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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to solid waste management facilities;
3 amending s. 403.707, F.S.; specifying a permit term
4 for a solid waste management facility that is designed
5 with a leachate control system meeting the
6 requirements of the Department of Environmental
7 Protection; providing for the proration of the permit
8 fee for existing permits; providing applicability;
9 providing an effective date.

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

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13 Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 403.707, Florida
14 Statutes, is amended to read:

15 403.707 Permits.—

16 (3) (a) All applicable provisions of ss. 403.087 and
17 403.088, relating to permits, apply to the control of solid
18 waste management facilities.

19 (b) A permit issued to a solid waste management facility
20 that is designed with a leachate control system that meets
21 department requirements shall be issued for a term of 20 years
22 unless the applicant requests a shorter permit term. Existing
23 permit fees for a qualifying solid waste management facility
24 shall be prorated to the permit term authorized by this section.
25 This paragraph applies to a qualifying solid waste management
26 facility that applies for an operating or construction permit or
27 renews an existing operating or construction permit on or after
28 July 1, 2012.

29 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012.