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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2021

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RELATED TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS

Introduced By: Senator John P. Burke

Date Introduced: June 28, 2021

Referred To: Senate Housing & Municipal Government

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Title 31 of the General Laws entitled "MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES"
2 is hereby amended by adding thereto the following chapter:

3 CHAPTER 3.3

4 ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS

5 **31-3.3-1. Accessibility of charging stations for electric vehicles.**

6 The department of transportation, along with the division of motor vehicles and the office
7 of energy resources, shall develop, no later than January 1, 2022, a plan for a statewide electric
8 vehicle charging station infrastructure in order to make such electric vehicle charging stations more
9 accessible to the public.

10 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
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2 vehicles and the office of energy resources, to develop, no later than January 1, 2022, a plan for a
3 statewide electric vehicle charging station infrastructure in order to make such electric vehicle
4 charging stations more accessible to the public.

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