

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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Representative Murphy offered the following:

**Amendment**

Between lines 399 and 400, insert:

(aa) To require each permitholder or operator that conducts high-pressure well stimulation to submit to the department every 6 months for testing water samples from the surficial aquifer, intermediate aquifer, upper Floridan aquifer, lower Floridan aquifer, and any other aquifer that may be impacted by the well stimulation. The rules shall require the permitholder or operator to pay the costs of testing the water samples for water quality and shall authorize the testing to be conducted by the department or an independent third party.

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14        (bb) To establish penalties for a permitholder or operator  
15 that fails to submit water samples as required by paragraph  
16 (aa).

17        (cc) To require results of all water quality test results  
18 conducted under paragraph (aa) to be retained by the department  
19 for 5 years after the well is abandoned or closed by the  
20 permitholder or operator.

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