

COMPARISON TABLE, ENERGY SAVINGS ACCOUNT: EXISTING, S.276, AND H.739

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	Existing ESA	ESA under S.276	ESA under H.739
Eligibility Criteria	Business customer paying at least \$5,000/year in EEC	Business customer paying at least \$5,000/year in EEC OR <u>business located in an industrial park in a rural area</u>	Competitive solicitation to be conducted by EVT, DPS, ACCD; open to commercial or industrial customers located in EVT service area (not Burlington) that are not eligible for SMEEP
Allocation (self-administration/system-wide)	70/30	No change proposed	100%
Availability of EVT expertise	Technical assistance is available upon request; historically, has been limited	No change proposed	(b) Establishes "partnership pilot" for customers to self-direct "working with EVT"; (b)(1) Technical assistance and other services are available from Efficiency Vermont; (b)(2) Evaluation, measurement, and verification activity conducted by the Department or EVT; (d) Development of energy management plans
Types of projects	Electric energy efficiency: measure identification, analysis, design, and installation (labor and materials)	No change proposed	Electric energy efficiency, thermal energy and process-fuel efficiency for unregulated fuels, productivity measures, demand management, and energy storage that provides benefits to the customer and its interconnecting utility