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BY: Senator Raskin

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1168  
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 6, after “date” insert “, subject to a certain exception: providing that, if the Commission requires, as a condition of approving a certificate of public convenience and necessity, that an applicant has entered into a certain agreement, the Commission may approve a certificate of public convenience and necessity for, and a person may undertake, construction of a wind-powered generating station that includes a wind turbine of any height”; and in line 8, after “facilities” insert “under certain circumstances”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 6, in line 16, after “**(2)**” insert “**(I)**”; in the same line, strike “**THE**” and substitute “**EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, THE**”; after line 21, insert:

**“(II) IF THE COMMISSION REQUIRES, AS A CONDITION FOR APPROVING A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY, THAT THE APPLICANT HAS ENTERED INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY AND THE PATUXENT RIVER NAVAL AIR STATION THAT PROVIDES FOR THE MITIGATION OF ANY ADVERSE IMPACT OF THE GENERATING STATION ON MILITARY OPERATIONS AND READINESS UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE SITING CLEARINGHOUSE PROCEDURES FOR THE LIFE OF THE GENERATING STATION, THE COMMISSION MAY APPROVE A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR, AND A PERSON MAY UNDERTAKE, CONSTRUCTION OF A WIND-POWERED GENERATING STATION THAT INCLUDES ANY WIND TURBINE OF ANY HEIGHT.”;**

(Over)

and in line 23, after “STATION” insert “CONSTRUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY APPROVED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPH (2)(I) OF THIS SUBSECTION”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 7, in line 28, strike “IN” and substitute “EXCEPT FOR APPLICATIONS FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY WHERE THE APPLICANT HAS ENTERED INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY AND THE PATUXENT RIVER NAVAL AIR STATION THAT PROVIDES FOR THE MITIGATION OF ANY ADVERSE IMPACT OF THE GENERATING STATION ON MILITARY OPERATIONS AND READINESS UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE SITING CLEARINGHOUSE PROCEDURES, IN”; and in the same line, strike “ANY PROPOSAL” and substitute “AN APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY”.