

SB0424/313320/1

BY: Budget and Taxation Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 424
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “**Public Projects – Global Warming Potential of Materials**” and substitute “**Eligible Projects – Procurement of Construction Materials**”; in line 4, after “requiring” insert “producers of eligible materials to submit certain declarations to”; in the same line, after “Services” insert “by a certain date; requiring the Department to assess and”; in the same line, strike “to”; in line 19, after “time;” insert “establishing an Environmental Product Declaration Assistance Fund for a certain purpose;”; and in line 20, strike “public” and substitute “eligible”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 7, strike “A PUBLIC” and substitute “AN ELIGIBLE”; in line 8, strike “A PUBLIC PROJECT AS DEFINED” and substitute “A CAPITAL PROJECT DESCRIBED”; in line 9, strike “3-602” and substitute “3-602.1(C)”; in line 11, strike “A PUBLIC” and substitute “AN ELIGIBLE”; in line 21, after “(A)” insert “(1) ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31, 2024, PRODUCERS OF ELIGIBLE MATERIALS SHALL SUBMIT ENVIRONMENTAL PRODUCT DECLARATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT.”

(2) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ANALYZE ENVIRONMENTAL PRODUCT DECLARATIONS AND ASSESS GLOBAL WARMING POTENTIAL FOR ELIGIBLE MATERIALS USED IN AN ELIGIBLE PROJECT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SECTION.

(B)”;

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in the same line, strike “**2025**” and substitute “**2026**”; in the same line, after “**SHALL**” insert “**, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION,**”; and in line 25, strike “**(B)**” and substitute “**(C)**”.

On page 3, in lines 9 and 19, strike “**(C)**” and “**(D)**”, respectively, and substitute “**(D)**” and “**(E)**”, respectively; and in line 20, strike “**2028**” and substitute “**2029**”.

On page 5, after line 14, insert:

“SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(a) (1) There is an Environmental Product Declaration Assistance Fund.

(2) The purpose of the Fund is to award grants to producers of eligible materials to support the development, standardization, and transparency of environmental product declarations for construction materials and products.

(b) The Department of Commerce shall administer the Fund.

(c) The Fund shall consist of money appropriated in the State budget to the Fund.”;

in line 15, strike “3.” and substitute “4.”; in line 16, strike “2025” and substitute “2026”; after line 16, insert:

“SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 3 of this Act shall take effect July 1, 2023. It shall remain effective for a period of 1 year and 6 months and, at the end of December 31, 2024, Section 3 of this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.”;

in line 17, strike “4.” and substitute “6.”; and strike beginning with “Section” in line 17 down through “3” in line 18 and substitute “Sections 4 and 5”.