STATE OF NEW YORK

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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

February 9, 2023

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

AN ACT to amend the public service law, in relation to requiring cellular telephone companies and third- party service providers to provide plans to the public service commission to make all cell towers one hundred percent renewable energy powered by 2031

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

Section 1. The public service law is amended by adding a new section 92-j to read as follows:

§ 92-j. Cell towers; renewable energy. Notwithstanding section five of this chapter or any other law to the contrary, no later than December thirty-first, two thousand twenty-five, any cellular telephone company or third-party service provider who operates cell towers within the state shall provide plans to the commission to make all cell towers, maintained and constructed by such company or service provider within the state, one hundred percent renewable energy powered by two thousand thirty-one.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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