



House of Representatives

General Assembly

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House Bill No. 6487

House of Representatives, March 7, 2023

The Committee on Environment reported through REP. GRESKO of the 121st Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENTS OF AGRICULTURE AND ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The cochairpersons of the joint
2 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of
3 matters relating to the environment shall conduct a study of the
4 regulations of the Departments of Energy and Environmental Protection
5 and Agriculture. Not later than February 1, 2024, said cochairpersons
6 shall submit a report, in accordance with section 11-4a of the general
7 statutes, to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly
8 having cognizance of matters relating to the environment on the results
9 of such study.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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ENV Joint Favorable

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OFA Fiscal Note**State Impact:** None**Municipal Impact:** None**Explanation**

The bill requires chairpersons of the Environment Committee to study, by February 1, 2024, the regulations of the Departments of Energy and Environmental Protection and Agriculture. This is not expected to result in a fiscal impact as it is anticipated that the chairs of the Environment Committee currently have the expertise needed to conduct the study and submit a report in FY 24.

The Out Years**State Impact:** None**Municipal Impact:** None

OLR Bill Analysis

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SUMMARY

The Office of Legislative Research does not analyze Special Acts.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Environment Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 32 Nay 0 (02/17/2023)