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23107250D 1 HOUSE BILL NO. 2305 234567 AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE (Proposed by the Senate Committee on Commerce and Labor on February 20, 2023) (Patron Prior to Substitute—Delegate Webert) A BILL to require certain electric utilities to demonstrate that certain electrical generating facilities were subject to competitive procurement or solicitation. 8 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia: 9 **1.** § 1. In any petition by a Phase I or Phase II Utility, as those terms are defined in subdivision A 1 of § 56-585.1 of the Code of Virginia, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct and 10 operate an electrical generating facility that generates electric energy derived from sunlight submitted 11 pursuant to § 56-580 of the Code of Virginia, such utility shall demonstrate that the proposed facility 12 13 was subject to competitive procurement or solicitation pursuant to subdivision D 3 of § 56-585.5 of the

14 Code of Virginia.