

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

SENATE BILL 529

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to the Corporation Commission; authorizing certain compensation for producers of solar energy; establishing procedures for billing utility companies and cooperatives in certain conditions; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 156.1 of Title 17, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. For solar power produced in excess of on-site requirements, as detailed in the purchase agreement, a producer shall be compensated by the retail purchase meter running in reverse. The cooperative or utility shall bill the producer for the excess of energy supplied by the cooperative or utility over and above the energy supplied by the producer during each billing period according to the cooperative or utility's applicable retail rate schedule.

B. When the solar energy provided by a producer exceeds the energy supplied by the cooperative or utility during a billing

1 period, the monthly charge and/or minimum bill of the retail rate
2 schedule shall be billed by the cooperative or utility. The excess
3 energy shall carry forward for a period of twelve (12) months from
4 the date of generation and the producer shall be compensated by
5 applying such credits against the kilowatt-hour portion of the bill
6 of the producer.

7 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

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