A bill to be entitled
An act relating to solid waste management
facilities; amending s. 403.707, F.S.;
requiring any solid waste management facility
that accepts construction and demolition debris
for disposal to be constructed in compliance
with certain rules of the Department of
Environmental Protection, unless the facility
owner or operator provides reasonable assurance
that disposal at the facility is not expected
to result in violations of groundwater
standards; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (12) of section 403.707, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

403.707 Permits.--

(12) The department shall establish a separate category for solid waste management facilities which accept only construction and demolition debris for disposal or recycling. The department shall establish a reasonable schedule for existing facilities to comply with this section to avoid undue hardship to such facilities. However, a permitted solid waste disposal unit which receives a significant amount of waste prior to the compliance deadline established in this schedule shall not be required to be retrofitted with liners or leachate control systems. Facilities accepting materials defined in s. 403.703(17)(b)

 must implement a groundwater monitoring system adequate to

detect contaminants that may reasonably be expected to result from such disposal prior to the acceptance of those materials.

demolition debris for disposal must be constructed with a liner and leachate control system that complies with department rules, unless the owner or operator provides reasonable assurance The department shall not require liners and leachate collection systems at individual facilities unless it demonstrates, based upon the types of waste received, the methods for controlling types of waste disposed of, the proximity of groundwater and surface water, and the results of the hydrogeological and geotechnical investigations, that the facility is not reasonably expected to result in violations of groundwater standards and criteria otherwise.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

Requires any solid waste management facility that accepts construction and demolition debris for disposal to be constructed with a liner and leachate control system that complies with rules of the Department of Environmental Protection, unless the facility owner or operator provides reasonable assurance that such disposal is not expected to result in groundwater contamination.