

Amendment No. ____ (for drafter's use only)

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Representative(s) Eggelletion offered the following:

Amendment to Senate Amendment (372658) (with title amendment)

On page 1, line 17, through page 7, line 8, remove from the amendment: all of said lines

and insert in lieu thereof:

Section 3. Section 381.101, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

381.101 Community Environmental Health Program; creation; purposes.--

(1) There is created the Community Environmental Health Program. The primary purpose of the program is to ensure the availability of public health services to members of low-income communities that may be adversely affected by contaminated sites located in or near the community. These services extend beyond health services that are currently provided pursuant to chapter 154 and include measures to address the health effects that are associated with exposure to environmental contamination.

1 (2) The Department of Health shall establish a
 2 Community Environmental Health Advisory Board. The majority
 3 of board members shall be low-income residents. The board
 4 must also include representatives from the respective county
 5 health departments, health care professionals and providers,
 6 and elected officials. The board shall identify the community
 7 environmental health needs and types of services which should
 8 be provided.

9 (3) As used in this section:

10 (a) "Low-income community" means a contiguous grouping
 11 of residences with a significant portion of occupants who have
 12 a family income equal to or below 100 percent of the most
 13 recent federal poverty level and who are exposed to multiple
 14 sources of environmental contamination.

15 (b) "Contaminated site" means any contiguous land,
 16 surface water, or groundwater areas that contain contaminants
 17 that may be harmful to human health or the environment and
 18 includes federal Superfund sites and state or federally
 19 designated Brownfield areas.

20 Section 4. The sum of \$100,000 is appropriated from
 21 the General Revenue Fund during the 1998-1999 fiscal year for
 22 the Community Environmental Health Program.

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26 And the title is amended as follows:

27 On page 7, lines 16-29, of the amendment
 28 remove: all of said lines

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 30 and insert in lieu thereof:

31 creating s. 381.101, F.S.; creating the

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1 Community Environmental Health Program;
2 providing purposes of the program; providing
3 for a Community Environmental Health Advisory
4 Board; providing an appropriation;
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