERRED METHOD OF COMMUNICATION,
7 THAT NOTIFIES THE CUSTOMER OF WAYS TO CONSERVE ENERGY DURING
8 WINTER SEVERE WEATHER EVENTS, INCLUDING INFORMATION REGARDING:

9 (I) THERMOSTAT SETTINGS;
10 (II) USE OF ENERGY-INTENSIVE APPLIANCES; AND
11 (III) HOME WEATHERIZATION.

12 (b) A RETAIL UTILITY SHALL SEND THE FIRST SEMIANNUAL
13 NOTIFICATION REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (4)(a) OF THIS SECTION ON
14 OR BEFORE NOVEMBER 1, 2022, AND ON OR BEFORE NOVEMBER 1 OF EACH
15 YEAR THEREAFTER, AND SHALL SEND THE SECOND SEMIANNUAL
16 NOTIFICATION ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2023, AND ON OR BEFORE
17 JANUARY 1 OF EACH YEAR THEREAFTER.

18 (c) NOTWITHSTANDING SUBSECTIONS (2) AND (3) OF THIS SECTION,
19 A COOPERATIVE ELECTRIC ASSOCIATION, AS DEFINED IN SECTION
20 40-9.5-102 (1), NEED ONLY COMPLY WITH THIS SUBSECTION (4) AND NEED
21 NOT PROVIDE ITS CUSTOMERS WITH NOTIFICATION OF A SEVERE WEATHER
22 EVENT."

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