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BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 666

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with "reducing" in line 3 down through "applies;" in line 4; in line 11, after "areas;" insert "requiring the Public Service Commission to ensure compliance with certain requirements when reviewing an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity;".

On page 2, in line 8, after "5-1603(c)(3)" insert " $\underline{, (f)}$,"; in the same line, strike "5-1604(a),"; strike in their entirety lines 12 through 16, inclusive; in line 19, after "Section" insert " $\underline{5-1604(a)}$,"; and in the same line, after "5-1607(e)" insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 32, strike "PRIME" and substitute "PRODUCTIVE".

On page 3, in line 8, strike the brackets; in the same line, strike "**20,000**"; strike beginning with the bracket in line 24 down through "(6)" in line 31; and in line 32, strike "(7)]" and substitute "(6)".

On page 4, in lines 6, 9, 13, and 15, in each instance, strike "(6)", "(7)", "(8)", and "(9)", respectively, and substitute "(7)", "(8)", "(9)", and "(10)", respectively.

On page 5, in lines 4 and 9, in each instance, strike the bracket; in line 4, strike "After December 31, 1992, the" and substitute "<u>THE</u>"; strike beginning with "give" in line 4 down through "forth" in line 6 and substitute "<u>ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS</u>"; in line 10, strike the brackets; in the same line, strike "(F)"; in line 20, strike the brackets; in line 21, strike "**20,000**"; and in the same line, strike "**OR GREATER**".

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AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 6, in line 5, after "(c)" insert "(1) TREES, SHRUBS, AND PLANTS
LOCATED IN SENSITIVE AREAS INCLUDING 100-YEAR FLOODPLAINS,
INTERMITTENT AND PERENNIAL STREAMS AND THEIR BUFFERS, COASTAL BAYS
AND THEIR BUFFERS, STEEP SLOPES, AND CRITICAL HABITATS SHALL BE:

- (I) <u>CONSIDERED PRIORITY FOR RETENTION AND</u> PROTECTION;
- (II) LEFT IN AN UNDISTURBED CONDITION UNLESS THE APPLICANT HAS DEMONSTRATED, TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE STATE OR LOCAL AUTHORITY THAT REASONABLE EFFORTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO PROTECT THEM AND THE PLAN CANNOT REASONABLY BE ALTERED.

(2)";

strike beginning with "(1)" in line 11 down through "(2)" in line 14 and substitute "(II)"; in lines 16, 18, and 21 strike "(3)", "(4)", and "(5)", respectively, and substitute "(III)", "(III)", and "(IV)", respectively; and in lines 22 and 23 strike "(i)" and "(ii)", respectively, and substitute "1." and "2.", respectively.