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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Bullard moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 1374 and 1375

insert:

Section 25. Subsection (7) of section 6 of chapter 99-395,
Laws of Florida, is amended to read:

Section 6. Sewage requirements in Monroe County.—

(7) Class V injection wells, as defined by Department of
Environmental Protection or Department of Health rule, shall
meet the following requirements and shall otherwise comply with
Department of Environmental Protection or Department of Health
rules, as applicable:



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13 (a) If the design capacity of the facility is less than
14 1,000,000 gallons per day, the injection well shall be at least
15 90 feet deep and cased to a minimum depth of 60 feet or to such
16 greater cased depth and total well depth as may be required by
17 Department of Environmental Protection rule.

18 (b) Except as provided in paragraph (c) for backup wells,
19 if the design capacity of the facility is equal to or greater
20 than 1,000,000 gallons per day, the injection well shall be
21 cased to a minimum depth of 2,000 feet or to such greater depth
22 as may be required by Department of Environmental Protection
23 rule.

24 (c) If the injection well is used as a backup to a primary
25 injection well, the following conditions apply:

26 1. The backup well may be used only when the primary
27 injection well is out of service because of equipment failure,
28 power failure, or the need for mechanical integrity testing or
29 repair;

30 2. The backup well may not be used for a total of more than
31 500 hours during any 5-year period, unless specifically
32 authorized in writing by the Department of Environmental
33 Protection;

34 3. The backup well shall be at least 90 feet deep and cased
35 to a minimum depth of 60 feet, or to such greater cased depth
36 and total well depth as may be required by rule of the
37 Department of Environmental Protection; and

38 4. Fluid injected into the backup well shall meet the
39 requirements of subsections (5) and (6).

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42 And the title is amended as follows:

43 Between lines 122 and 123

44 insert:

45 amending s. 6, ch. 99-395, Laws of Florida; providing
46 exceptions to requirements of the Department of
47 Environmental Protection regarding minimum casing for
48 injection wells used by facilities that have a
49 specified design capacity; providing requirements for
50 an injection well used as a backup to a primary
51 injection well;