

**HB0420/970419/1**

BY: Environmental Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 420

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 6, after “statutes” insert “, or for a violation under certain regulatory programs”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “George,”; in line 18, before “A” insert “(A)”; in the same line, after “penalty” insert “BY THE DEPARTMENT”; strike beginning with “**OR**” in line 20 down through “**ARTICLE**” in line 22; and after line 23, insert:

**“(B) A SUIT FOR A CIVIL PENALTY BY A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION FOR VIOLATION OF ANY PROVISION OF THIS ARTICLE OR ANY RULE, REGULATION, ORDER, OR PERMIT ADOPTED OR ISSUED UNDER THIS ARTICLE, OR FOR A VIOLATION UNDER ANY REGULATORY PROGRAM THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION IS REQUIRED TO ADOPT AND ENFORCE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE, SHALL BE INSTITUTED WITHIN 3 YEARS AFTER THE DATE THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION KNEW OR REASONABLY SHOULD HAVE KNOWN OF THE VIOLATION.”**