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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 1342

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 1342, AS AMENDED,
3 with reference to page and line numbers of Senate Amendment
4 No. 2, on page 12, line 25, by replacing "days" with "business
5 days"; and

6 on page 13, line 13, by replacing "parties" with "parties,
7 including legal counsel,"; and

8 on page 13, line 18, after "accused", by inserting "or the
9 accused's legal counsel"; and

10 on page 16, line 1, by replacing "January" with "July"; and

11 on page 16, immediately below line 4, by inserting the
12 following:

13 "(c) For the purposes of determining compliance with this
14 Section, a Service Board shall not be deemed to be in violation

1 of this Section when failure to comply is due to:

2 (1) the unavailability of zero-emission buses from a
3 manufacturer or funding to purchase zero-emission buses;

4 (2) the lack of necessary charging, fueling, or
5 storage facilities or funding to procure charging,
6 fueling, or storage facilities; or

7 (3) the inability of a third party to enter into a
8 contractual or commercial relationship with a Service
9 Board that is necessary to carry out the purposes of this
10 Section."; and

11 on page 17, by replacing lines 8 through 11 with "violation is
12 not practicable, then the Authority shall make a reasonable
13 effort to provide notice to the individual by personal
14 service, by mailing a copy of the notice by certified mail,
15 return receipt requested, and first-class mail to the person's
16 current address, or by emailing a copy of the notice to an
17 email address on file, if available. If the"; and

18 on page 18, line 2, by replacing "days" with "business days";
19 and

20 on page 18, line 16, by replacing "parties" with "parties,
21 including legal counsel,"; and

22 on page 18, line 21, after "accused", by inserting "or the

1 accused's legal counsel"; and

2 on page 20, line 20, after "cards", by inserting "with a value
3 of \$20 per card"; and

4 by replacing line 26 on page 33 through line 5 on page 34 with
5 the following:

6 "The Authority shall file a statement certifying that the
7 Service Boards published the data described in subsection
8 (b-5) with the General Assembly and the Governor after
9 adoption of the Annual Budget and Two-Year Financial Plan
10 required by subsection (a). If the Authority fails to file a
11 statement certifying publication of the data, then the
12 appropriations to the Department of Transportation for grants
13 to the Authority intended to reimburse the Service Boards for
14 providing free and reduced fares shall be withheld.

15 (b-5) For fiscal years 2024 and 2025, the Service Boards
16 must publish a monthly".