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2 Senator Bray moves that the report of the Committee on Natural Resources
3 and Energy be amended after Sec. 22 by inserting a new Sec. 23 to read:

4 * * * Fees; Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets * * *

5 Sec. 23. 30 V.S.A. § 248c is added to read:

6 § 248c. FEES; AGENCY OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND MARKETS;

7 PARTICIPATION IN ENERGY SITING PROCEEDINGS

8 (a) Establishment. This section establishes fees for the purpose of
9 supporting the role of the Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets (the
10 Agency) in reviewing applications for in-state facilities under section 248 of
11 this title. These fees are in addition to the fees under section 248b of this title.

12 (b) Payment. The applicant shall pay the fee into the State Treasury at the
13 time the application for a certificate of public good is filed with the Public
14 Service Board in an amount determined in accordance with this section. The
15 fee shall be credited to a special fund which shall be established and managed
16 pursuant to 32 V.S.A. chapter 7, subchapter 5, and which shall be available to
17 the Agency to offset the cost of participation in proceedings under section 248
18 of this title.

19 (c) Amount. The fee shall be 10 percent of the amount calculated in
20 accordance with subsection 248b(d) of this title.

21 and by renumbering the remaining section to be numerically correct.