In line 98 of the title, after "4779.08," insert "4928.02,"

In line 293, after "4779.08," insert "4928.02,"

After line 58833, insert:

"Sec. 4928.02. It is the policy of this state to do the following throughout this state:

(A) Ensure the availability to consumers of adequate, reliable, safe, efficient, nondiscriminatory, and reasonably priced retail electric service;

(B) Ensure the availability of unbundled and comparable retail electric service that provides consumers with the supplier, price, terms, conditions, and quality options they elect to meet their respective needs;

(C) Ensure diversity of electricity supplies and suppliers, by giving consumers effective choices over the selection of those supplies and suppliers and by encouraging the development of distributed and small generation facilities;

(D) Encourage innovation and market access for cost-effective supply- and demand-side retail electric service including, but not limited to, demand-side management, time-differentiated pricing, waste energy recovery systems, smart grid programs, and implementation of advanced metering infrastructure;

(E) Encourage cost-effective and efficient access to
information regarding the operation of the transmission and
distribution systems of electric utilities in order to promote
both effective customer choice of retail electric service and the
development of performance standards and targets for service
quality for all consumers, including annual achievement reports
written in plain language;

(F) Ensure that an electric utility's transmission and
distribution systems are available to a customer-generator or
owner of distributed generation, so that the customer-generator or
owner can market and deliver the electricity it produces;

(G) Recognize the continuing emergence of competitive
electricity markets through the development and implementation of
flexible regulatory treatment;

(H) Ensure effective competition in the provision of retail
electric service by avoiding anticompetitive subsidies flowing
from a noncompetitive retail electric service to a competitive
retail electric service or to a product or service other than
retail electric service, and vice versa, including by prohibiting
the recovery of any generation-related costs through distribution
or transmission rates;

(I) Ensure retail electric service consumers protection
against unreasonable sales practices, market deficiencies, and
market power;

(J) Provide coherent, transparent means of giving appropriate
incentives to technologies that can adapt successfully to
potential environmental mandates;

(K) Encourage implementation of distributed generation across
customer classes through regular review and updating of
administrative rules governing critical issues such as, but not
limited to, interconnection standards, standby charges, and net
metering;

(L) Protect at-risk populations, including, but not limited
to, when considering the implementation of any new advanced energy
or renewable energy resource;

(M) Encourage the education of small business owners in this
state regarding the use of, and encourage the use of, energy
efficiency programs and alternative energy resources in their
businesses;

(N) Facilitate the state's effectiveness in the global
economy.

(O) Encourage cost-effective, timely, and efficient access to
and sharing of customer usage data with customers and competitive
suppliers to promote customer choice and grid modernization.

(P) Ensure that a customer's data is provided in a standard
format and provided to third parties in as close to real time as
is economically justifiable in order to spur economic investment
and improve the energy options of individual customers.

In carrying out this policy, the commission shall consider
rules as they apply to the costs of electric distribution
infrastructure, including, but not limited to, line extensions,
for the purpose of development in this state."

In line 82884, after "4779.08," insert "4928.02,"

The motion was __________ agreed to.

SYNOPSIS
Consumer rights regarding electric usage data

R.C. 4928.02

Adds to the competitive retail electric service policy of the state that it 1) encourages cost-effective, timely, and efficient access to and sharing of customer usage data with customers and suppliers, and 2) seeks to ensure that a customer's data is provided in standard format and provided to third parties approximately in real time in order to spur investment and improve energy options of customers.