

**BILL NO. 36-0197**

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**Thirty-Sixth Legislature of the Virgin Islands**

**October 27, 2025**

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An act amending title 30 Virgin Islands Code, chapter 5, subchapter II regarding the compensation of non-government members of the Virgin Islands Water and Power Authority Governing Board and establishing a lower quorum requirement for the board and committees

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**PROPOSED BY:** Senator Milton E. Potter

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*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands:*

**SECTION 1.** Title 30 Virgin Islands Code, chapter 5, subchapter II is amended as follows:

(a) In section 103(a), strike “Non-government members shall be compensated at the rate of \$175 a day for each day or fraction thereof spent in the work of the Authority.” and insert “The Governing Board shall establish the compensation for non-government members for their time spent in the work of the Authority.”;

(b) In section 104(b), strike “Four” and insert “Three” and add a new sentence, “Fifty percent of the membership of a committee shall constitute a quorum for the purpose of conducting committee meetings and all committee action shall be by majority vote.”

**BILL SUMMARY**

This bill amends title 30 Virgin Islands Code, chapter 5, subchapter II, section 103(a) to grant the Water and Power Authority Governing Board the authority to set the compensation

1 of non-government members and also amends section 104(b) to establish a lower quorum for  
2 the board and committees to conduct official business.

3 **BR25-0855/October 24, 2025/CBM**