

HB 386 -- HIGH VOLTAGE DIRECT CURRENT TRANSMISSION LINES

SPONSOR: Remole

This bill requires high voltage direct current transmission lines above 470 kilovolts (kV) to have a vertical clearance of at least 50 feet when said lines span over cultivated, grazing, forest, orchard land, industrial sites, commercial sites, or land traversed by vehicles. The bill also requires high voltage direct current transmission lines above 470 kV to have a vertical clearance of at least 55 feet when said lines span over navigable water, ponds, reservoirs, rivers, streams, tidal waters, and canals with a surface area of over 20 acres.