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BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 809

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike "and Wilkins" and substitute "Wilkins, Alston, Bhandari, Chisholm, Cullison, Guzzone, Hill, Hutchinson, S. Johnson, Kaiser, Kerr, Kipke, R. Lewis, Martinez, M. Morgan, Pena-Melnyk, Reilly, Rosenberg, Szeliga, White, and Woods"; in line 14, strike "without" and substitute "with"; and strike line 24 in its entirety.

On page 2, strike lines 1 and 2 in their entirety; and in line 5, after "4" insert "and $\underline{5}$ ".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 22, strike "**2024**" and substitute "**2025**"; and in line 29, strike "2024" and substitute "**2025**".

On page 3, strike in their entirety lines 4 through 15, inclusive; in line 28, strike "December" and substitute "**SEPTEMBER**"; in the same line, strike "**2023**" and substitute "**2024**"; after line 28, insert:

"SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the certification agency designated by the Board of Public Works under § 14–303(b) of the State Finance and Procurement Article to certify and decertify minority business enterprises, in consultation with the Office of the Attorney General and the Governor's Office of Small, Minority, and Women Business Affairs, shall initiate an analysis of the disparity study submitted in accordance with [Chapter 340 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2017]

THIS ACT to determine if it applies to the type of work that will be likely to be performed by an approved applicant with respect to an offshore wind project under § 7–704.1(i) of the Public Utilities Article as enacted by Section 2 of this Act and submit a report on

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the analysis to the Legislative Policy Committee of the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, on or before [December 1, 2022] **SEPTEMBER 30, 2024**.";

in line 31, strike "SEPTEMBER 1, 2024" and substitute "<u>JULY 1, 2025</u>"; and in line 35, strike "2023" and substitute "<u>2025</u>".

On page 4, in line 22, strike the brackets; in the same line, strike "**DECEMBER**"; in the same line, strike "2023" and substitute "**2024**"; in line 23, strike "2024" and substitute "**2025**"; in line 29, strike "**2023**" and substitute "**2025**"; in line 30, strike "2024" and substitute "**2026**"; and in line 36, strike "**2023**" and substitute "**2025**".