



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 6540

LCO No. 3457



Referred to Committee on PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Introduced by:
(PD)

AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEM STORMWATER SAMPLING REQUIREMENTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) (a) The Commissioner of Energy and
2 Environmental Protection shall conduct a study of all statutory and
3 regulatory requirements related to stormwater sampling and analysis
4 made pursuant to the municipal separate storm sewer system
5 permitting process and of permit holders, to determine the feasibility of
6 modifying such requirements to ease financial burdens on permit
7 applicants and holders while maintaining environmental safeguards.

8 (b) Not later than January 1, 2022, the Commissioner of Energy and
9 Environmental Protection shall submit a report, in accordance with the
10 provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint standing
11 committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters
12 relating to municipalities and the environment. Such report shall
13 include a summary of the requirements described in subsection (a) of
14 this section and any recommendations for modifying such
15 requirements.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To require the Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection to conduct a study of municipal separate storm sewer system stormwater sampling requirements.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]