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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 4252

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 4252 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Illinois Underground Utility Facilities Damage
5 Prevention Act is amended by changing Section 2.2 as follows:

6 (220 ILCS 50/2.2) (from Ch. 111 2/3, par. 1602.2)

7 Sec. 2.2. Underground utility facilities. "Underground
8 utility facilities" or "facilities" means and includes wires,
9 the internal electric grid of a wind generation farm facility,
10 ducts, fiber optic cable, conduits, pipes, sewers, and cables
11 and their connected appurtenances installed beneath the
12 surface of the ground by:

13 (1) a public utility as defined in the Public Utilities
14 Act;

15 (2) a municipally owned or mutually owned utility
16 providing a similar utility service;

1 (3) a pipeline entity transporting gases, crude oil,
2 petroleum products, or other hydrocarbon materials within
3 the State;

4 (4) a telecommunications carrier as defined in the
5 Universal Telephone Service Protection Law of 1985, or by a
6 company described in Section 1 of the Telephone Company
7 Act;

8 (5) a community antenna television system, as defined
9 in the Illinois Municipal Code; and

10 (6) any other entity owning or operating underground
11 facilities that transport generated electrical power to
12 other utility owners or operators.

13 ~~"Underground utility facilities" or "facilities" means and~~
14 ~~includes wires, ducts, fiber optic cable, conduits, pipes,~~
15 ~~sewers, and cables and their connected appurtenances installed~~
16 ~~beneath the surface of the ground by a public utility (as is~~
17 ~~defined in the Illinois Public Utilities Act, as amended), or~~
18 ~~by a municipally owned or mutually owned utility providing a~~
19 ~~similar utility service, except an electric cooperative as~~
20 ~~defined in the Illinois Public Utilities Act, as amended, or by~~
21 ~~a pipeline entity transporting gases, crude oil, petroleum~~
22 ~~products, or other hydrocarbon materials within the State, or~~
23 ~~by a telecommunications carrier as defined in the Universal~~
24 ~~Telephone Service Protection Law of 1985, or by a company~~
25 ~~described in Section 1 of "An Act relating to the powers,~~
26 ~~duties and property of telephone companies", approved May 16,~~

1 ~~1903, as amended, or by a community antenna television system,~~
2 ~~hereinafter referred to as "CATS", as defined in the Illinois~~
3 ~~Municipal Code, as amended.~~

4 (Source: P.A. 94-623, eff. 8-18-05.)

5 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
6 becoming law."