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BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 619

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, after “Young,” insert “Love, Pena–Melnyk, Bagnall, Barron, Bhandari, Charles, Chisholm, Cullison, Johnson, Kelly, Kerr, Kipke, Krebs, R. Lewis, Morgan, Reilly, Rosenberg, Saab, Sample–Hughes, Szeliga, K. Young.”; strike beginning with “Containing” in line 2 down through “Prohibition” in line 3 and substitute “and PFAS Chemicals”; in line 4, after the second “of” insert “certain”; in line 5, strike “containing perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances”; in the same line, strike “firefighter” and substitute “certain testing or”; in line 6, after “purposes;” insert “providing that this Act does not restrict the manufacture, sale, or distribution of certain fire–fighting foam or the discharge or other use of certain fire–fighting foam in certain operations; requiring the use of certain foam for fire–fighting training;”; in the same line, strike the second “a”; in line 7, strike “term” and substitute “terms”; in line 8, strike “perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances” and substitute “fire–fighting foam and PFAS chemicals”; in line 11, strike “6–1604” and substitute “6–1605”; and in line 12, strike “Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances” and substitute “PFAS Chemicals”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 18, strike “**PERFLUOROALKYL AND POLYFLUOROALKYL SUBSTANCES**” and substitute “PFAS CHEMICALS”; and in line 20, before “**IN**” insert “(A)”.

On pages 1 and 2, strike beginning with the comma in line 20 on page 1 down through the period in line 4 on page 2 and substitute “**THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.**”

(Over)

(B) “CLASS B FIRE-FIGHTING FOAM” MEANS A FOAM DESIGNED FOR FLAMMABLE LIQUID FIRE.

(C) “PFAS CHEMICALS” MEANS A CLASS OF FLUORINATED ORGANIC CHEMICALS THAT:

(1) CONTAIN AT LEAST ONE FULLY FLUORINATED CARBON ATOM, INCLUDING PERFLUOROALKYL AND POLYFLUOROALKYL SUBSTANCES; AND

(2) ARE DESIGNED TO BE FULLY FUNCTIONAL IN CLASS B FIRE-FIGHTING FOAM FORMULATIONS.”.

On page 2, in line 6, strike “THIS” and substitute “**(A) THIS**”; after line 7, insert:

“(B) THIS SUBTITLE DOES NOT RESTRICT:

(1) THE MANUFACTURE, SALE, OR DISTRIBUTION OF CLASS B FIRE-FIGHTING FOAM THAT CONTAINS INTENTIONALLY ADDED PFAS CHEMICALS; OR

(2) THE DISCHARGE OR OTHER USE OF CLASS B FIRE-FIGHTING FOAM THAT CONTAINS INTENTIONALLY ADDED PFAS CHEMICALS IN EMERGENCY FIRE-FIGHTING OR FIRE PREVENTION OPERATIONS.”;

strike beginning with “FIRE-FIGHTING” in line 9 down through “PURPOSES” in line 11 and substitute “**CLASS B FIRE-FIGHTING FOAM THAT CONTAINS INTENTIONALLY ADDED PFAS CHEMICALS MAY NOT BE USED FOR:**

(1) TESTING PURPOSES, INCLUDING CALIBRATION TESTING, CONFORMANCE TESTING, AND FIXED-SYSTEM TESTING UNLESS:

(i) THE USE IS REQUIRED BY LAW OR BY THE AGENCY HAVING JURISDICTION OVER THE TESTING FACILITY; AND

(ii) THE TESTING FACILITY HAS IMPLEMENTED APPROPRIATE CONTAINMENT, TREATMENT, AND DISPOSAL MEASURES TO PREVENT RELEASES OF FOAM INTO THE ENVIRONMENT; OR

(2) TRAINING PURPOSES”;

and after line 12, insert:

“NONFLUORINATED TRAINING FOAM SHALL BE USED FOR PURPOSES OF FIRE-FIGHTING TRAINING.

6-1605.”