HB0130/360413/1

BY: Environmental Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 130

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 9, in each instance, after "certain" insert "<u>local</u>"; in line 10, strike "recover certain costs" and substitute "<u>collect certain civil penalties</u>"; in line 11, after the second "Act;" insert "<u>providing that certain provisions of this Act may be enforced only by issuance of a warning for a certain period of time; requiring the Administration and certain local governments to retain civil penalties collected under <u>certain provisions of this Act;</u>"; and in line 13, strike "prima facie".</u>

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, strike beginning with "THE" in line 16 down through "INJUNCTION," in line 17 and substitute "AN INJUNCTION".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, strike beginning with "COSTS" in line 4 down through "PARAGRAPH" in line 6 and substitute "CIVIL PENALTY PROVIDED FOR UNDER PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION"; in line 11, strike "\$100" and substitute "\$25"; in the same line, after "WHICH" insert ", IF NOT PAID AFTER BEING CITED AND ASSESSED BY THE ADMINISTRATION, COUNTY, OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION,"; after line 18, insert:

"(III) THE ADMINISTRATION, A COUNTY, OR A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION MAY ENFORCE THIS SUBSECTION ONLY BY THE ISSUANCE OF A WARNING FOR THE FIRST 3 MONTHS AFTER INITIATING A SIGN REMOVAL PROGRAM.".

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in lines 20 and 21, strike "CONSTITUTES PRIMA FACIE" and substitute "SHALL BE"; and after line 24, insert:

"(5) THE ADMINISTRATION, A COUNTY, OR A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION SHALL RETAIN ANY CIVIL PENALTIES THAT IT COLLECTS UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.".