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AND KINSEY, JANUARY 23, 2013

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY,
JANUARY 23, 2013

AN ACT

1 Providing for disclosure of certain test results by the
2 Department of Environmental Protection; and imposing a civil
3 penalty.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Definitions.

7 The following words and phrases when used in this act shall
8 have the meanings given to them in this section unless the
9 context clearly indicates otherwise:

10 "Department." The Department of Environmental Protection of
11 the Commonwealth.

12 Section 2. Disclosure required.

13 (a) Disclosure.--Notwithstanding the provisions of any other
14 act, the department shall disclose to a landowner or leaseholder
15 of property subject to any testing conducted by the department,
16 upon written request of the landowner or leaseholder, the full
17 and complete results, data and documentation of the testing.

1 (b) Cost and time frame.--Information under subsection (a)
2 shall be made available at no cost to the landowner or
3 leaseholder within 5 business days of receipt of the request by
4 the department.

5 Section 3. Civil penalty.

6 A court may impose a civil penalty of not more than \$1,500 if
7 the department fails to make available the requested information
8 as provided for in section 2.

9 Section 4. Effective date.

10 This act shall take effect in 60 days.