

2016 -- S 3033 SUBSTITUTE A

=====
LC006012/SUB A
=====

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2016

—————
A N A C T

RELATING TO THE TOWN OF NEW SHOREHAM

Introduced By: Senator V. Susan Sosnowski

Date Introduced: May 19, 2016

Referred To: Senate Commerce

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. The town of New Shoreham is authorized to submit to the qualified electors
2 of the town of New Shoreham at the next general election in November of 2016 for their approval
3 the following referendum question:

4 "In the event that the town of New Shoreham shall acquire the assets of the Block Island
5 Power Company, shall those assets be operated as (choose one):

6 (A) The New Shoreham Utility Association, as a quasi-public municipal corporation, to
7 be created by an act of the General Assembly, within twelve (12) months of the date of passage of
8 this referendum;

9 (B) The New Shoreham Utility Association, as a nonprofit cooperative, to be created by
10 an act of the General Assembly, within twelve (12) months of the date of passage of this
11 referendum;

12 (C) A department of the town government."

13 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

=====
LC006012/SUB A
=====

EXPLANATION
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
OF
A N A C T
RELATING TO THE TOWN OF NEW SHOREHAM

- 1 This act would authorize a referendum for the voters of the town of New Shoreham to
- 2 determine the structure of an electrical utility to be acquired by the town.
- 3 This act would take effect upon passage.

=====
LC006012/SUB A
=====