# STATE OF NEW YORK

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# IN ASSEMBLY

January 19, 2022

Introduced by M. of A. DARLING -- read once and referred to the Committee on Corporations, Authorities and Commissions

AN ACT to amend the public service law, in relation to requiring utilities to repair certain roadways

**The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:**

Section 1. Section 5 of the public service law is amended by adding a new subdivision 7 to read as follows:

**7. The commission shall require any utility subject to the provisions of this chapter to repair and restore to its original condition any state or local highway located in a city, county, town or village outside of a city with a population of one million or more, that it disturbs or destroys while maintaining its respective service.**

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred twentieth day after it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and completed on or before such effective date.

EXPLANATION--Matter in *italics* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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