

REFERENCE TITLE: energy efficient appliance standards

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AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 49, CHAPTER 1, ARTICLE 1, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY
ADDING SECTION 49-119; RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL
QUALITY.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 49, chapter 1, article 1, Arizona Revised
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 49-119, to read:

4 49-119. Energy efficiency standards; rules; energy star;
5 violation

6 A. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ADOPT BY RULE ENERGY EFFICIENCY STANDARDS
7 FOR PRODUCTS SOLD IN THIS STATE. THE RULES SHALL BE BASED ON AND AT LEAST
8 AS STRINGENT AS THE STANDARDS USED IN THE ENERGY STAR PROGRAM ADOPTED BY
9 THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY AND THE UNITED STATES
10 DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY. THE RULES SHALL INCLUDE A REQUIREMENT THAT PRODUCTS
11 SOLD IN THIS STATE MUST BE ENERGY STAR APPROVED EXCEPT FOR THOSE
12 CATEGORIES OF PRODUCTS FOR WHICH THERE IS NO ENERGY STAR APPROVED PRODUCT.

13 B. ON ADOPTION OF RULES AS PRESCRIBED BY THIS SECTION, A PERSON MAY
14 NOT SELL IN THIS STATE A PRODUCT THAT IS NOT AN ENERGY STAR APPROVED
15 PRODUCT UNLESS THE PRODUCT IS OF A TYPE FOR WHICH THERE IS NO ENERGY STAR
16 APPROVED PRODUCT.

17 C. A PERSON WHO SELLS A PRODUCT IN VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION
18 COMMITS AN UNLAWFUL PRACTICE UNDER SECTION 44-1522 AND IS SUBJECT TO THE
19 REMEDIES PRESCRIBED IN TITLE 44, CHAPTER 10, ARTICLE 7.