THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1386 Session of 2012

INTRODUCED BY VOGEL, SOLOBAY, SCARNATI, PILEGGI, COSTA, ALLOWAY, ARGALL, BAKER, BLAKE, BOSCOLA, BREWSTER, DINNIMAN, EICHELBERGER, ERICKSON, FARNESE, FERLO, FOLMER, FONTANA, HUGHES, KASUNIC, KITCHEN, LEACH, MENSCH, SCHWANK, ORIE, PIPPY, RAFFERTY, ROBBINS, SMUCKER, STACK, TARTAGLIONE, VANCE, WARD, WASHINGTON, WAUGH, D. WHITE, WILLIAMS, WOZNIAK, YAW AND YUDICHAK, JANUARY 26, 2012

SENATOR CORMAN, APPROPRIATIONS, RE-REPORTED AS AMENDED, MARCH 5, 2012

AN ACT

Amending the act of January 8, 1960 (1959 P.L.2119, No.787), entitled, as amended, "An act to provide for the better protection of the health, general welfare and property of the people of the Commonwealth by the control, abatement, 4 5 reduction and prevention of the pollution of the air by smokes, dusts, fumes, gases, odors, mists, vapors, pollens 6 7 and similar matter, or any combination thereof; imposing certain powers and duties on the Department of Environmental 8 Resources, the Environmental Quality Board and the 9 10 Environmental Hearing Board; establishing procedures for the protection of health and public safety during emergency 11 conditions; creating a stationary air contamination source 12 permit system; providing additional remedies for abating air 13 pollution; reserving powers to local political subdivisions, 14 and defining the relationship between this act and the 15 ordinances, resolutions and regulations of counties, cities, 16 boroughs, towns and townships; imposing penalties for 17 violation of this act; and providing for the power to enjoin 18 violations of this act; and conferring upon persons aggrieved 19 certain rights and remedies," further providing for Environmental Quality Board; and repealing control of 20 21 volatile organic compounds from gasoline-dispensing 22 23 facilities.

- 24 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 25 hereby enacts as follows:

- 1 Section 1. Section 5(a) of the act of January 8, 1960 (1959)
- 2 P.L.2119, No.787), known as the Air Pollution Control Act, is
- 3 amended by adding a paragraph to read:
- 4 Section 5. Environmental Quality Board. -- (a) The board
- 5 shall have the power and its duty shall be to--
- 6 * * *
- 7 (14) Repeal 25 Pa. Code Ch. 126 Subch. C (relating to
- 8 gasoline volatility requirements).
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- 10 Section 2. Section 6.7 of the act, added July 9, 1992
- 11 (P.L.460, No.95) and repealed in part November 26, 1997
- 12 (P.L.530, No.67 NO.57), is repealed:
- 13 [Section 6.7. Control of Volatile Organic Compounds from
- 14 Gasoline-Dispensing Facilities.--
- 15 (h) The department shall implement the functional testing
- 16 and certification requirements specified in EPA's Stage II
- 17 enforcement and technical guidance documents developed under
- 18 section 182 of the Clean Air Act to meet the Clean Air Act
- 19 requirements for areas classified as moderate, serious, severe
- 20 or extreme ozone nonattainment.]
- 21 Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.