

1 VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY — CHAPTER

2 *An Act to direct the State Corporation Commission and the Department of Housing and Community*
3 *Development to provide technical assistance to the Commission on Electric Utility Regulation if the*
4 *Commission evaluates the design and deployment of the electrical distribution infrastructure*
5 *necessary to support the installation of electric vehicle charging facilities in certain residential*
6 *developments.*

7 [H 405]

8 Approved

9 **Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:**

10 **1. § 1.** *That the State Corporation Commission and the Department of Housing and Community*
11 *Development shall provide technical assistance to the Commission on Electric Utility Regulation (the*
12 *Commission) should the Commission elect to undertake an evaluation of the design and deployment of*
13 *the electrical distribution infrastructure necessary to support the installation of electric vehicle charging*
14 *facilities in new developments consisting of single-family and multifamily residential units. Such*
15 *evaluation shall include an assessment of (i) any design standards and requirements utilized by*
16 *investor-owned utilities in the planning, construction, or installation of electrical distribution*
17 *infrastructure for such developments; (ii) requirements and standards for the siting and placement of*
18 *electric vehicle charging infrastructure within such developments; (iii) potential modifications to*
19 *electrical distribution infrastructure design standards and requirements; and (iv) other matters that the*
20 *Commission deems relevant to minimize impact on planned density and layout of any new residential or*
21 *multifamily development. In conducting its evaluation, the Commission shall engage representatives from*
22 *the residential and commercial development industries, private sector utility consultants, and other*
23 *stakeholders as determined by the Commission.*

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