Representative Brody moves to amend the bill on page 8, lines 3–4, by inserting between those lines:

"ESTABLISH THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENTAL PERMITTING AND FEES

SECTION 11.5.(a) Establishment; Membership. – There is established the House Select Study Committee on Developmental Permitting and Fees. The membership shall be comprised of 10 members of the House of Representatives, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SECTION 11.5.(b) Chair; Meetings; Quorum. – The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall select the Committee chair from among the members of the Committee. The Committee shall meet upon the call of the chair. A quorum of the Committee shall be a majority of its members.

SECTION 11.5.(c) Purpose. – The Committee shall create a list of all permits issued by the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) that regulate public or private development. From that list, the Committee shall do all the following:

(1) Determine how those development permits interact with international, federal, and State law.
(2) Determine the authority under which each permit is issued or required.
(3) Determine if the administration of any permits can be better streamlined to provide relief to the regulated community.
(4) Determine if any redundancy exists between permits and if any permits could be consolidated.
(5) Determine the cost-for-service relationship between the permit fee and the implementation costs of the authority assigned to the permit.
(6) Determine a reasonable timetable for permit approvals.
(7) Determine if supplemental fees are necessary to cover the costs related to incomplete or inaccurate permit applications.
(8) Address any other issue that the Committee deems appropriate.

SECTION 11.5.(d) Schedule; Remote. – The Committee chair shall call an introductory meeting the first full month after the General Assembly adjourns the 2021 Regular Session and shall call additional meetings monthly until the convening of the 2022 Regular
Session. The Committee shall have at least one meeting in each of coastal, piedmont, and mountain regions of the State.

SECTION 11.5.(e) Per Diem; Staff. – Members of the Committee shall receive per diem, subsistence, and travel allowance as provided in G.S. 120-3.1, 138-5, or 138-6, as appropriate. All expenses of the Committee shall be paid from the General Assembly's budget.

The Legislative Services Officer shall assign professional and clerical staff to assist the Committee in its work.

SECTION 11.5.(f) Report; Termination. – The Committee shall submit a final report on the results of its study, including any proposed legislation, to the General Assembly within 10 days of the convening of the 2022 Regular Session of the General Assembly. The Committee shall terminate upon the filing of its final report.".

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Amendment Sponsor

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Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

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