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AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 836

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On page 5, after line 2, insert:

- "(2) "MAJOR HIGHWAY CAPACITY EXPANSION PROJECT" INCLUDES
 ANY MAJOR CAPITAL PROJECT THAT IS PART OF A GROUP OF MAJOR CAPITAL
 PROJECTS:
- (1) THAT SATISFY THE REQUIREMENTS OF PARAGRAPH (1)(II) OF THIS SUBSECTION;
 - (II) THAT ARE CONTIGUOUS WITH ONE ANOTHER; AND

and in line 3, strike "(2)" and substitute "(3)".

On page 6, in line 15, after "ASSESSMENTS", insert ", INCLUDING BY DEVELOPING A METHODOLOGY, IN COLLABORATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT, TO CALCULATE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS FROM MAJOR HIGHWAY CAPACITY EXPANSION PROJECTS"; in line 26, strike "THE" and substitute ":

- (I) WORST-CASE SCENARIO PLANNING ASSUMPTIONS; AND
- (II) THE";

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and in line 28, strike "(I)" and substitute "1.".

On page 7, in lines 1 and 3, strike "(II)" and "(III)", respectively, and substitute "2." and "3.", respectively.

On page 8, in line 24, after "TO" insert a colon; in line 25, strike "ELIMINATE" and substitute:

- "(1) <u>ELIMINATE</u>"; in the same line, strike "GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS OR"; and in line 26, after "TRAVELED" insert "; AND
- (2) REDUCE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS TO CONFORM WITH THE GREENHOUSE GAS REDUCTION TARGETS ESTABLISHED UNDER § 2–1205 OF THE ENVIRONMENT ARTICLE".

On page 11, after line 7, insert:

"(3) A MITIGATION ACTION MAY NOT BE AN ACTION THAT WAS:

- (I) INCLUDED IN ANOTHER MITIGATION PLAN; OR
- (II) PLANNED PRIOR TO THE PLANNING OF THE MAJOR HIGHWAY EXPANSION PROJECT FOR WHICH A MITIGATION PLAN IS BEING DEVELOPED."