

1.1 Acomb and Swedzinski from the Committee on Energy Finance and Policy to which
1.2 was referred:

1.3 H. F. No. 3802, A bill for an act relating to energy; amending the exemptions to the
1.4 certificate of need requirement; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 216B.243,
1.5 subdivision 8.

1.6 Reported the same back with the following amendments:

1.7 Page 2, delete lines 23 to 25

1.8 Page 2, line 26, delete everything before the period and insert "(12) an upgrade or
1.9 rebuilding of an existing electric line and associated facilities with a capacity of less than
1.10 100 kilovolts to a high-voltage transmission line with a capacity of 115 kilovolts, provided
1.11 that at least 80 percent of the length of the upgraded or rebuilt high-voltage transmission
1.12 line in Minnesota is located along an existing electric line right-of-way"

1.13 Page 3, after line 1, insert:

1.14 **"EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment and**
1.15 **applies to any applicable project for which upgrading or rebuilding has begun on or after**
1.16 **that date."**

1.17 With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be placed on the General
1.18 Register.

1.19 This Committee action taken March 5, 2026

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