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 Enacted	Clean Energy and Renewable Portfolio Standards 30.5% renewable energy by 2020 50% by 2030 Executive Order 01.01.2024.19 directs the Maryland Energy Administration to "establish a framework for a clean energy standard to achieve 100% clean electricity in Maryland by 2035." Establishing Policies <ul style="list-style-type: none">• SB 516 (2019)• Executive Order 01.01.2024.19 (2024)	Electricity	Energy Plans and Targets	2019
	Electricity Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reduction Targets Electricity greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions reduction targets are set by a state to limit GHG emissions in the electricity sector. These targets aim to reduce emissions by different amounts over time, often expressed as percentage relative to a baseline year.			
	Clean Energy Plans Clean energy plans are documents that outline the policies and strategies states can implement to meet clean energy targets. Draft plans are often published first, and after a period of public comments and revisions, a final plan is released.			
 Not Enacted				

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 Enacted	Distributed Generation Carve-out The State Policy Opportunity Tracker (SPOT) breaks clean energy policies down into “components”, which are binary questions to evaluate policy quality. Higher quality policies have more of their SPOT components fulfilled. Establishing Policies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPOT – Generation Carve-outs in Maryland Policy Components  5/5	Electricity	Clean Energy Generation	
 Partially Enacted	Net Metering The State Policy Opportunity Tracker (SPOT) breaks clean energy policies down into “components”, which are binary questions to evaluate policy quality. Higher quality policies have more of their SPOT components fulfilled. Establishing Policies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPOT - Net Metering in Maryland • SPOT - Aggregate Net Metering in Maryland Policy Components  9/11	Electricity	Clean Energy Generation	

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Shared Renewables				
<div><div></div><div>Partially Enacted</div></div>	<p>The State Policy Opportunity Tracker (SPOT) breaks clean energy policies down into “components”, which are binary questions to evaluate policy quality. Higher quality policies have more of their SPOT components fulfilled.</p>	Electricity	Clean Energy Generation	
	<p>Establishing Policies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• SPOT - Shared Renewables in Maryland			
	<p>Policy Components</p> <div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div> <p>5/6</p>			
Community Choice Aggregation				
<div><div></div><div>Enacted</div></div>	<p>Maryland has an active community choice aggregation program.</p>	Electricity	Clean Energy Generation	2021
	<p>Establishing Policies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• HB 768 (2021)			
Energy Storage Targets				
<div><div></div><div>Enacted</div></div>	<p>750 megawatts (MW) of storage capacity by 2027, 1,500 MW by 2030, and 3,000 MW by 2033</p>	Electricity	Transmission, Distribution, and Energy Storage	2023
	<p>Establishing Policies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• HB 910 (2023)			



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Interconnection Standards				
 Enacted	<p>Maryland received a C grade from Freeing the Grid.</p> <p>Establishing Policies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Freeing the Grid Maryland Grade (2023)	Electricity	Transmission, Distribution, and Energy Storage	2023
Coal Phaseouts				
 Not Enacted	<p>Coal phaseouts establish a target year by which states must end coal-fired power generation.</p>	Electricity	Coal Retirement	
Coal Plant Securitization				
 Not Enacted	<p>Coal securitization is a financing tool that allows utility companies to refinance debt they issued to build coal plants and close the facilities early without taking a financial hit or passing costs on to ratepayers.</p>	Electricity	Coal Retirement	