

ComEd TRM Policy Updates

EISA Exemption – General Service lighting

What is EISA Exempt Lighting

- **Background**

- Energy Independence and Security Act (EISA) signed in 2007
- Required all lamps to meet ≥ 45 lumens/watt by Jan 1, 2020

- **DOE Final Rule (May 2022)**

- Enforces 45 lumens/watt standard for General Service Lamps (GSLs)
- Effectively eliminates incandescent and halogen baselines

- **Current TRM Exemption**

- Direct Install, Kit, and Retail programs allowed to offer impacted bulbs:
 - Through mid-2023 for market-rate (MR) customers and through 2025 for Income-Qualified (IQ) customers

- **Issue:**

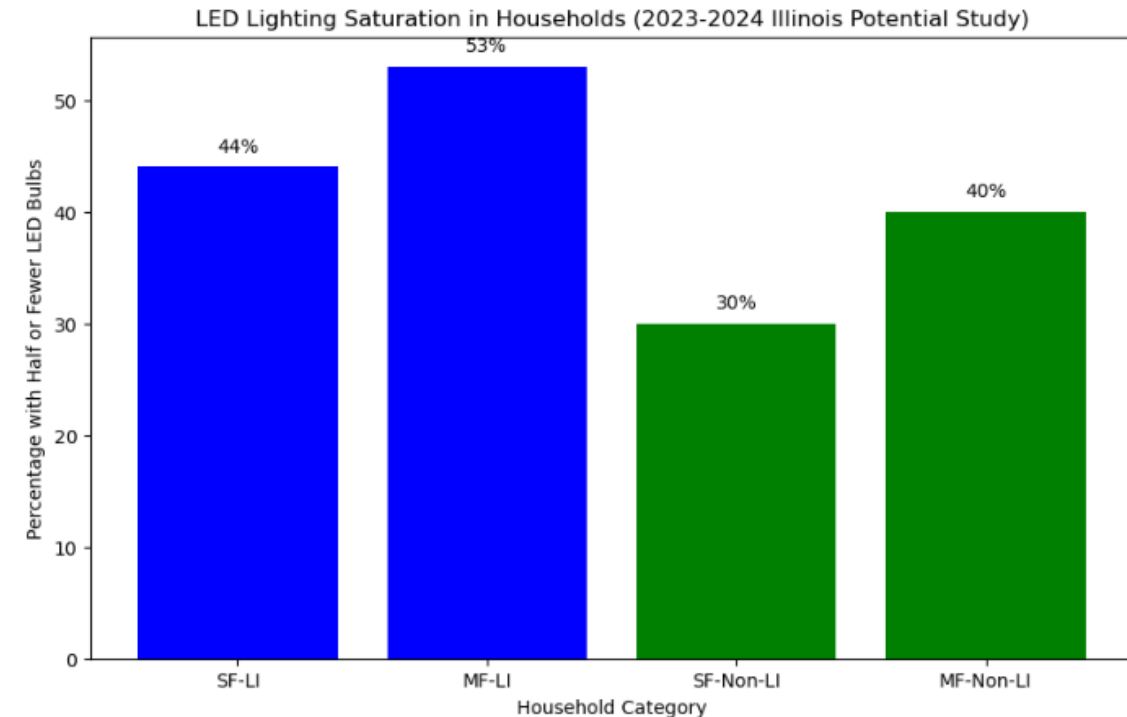
- Baseline study shows IQ households are not in parity with MR Households for LED lighting adoption
- There are still too many IE customers who have not taken advantage of the exemption, continued influence is necessary to achieve parity between sectors

- **Policy Proposal**

- Extend eligibility for GSL offerings to income-qualified customers

Baseline Study and IE Lighting Saturation

- The 2023-2024 Illinois Baseline Study shows that screw-based lighting in Low-Income (LI) homes is not where we expected it to be by the end of 2025. The potential study shows:
 - 50% lower than equivalent market rate customers for single family and just under 50% lower for MF customers
 - **We need to continue to support income qualified households transition to more energy efficient lighting technology**
- How do we continue to support IE customers in this transition:
 - Extend eligibility for EISA-impacted bulbs for Income-qualified households through 2029
 - Allow impacted bulbs in kits and retail programs through 2029





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