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AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 354
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, before “**Bay Restoration Fund**” insert “**Wastewater and Graywater – Use and Treatment and the**”; in lines 2 and 3, strike “– **Intended Use Plans and Privately Owned Wastewater Facilities**”; in line 4, after the first “of” insert “authorizing the use of a certain graywater system to serve a public or private building in certain locations under certain circumstances; requiring the owner or operator of a building using a graywater system to safely dispose of graywater in a certain manner;”; and strike beginning with “funding” in line 15 down through “facilities” in line 16 and substitute “the use and treatment of graywater and wastewater and the Bay Restoration Fund”.

On page 2, in line 4, strike “9–1605(f)” and substitute “9–1112.1, 9–1605(f).”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 14, insert:

9–1112.1.

(A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(2) (I) “GRAYWATER” MEANS UNTREATED WATER GENERATED BY THE USE OF AND COLLECTED FROM A HANDWASHING SINK.

(II) “GRAYWATER” DOES NOT INCLUDE WATER FROM:

1. A SHOWER;

2. A TOILET;
3. A BATHTUB;
4. A LAVATORY SINK;
5. A KITCHEN SINK; OR
6. A DISHWASHING MACHINE.

(3) “GRAYWATER SYSTEM” MEANS:

(I) A HOLDING TANK CONNECTED TO A HANDWASHING SINK AND A THREE-COMPARTMENT SANITATION SINK USED TO COLLECT AND STORE GRAYWATER; AND

(II) A HOLDING TANK USED TO COLLECT AND STORE POTABLE WATER.

(4) “HANDWASHING SINK” MEANS A SINK USED FOR HANDWASHING ONLY.

(B) A GRAYWATER SYSTEM MAY BE USED TO SERVE A PUBLIC OR PRIVATE BUILDING THAT:

(1) IS LOCATED ON A FORMER DREDGE SITE; OR

(2) (I) IS LOCATED IN A REMOTE AREA WITH MINIMAL PUBLIC ACCESS; AND

(II) OPERATES ON A SEASONAL BASIS.

(C) THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF A BUILDING AUTHORIZED TO USE A GRAYWATER SYSTEM UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION SHALL SAFELY DISPOSE OF THE GRAYWATER IN ACCORDANCE WITH ANY GUIDELINES OR

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REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE DEPARTMENT, THE MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, OR A FEDERAL AGENCY.”