

BY: Environmental Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 295

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “Administrative Penalties and Cost Recovery -”; in the same line after “Radiation” insert “- Penalties”; strike beginning with “altering” in line 3 down through “expenses;” in line 10 and substitute “providing for a three year statute of limitations for a criminal prosecution or a civil action to collect a civil penalty for violations of certain air quality and radiation laws; providing for the application of this Act;”; strike beginning with the second “the” in line 10 down through “and” in line 11; and strike in their entirety lines 13 through 15, inclusive, and substitute:

“BY adding to

Article - Environment

Section 2-610.2 and 8-509.1”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 1 through 6, strike beginning with “2-101.” in line 21 on page 1 down through “Fund.” in line 23 on page 6 and substitute:

“2-610.2.

A CRIMINAL PROSECUTION FOR A VIOLATION BROUGHT UNDER § 2-609.1 OF THIS SUBTITLE, OR A CIVIL ACTION TO COLLECT A CIVIL PENALTY FOR A VIOLATION BROUGHT UNDER § 2-610 OF THIS SUBTITLE, SHALL BE INSTITUTED WITHIN 3 YEARS AFTER THE VIOLATION WAS COMMITTED.

8-509.1.

A CRIMINAL PROSECUTION OR A CIVIL ACTION TO COLLECT A CIVIL PENALTY

(Over)

FOR A VIOLATION BROUGHT UNDER § 8-509 OF THIS SUBTITLE SHALL BE INSTITUTED WITHIN 3 YEARS AFTER THE VIOLATION WAS COMMITTED.”.

On page 6, in line 24, after “That” insert “this Act shall be construed only prospectively and may not be applied or interpreted to have any effect on or application to a violation of air quality or radiation laws subject to this Act committed before the effective date of this Act.”

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That”.