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BY: Environment and Transportation Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 449

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 3, after "permit" insert "<u>or accepting and reviewing an application for a permit,</u>"; in line 4, after the second "of" insert "<u>oil or</u>"; in line 14, after "of" insert "<u>oil or</u>"; and strike in their entirety lines 20 through 23, inclusive.

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 1 through 32, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, in line 2, strike "(1)"; strike beginning with "DRILLING" in line 2 down through "GAS" in line 7 and substitute "STIMULATION TREATMENT PERFORMED ON OIL AND GAS WELLS IN LOW-PERMEABILITY OIL OR GAS RESERVOIRS WHEREBY SPECIALLY ENGINEERED FLUIDS ARE PUMPED AT HIGH PRESSURE AND RATE INTO THE RESERVOIR INTERVAL TO BE TREATED, CAUSING FRACTURES TO OPEN"; strike in their entirety lines 8 through 11, inclusive; and in line 12, after "PERMIT" insert ", OR ACCEPT AND REVIEW AN APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT,".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, in line 14, after "OF" insert "OIL OR"; in line 15, strike "2023" and substitute "2018".

On page 4, in lines 11 and 15, in each instance, strike "**2022**" and substitute "**2017**"; in line 16, strike "**2023**" and substitute "**2018**"; and in line 20, after "**OF**" insert "**OIL OR**".