

By Senator Bullard

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1                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to electric utilities; requiring that  
3           an electric utility provide on-demand rates to a  
4           single-entity farm that has multiple meters and  
5           produces food, fiber, or timber; requiring that the  
6           electric utility provide for conjunctive billing;  
7           prohibiting the electric utility from imposing a  
8           customer service charge for each of the farm's meters;  
9           providing an effective date.

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11 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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13           Section 1. An electric utility shall provide on-demand  
14 rates to a single-entity farm that has multiple separate meters  
15 and produces food, fiber, or timber. The electric utility shall  
16 also provide for conjunctive billing and may not impose a  
17 separate customer service charge for each of the farm's meters.

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          Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.