

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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INTRODUCED BY GRUPPO, FREEMAN, LLOYD, TELEK, ARGALL,
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CIMINI, FEBRUARY 13, 1985

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON CONSERVATION, FEBRUARY 13, 1985

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of July 7, 1980 (P.L.380, No.97), entitled "An
2 act providing for the planning and regulation of solid waste
3 storage, collection, transportation, processing, treatment,
4 and disposal; requiring municipalities to submit plans for
5 municipal waste management systems in their jurisdictions;
6 authorizing grants to municipalities; providing regulation of
7 the management of municipal, residual and hazardous waste;
8 requiring permits for operating hazardous waste and solid
9 waste storage, processing, treatment, and disposal
10 facilities; and licenses for transportation of hazardous
11 waste; imposing duties on persons and municipalities;
12 granting powers to municipalities; authorizing the
13 Environmental Quality Board and the Department of
14 Environmental Resources to adopt rules, regulations,
15 standards and procedures; granting powers to and imposing
16 duties upon county health departments; providing remedies;
17 prescribing penalties; and establishing a fund," prohibiting
18 the issuance of a permit for sludge dumping in certain
19 municipalities.

20 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
21 hereby enacts as follows:

22 Section 1. Section 301 of the act of July 7, 1980 (P.L.380,
23 No.97), known as the Solid Waste Management Act, is amended to
24 read:

25 Section 301. Management of residual waste.

26 No person or municipality shall store, transport, process, or

1 dispose of residual waste within this Commonwealth unless such
2 storage, or transportation, is consistent with or such
3 processing or disposal is authorized by the rules and
4 regulations of the department and no person or municipality
5 shall own or operate a residual waste processing or disposal
6 facility unless such person or municipality has first obtained a
7 permit for such facility from the department. The department
8 shall not issue a permit which would allow a person to dump or
9 apply sludge from a sanitary sewer system on land in a
10 municipality which has an ordinance prohibiting such discharge
11 in the whole or in any specific portion of the municipality.

12 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.