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SYNOPSIS

Establishes minimum energy and water efficiency standards for certain products sold, offered for sale, or leased in the State.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As reported by the Senate Environment and Energy Committee on March 4, 2021, with amendments.



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AN ACT establishing minimum energy and water efficiency
 standards for certain products sold, offered for sale, or leased, in
 the State and supplementing Title ¹[48] <u>52</u>¹ of the Revised
 Statutes.

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BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:

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1. The Legislation finds and declares that:

(a) Energy efficiency standards for certain products sold or
installed in the ¹[state] <u>State</u>¹ assure consumers and businesses that
such products meet minimum efficiency performance levels,
thereby reducing energy and water waste and saving consumers and
businesses money on their utility bills;

(b) Energy efficiency standards save energy and therefore
reduce climate-changing emissions and other environmental
impacts associated with the production, distribution, and use of
electricity, natural gas, and other fuels;

(c) Energy efficiency standards save water, mitigate the effects
of short- and long-term droughts, and help to conserve fresh water
supplies;

(d) Energy efficiency standards produce savings resulting from
more efficient products that benefit all consumers but are especially
important to low-income families which spend a disproportionate
share of their income on utilities. Such standards also help the State
and local economy since savings can be instead spent on local
goods and services; and

(e) Energy and water savings help reduce or delay the need for
expensive investments in new power plants, transmission lines,
distribution system upgrades, new and expanded gas pipelines, and
water and sewer infrastructure improvements.

32 1 **[** 2. As used in this act:

33 "Air purifier" means an electric, cord-connected, portable
34 appliance with the primary function of removing particulate matter
35 from the air and which can be moved from room to room.

36 "Cold temperature fluorescent lamp" means a fluorescent bulb or37 lamp that is not a compact fluorescent lamp and which:

(a) is designed to start at -20°F when used with a ballast
conforming to the requirements of the American National Standard
ANSI C78.81 and ANSI C78.901; and

41 (b) is designated as a cold temperature lamp both in markings on
42 the lamp and in marketing materials, including catalogs, sales
43 literature, and promotional material.

44 "Commercial dishwasher" means a machine designed to clean45 and sanitize plates, pots, pans, glasses, cups, bowls, utensils, and

Matter underlined <u>thus</u> is new matter.

EXPLANATION – Matter enclosed in **bold-faced** brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows: ¹Senate SEN committee amendments adopted March 4, 2021.

1 trays by applying sprays of detergent solution and a sanitizing rinse. 2 "Commercial fryer" means an appliance in which oil is placed to 3 such a depth that the cooking food is supported by displacement of the cooking fluid rather than by the bottom of the vessel, and in 4 5 which heat is delivered to the cooking fluid by means of an immersed electric element or by heat transfer from gas burners. 6 7 "Commercial hot-food holding cabinet" means a heated, fully 8 enclosed compartment with one or more solid or transparent doors 9 designed to maintain the temperature of cooked food. 10 "Commercial hot-food holding cabinet" shall not include heated 11 glass merchandizing cabinets, drawer warmers, or cook-and-hold 12 appliances. 13 "Commercial oven" means a chamber designed for heating, 14 roasting, or baking food by conduction, convection, radiation, or 15 electromagnetic energy. 16 "Commercial steam cooker," means a device also known as a "compartment steamer," with one or more food-steaming 17 compartments in which the energy in the steam is transferred to the 18 19 food by direct contact. 20 "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Community 21 Affairs. 22 "Computer" means a computer as defined in California Code of 23 Regulations, Title 20, Section 1602(v). 24 "Computer monitor" means a computer monitor as defined in 25 California Code of Regulations, Title 20, Section 1602(v). "Dual-flush effective flush volume" means the average flush 26 27 volume of two reduced flushes and one full flush. "Dual-flush tank-type toilet" means a toilet that allows the user 28 29 to flush the toilet with either a reduced or a full volume of water. 30 "Electric vehicle service equipment" means the same as the term 31 is defined in section 2 of P.L.2019, c.362 (C.48:25-2). 32 "Faucet" means a private lavatory faucet, residential kitchen 33 faucet, metering faucet, public lavatory faucet, or replacement 34 aerator for a private lavatory, public lavatory or residential kitchen 35 faucet. 36 "General service lamp" means a light bulb, including a general 37 service incandescent lamp, compact fluorescent lamp, general service light-emitting diode lamp, organic light-emitting diode 38 39 lamp, and any other lamps or bulbs that are used to satisfy lighting 40 applications traditionally served by general service incandescent 41 lamps. "State-regulated general service lamp" means any of the 42 43 following medium-based incandescent light bulbs: 44 (1) Shatter-resistant lamps. 45 (2) 3-way lamps. 46 (3) Reflector lamps that are: 47 (a) ER30, BR30, BR40, or ER40 lamps rated at 50 Watts or 48 less;

1 (b) BR30, BR40, or ER40 lamps rated at 65 watts; or 2 (c) R20 lamps rated at 45 watts or less. (4) B, BA, CA, F and G shape lamps as defined in ANSI 3 C79.1:2002 with a lumen output of greater than or equal to 200 and 4 5 rated at 40 watts or less. (5) A and C shape lamps as defined in ANSI C79.1:2002 with 6 7 lumen output greater than or equal to 200 and less than 310. 8 "Hand-held showerhead" means a showerhead that can be held 9 or fixed in place for the purpose of spraying water onto a bather and 10 that is connected to a flexible hose. 11 "High color rendering index fluorescent lamp" means a 12 fluorescent lamp with a color rendering index of 87 or greater that 13 is not a compact fluorescent lamp. 14 "Impact-resistant fluorescent lamp" means a fluorescent lamp or 15 bulb that is not a compact fluorescent lamp and which: 16 (a) has a coating or equivalent technology that is compliant with 17 ANSI 51 and is designed to contain the glass if the glass envelope 18 of the lamp is broken; and (b) is designated and marketed as being impact-resistant, 19 20 shatter-resistant, shatter-proof, or shatter-protected; "Industrial air purifier" means an indoor air cleaning device 21 manufactured, advertised, marketed, labeled, and used solely for 22 23 industrial use that are marketed solely through industrial supply 24 outlets or businesses and prominently labeled as "Solely for 25 industrial use. Potential health hazard: emits ozone;" 26 "Lamp efficacy" or "luminous efficacy" means the measure of 27 how well a light source produces visible light, and which is the ratio of luminous flux to power, measured in lumens per watt. 28 29 "Metering faucet" means a fitting that, when turned on, will 30 gradually shut itself off over a period of several seconds. 31 "On demand water cooler" means the water cooler heats water as 32 it is requested, which typically takes a few minutes to deliver water. 33 "Portable electric spa" means a factory-built electric spa or hot 34 tub which may include any combination of integral controls, water 35 heating, or water circulating equipment. "Pressure regulator" means a device that maintains constant 36 37 operating pressure immediately downstream from the device, given 38 higher pressure upstream. 39 "Public lavatory faucet" means a fitting designed to be installed 40 in nonresidential lavatories that are exposed to walk-in traffic. 41 "Replacement aerator" means an aerator sold as a replacement, separate from the faucet to which it is intended to be attached. 42 "Residential ventilating fan" means a ceiling, wall-mounted, or 43 44 remotely mounted in-line fan designed to be used in a lavatory or 45 utility room, whose purpose is to move air from inside the building 46 to the outdoors.

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1 "Showerhead" means a device through which water is discharged 2 for a shower bath and includes a hand-held showerhead but does not 3 include a safety shower showerhead. 4 "Spray sprinkler body" means the exterior case or shell of a 5 sprinkler incorporating a means of connection to the piping system 6 designed to convey water to a nozzle or orifice. 7 "Trough-type urinal" means a urinal designed for simultaneous 8 use by two or more persons. 9 "Urinal" means a plumbing fixture that receives only liquid body 10 waste and conveys the waste through a trap into a drainage system. 11 "Water cooler" means a freestanding device that consumes energy to cool or heat potable water. \mathbf{J}^1 12 13 14 ¹2. As used in this act: "Air purifier" means an electric, cord-connected, portable 15 16 appliance with the primary function of removing particulate matter from the air and which can be moved from room to room. 17 18 "Cold temperature fluorescent lamp" means a fluorescent bulb or 19 lamp that is not a compact fluorescent lamp and which: 20 (a) is designed to start at -20°F when used with a ballast 21 conforming to the requirements of the American National Standard 22 ANSI C78.81 and ANSI C78.901; and 23 (b) is designated as a cold temperature lamp both in markings on the lamp and in marketing materials, including catalogs, sales 24 25 literature, and promotional material. "Commercial dishwasher" means a machine designed to clean 26 and sanitize plates, pots, pans, glasses, cups, bowls, utensils, and 27 trays by applying sprays of detergent solution and a sanitizing rinse. 28 29 "Commercial fryer" means an appliance in which oil is placed to 30 such a depth that the cooking food is supported by displacement of the cooking fluid rather than by the bottom of the vessel, and in 31 which heat is delivered to the cooking fluid by means of an 32 33 immersed electric element or by heat transfer from gas burners. 34 "Commercial hot-food holding cabinet" means a heated, fully 35 enclosed compartment with one or more solid or transparent doors designed to maintain the temperature of cooked food. 36 37 "Commercial hot-food holding cabinet" shall not include heated glass merchandizing cabinets, drawer warmers, or cook-and-hold 38 39 appliances. 40 "Commercial oven" means a chamber designed for heating, 41 roasting, or baking food by conduction, convection, radiation, or 42 electromagnetic energy. 43 "Commercial steam cooker," means a device also known as a 44 "compartment steamer," with one or more food-steaming 45 compartments in which the energy in the steam is transferred to the 46 food by direct contact. 47 "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Community

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1 the efficiency standards adopted in rules and regulations pursuant to section 1 [3] $\underline{4}^{1}$ of this act. 2 b. No later than one year after the date of enactment of this act, 3 4 no product subject to the requirements of subsection a. or b. of this 5 section may be installed for compensation in the State unless the efficiency of the new product meets or exceeds the efficiency 6 7 standards adopted in rules and regulations pursuant to section $1[3] 4^{1}$ 8 of this act. 9 [3.] <u>4.</u>¹ a. No later than one year after the date of enactment of 10 this act, the commissioner, pursuant to the "Administrative 11 Procedure Act," P.L.1968, c.410 (C.52:14B-1 et seq.), shall adopt 12 rules and regulations to establish energy efficiency standards to 13 14 implement the provisions of this act. 15 b. The rules and regulations shall provide for the minimum 16 efficiency standards for the following products: 17 (1) Air purifiers, except industrial air purifiers, shall meet the 18 following requirements as measured in accordance with the 19 ENERGY STAR Program Requirements Product Specification for Room Air Cleaners, Version 2.0: 20 (a) Clean air delivery rate for smoke shall be 30 or greater; 21 (b) For models with a clean air delivery rate for smoke less than 22 23 100, clean air delivery rate per Watt for smoke shall be greater than 24 or equal to 1.7; (c) For models with a clean air delivery rate for smoke greater 25 26 than or equal to 100 and less than 150, clean air delivery rate per 27 Watt for smoke shall be greater than or equal to 1.9; 28 (d) For models with a clean air delivery rate for smoke greater 29 than or equal to 150, clean air delivery rate per Watt for smoke shall 30 be greater than or equal to 2.0; 31 (e) For ozone-emitting models, measured ozone shall be less 32 than or equal to 50 parts per billion (ppb); 33 (f) For models with a Wi-Fi network connection enabled by 34 default when shipped, partial on mode power shall not exceed 2 35 watts; and (g) For models without a Wi-Fi network connection enabled by 36 37 default when shipped, partial on mode power shall not exceed 1 38 watt. 39 (2) A commercial dishwasher shall meet the product specifications of the "Energy Star Program Requirements for 40 Commercial dishwashers Version 2.0" developed by the United 41 States Environmental Protection Agency ¹[.];¹ 42 (3) A commercial fryer shall meet the product specifications of 43 44 the "Energy Star Program Requirements for Commercial Fryers 45 Version 2.0" developed by the United States Environmental 46 Protection Agency; (4) A commercial hot-food holding cabinet shall meet the 47 48 product specifications of the "Energy Star Program Requirements

for Commercial Hot Food Holding Cabinets Version 2.0" developed
 by the United States Environmental Protection Agency;

3 (5) A commercial oven shall meet the product specifications of

4 the "Energy Star Program Requirements for Commercial Oven
5 Version 2.2" developed by the United States Environmental
6 Protection Agency;

7 (6) A commercial steam cooker shall meet the product
8 specifications of the "Energy Star Program Requirements for
9 Commercial Steam Cookers, Version 1.2" developed by the United
10 States Environmental Protection Agency;

(7) A computer or computer monitor shall meet the
requirements of the California Code of Regulations, Title 20,
Section 1605.3(v) and compliance with those requirements shall be
measured in accordance with test methods prescribed in the
California Code of Regulations, Title 20, Section 1604(v);

(8) Electric vehicle service equipment shall meet the product
specifications of the "Energy Star Program Requirements Product
Specification for Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment, Version 1.0"
developed by the United States Environmental Protection Agency;

(9) A faucet, except for a metering faucet, shall meet the
standards in this paragraph when tested in accordance with
Appendix S to Subpart B of Part 430 of Title 10, Code of Federal
Regulations and compliance with those requirements shall be in
accordance with the "Uniform Test Method for Measuring the
Water Consumption of Faucets and Showerheads";

(a) A lavatory faucet or a replacement aerator for a lavatory
faucet shall not exceed a maximum flow rate of 1.5 gallons per
minute at 60 pounds per square inch;

(b) A residential kitchen faucet or replacement aerator for a
residential kitchen faucet shall not exceed a maximum flow rate of
1.8 gallons per minute at 60 pounds per square inch, with an
optional temporary flow rate of 2.2 gallons per minute, provided the
faucet or replacement aerator defaults to a maximum flow rate of
1.8 gallons per minute at 60 pounds per square inch after each use;
and

36 (c) A public lavatory faucet or a replacement aerator for a
37 public lavatory faucet shall not exceed a maximum flow rate of 0.5
38 gallons per minute at 60 pounds per square inch ¹[;].¹

39 (10) A state-regulated general service lamp shall meet a lamp
40 efficacy of 45 lumens per watt, when tested in accordance with the
41 applicable federal test procedures for general service lamps,
42 prescribed in Section 430.23(gg) of Title 10, Code of Federal
43 Regulations;

(11) A High color rendering index, cold temperature, or impactresistant fluorescent lamp shall meet the minimum efficacy
requirements contained in Section 430.32(n)(4) of Title 10, Code of
Federal Regulations, as measured in accordance with the "Uniform
Test Method for Measuring Average Lamp Efficacy (LE), Color

1 Rendering Index (CRI), and Correlated Color Temperature (CCT) 2 of Electric Lamps" in Appendix R to Subpart B of Part 430 of Title 3 10, Code of Federal Regulations; 4 (12) A portable electric spa shall meet the requirements of the "American National Standard for Portable Electric Spa Energy 5 Efficiency 14-2019"; 6 7 (13) An in-line residential ventilating fan shall have a fan motor efficacy of no less than 2.8 cubic feet per minute per watt. All other 8 9 residential ventilating fans shall have a fan motor efficacy of no less 10 than 1.4 cubic feet per minute per watt for airflows less than 90 cubic feet per minute and no less than 2.8 cubic feet per minute per 11 12 watt for other airflows when tested in accordance with Home 13 Ventilation Institute Publication 916 "HVI Airflow Test Procedure" 1,1 14 15 (14) A showerhead shall not exceed a maximum flow rate of 16 2.0 gallons per minute at 80 pounds per square inch when tested in 17 accordance with Appendix S to Subpart B of Part 430 of Title 10, 18 Code of Federal Regulations and compliance with those 19 requirements shall be the "Uniform Test Method for Measuring the Water Consumption of Faucets and Showerheads ¹[;"] ";¹ 20 21 (15) A spray sprinkler body that is not specifically excluded 22 from the scope of the United States Environmental Protection Agency's WaterSense program "Specification for Spray Sprinkler 23 24 Bodies, Version 1.0," shall include an integral pressure regulator 25 and shall meet the water efficiency and performance criteria and 26 other requirements of the "Specification for Spray Sprinkler Bodies, 27 Version 1.0" ¹[.];¹ 28 (16) A urinal or toilet, other than those designed and marketed 29 exclusively for use at prisons or mental health facilities, shall meet 30 the standards in subparagraphs (a) through (d) when tested in 31 accordance with Appendix T to Subpart B of Part 430 of Title 10, 32 Code of Federal Regulations "Uniform Test Method for Measuring 33 the Water Consumption of Water Closets and Urinals." A toilet 34 shall be required to pass the waste extraction test for toilets in the 35 American Society of Mechanical Engineers standardA112.19.2, 36 Section 7.9; 37 (a) A wall-mounted urinal, except for a trough-type urinal, shall 38 have a maximum flush volume of 0.5 gallons per flush; 39 (b) A floor-mounted urinal, except for a trough-type urinal, shall 40 have a maximum flush volume of 0.5 gallons per flush; 41 (c) A toilet, except for a dual-flush tank-type toilet, shall have a 42 maximum flush volume of 1.28 gallons per flush; ¹and¹ (d) A dual-flush tank-type toilet shall have a maximum dual-43 44 flush effective flush volume of 1.28 gallons per flush. 45 (17) A water cooler shall meet the product specifications of the 46 "Energy Star Program Requirements Product Specification for

Water Coolers, Version 2.0" developed by the United States 47 48 Environmental Protection Agency.

¹[4.] 5^{1} . The provisions of this act shall not apply to: 1 2 (1) new products manufactured in the State and sold outside the 3 State; 4 (2) new products manufactured outside the State and sold at 5 wholesale inside the State for final retail sale and installation 6 outside the State; (3) products installed in mobile manufactured homes at the time 7 8 of construction; or 9 (4) products designed expressly for installation and use in 10 recreational vehicles. 11 ¹[5.] $\underline{6.}^{1}$ a. The commissioner may require an updated test 12 13 method pursuant to rules and regulations adopted pursuant to the "Administrative Procedure Act," P.L.1968, c.410 (C.52:14B-1 et seq.) 14 15 when a new test procedure becomes available for a product regulated 16 pursuant to this act. 17 b. The commissioner shall identify each product regulated pursuant to section $1[3] \underline{4}^1$ of this act and shall allow the use of 18 existing marks, labels, or tags, to denote compliance with the 19 20 efficiency requirements of this act, pursuant to rules and regulations adopted pursuant to the "Administrative Procedure Act," P.L.1968, 21 c.410 (C.52:14B-1 et seq.). 22 23 ¹[6.] $7.^{1}$ a. A manufacturer of a product regulated pursuant to 24 25 section 1 [3] $\underline{4}^{1}$ of this act shall annually test samples of its products in 26 accordance with the test procedures adopted pursuant to this act. b. A manufacturer of a product regulated pursuant to section ¹[3] 27 28 4¹ of this act shall annually certify to the commissioner that the 29 product is in compliance with the provisions of this act. 30 c. A manufacturer of a product regulated pursuant to section ¹[3] 31 4^{1} of this act shall identify that each product offered for sale in the 32 State is in compliance with the provisions of this act by means of a 33 mark, label, or tag on the product and packaging at the time of sale. 34 d. With prior notice, the commissioner may periodically inspect 35 distributors or retailers of new products regulated pursuant to this act 36 in order to determine compliance with the provisions of this act. 37 e. The commissioner shall investigate complaints received 38 concerning violations of this act and shall report the results of such 39 investigations to the Attorney General. A manufacturer, distributor, 40 retailer, or person who violates the provisions of this act, shall be 41 issued a warning by the commissioner for a first violation and shall be 42 subject to a civil penalty of up to \$100 for each subsequent offense. 43 Third and subsequent violations shall be subject to a civil penalty of 44 not more than \$500 for each offense. Each violation shall constitute a 45 separate offense, and each day that such violation continues shall 46 constitute a separate offense.

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1 f. If a product regulated pursuant to this act is found not to be in 2 compliance with the minimum efficiency standards established under 3 this act, the commissioner shall issue a violation to the manufacturer of 4 such product which shall subject the manufacturer to a civil penalty 5 equal to the cost of product purchase and testing. The commissioner 6 shall make information available to the Attorney General and the 7 public on products found not to be in compliance with the standards.

8 g. A civil penalty imposed pursuant to this section shall be 9 collected in a summary manner under the "Penalty Enforcement Law 10 of 1999," P.L.1999, c.274 (C.2A:58-10 et seq.). All monies shall be 11 deposited into the Societal Benefits Charge account.

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¹[7.] <u>8.</u>¹ No later than 3 years after the date of enactment of this 13 act, the Department of Community Affairs shall conduct a study to 14 15 evaluate whether to add additional products to those regulated 16 pursuant to this act, and whether to adopt more stringent energy 17 standards or water conservation standards. The commissioner shall 18 submit a written report thereon to the Governor and, pursuant to 19 section 2 of P.L.1991, c.164 (C.52:14-19.1), to the Legislature with 20 recommendations for legislative action.

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22 1 [8.] <u>9.</u>¹ This act shall take effect on January 1, 2022.