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HOUSE BILL NO. 340

Offered January 10, 2024 Prefiled January 5, 2024

A BILL to provide that certain underground transmission lines are in the public interest.

Patrons—Thomas and Lovejoy

Referred to Committee on Labor and Commerce

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

10 1. § 1. The construction and reconstruction of any underground, in whole or in part, electrical transmission lines of at least 69 kilovolts and less than 500 kilovolts along a highway right-of-way under the jurisdiction of the Department of Transportation in Planning District 8 where a data center proposal is under construction in an area located within a half mile of a National Battlefield Park and within one mile of a state forest is in the public interest.