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BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 216 (Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 21 through 25, inclusive, and substitute:

"(B) "BIODEGRADABLE" MEANS CAPABLE OF DECOMPOSING BACK INTO NATURAL ELEMENTS:

(1) IN A NATURAL ENVIRONMENT, INCLUDING A MARINE ENVIRONMENT; OR

(2) IN WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT PROCESSES, IN ACCORDANCE WITH RELEVANT ESTABLISHED GUIDELINES OF ASTM INTERNATIONAL, ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT, OR COMPARABLE ORGANIZATIONS OR AUTHORITIES RECOGNIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT.".

On page 3, in line 8, strike "THAT RETAIN A DEFINED SHAPE DURING THEIR LIFE CYCLE"; in line 12, strike "<u>BIODEGRADEABLE</u>" and substitute "<u>BIODEGRADABLE</u>"; in line 14, strike "RINSE-OFF"; in line 15, strike "OR" and substitute a comma; and in the same line, after "CLEANSING" insert "<u>, OR COSMETIC</u>".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, in line 25, strike "(1)"; in line 26, after "SALE" insert "<u>OR ACCEPT</u> <u>FOR SALE</u>"; and strike in their entirety lines 28 through 30, inclusive.