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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1653

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 1653 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Illinois Highway Code is amended by adding
5 Section 4-225 as follows:

6 (605 ILCS 5/4-225 new)

7 Sec. 4-225. Low-clearance early warning device pilot
8 program. The Department shall establish a pilot program to
9 erect early warning devices on or near bridges or viaducts in
10 this State. Early warning devices may include, but are not
11 limited to, LiDAR, radar, visual signals, or additional
12 signage. The Department may work with interested stakeholders
13 to identify bridges and viaducts for the erection of early
14 warning devices on roads outside of the Department's
15 jurisdiction. The pilot program shall include, but is not
16 limited to, evaluating the effectiveness of an early warning

1 device, design specifications, and estimated costs. The
2 Department may adopt administrative rules regarding the pilot
3 program. The Department or local authority responsible for
4 maintaining an early warning device may impose a fine on a
5 motorist who damages an early warning device. The fine shall
6 not exceed the cost to repair the device."