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LD 444

I support LD 444 “An Act to Lower Energy Costs by Repealing the Law Setting Out the State's Goals for Consumption of Electricity from Renewable Resources.”

As I understand it, this bill repeals the law establishing the State's renewable energy goals and amends other provisions of law to remove cross-references to the renewable energy goals.

As energy consumers, we know the burden the high cost of my energy needs places on our budgets. Our electricity delivery and supply charges are high, and increasing constantly. With net energy billing fees plugged into our CMP and Versant bills, we're subsidizing Chinese solar panel manufacturers and out-of-state solar field installers, for very little return. Much anxiety when ordering a tank of fuel oil. So expensive! When do we get a break?

Again, I support LD 444 “An Act to Lower Energy Costs by Repealing the Law Setting Out the State's Goals for Consumption of Electricity from Renewable Resources”, and it “ought to pass.”