



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

FISCAL NOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 304

PRINTERS NO. 281

PRIME SPONSOR: M. White

COST / (SAVINGS)

FUND	FY 2011/12	FY 2012/13
General	\$0	\$0

SUMMARY: Senate Bill 304 amends the Air Pollution Control Act to provide for additional public review of State implementation plans. The effective date is 60 days after enactment.

ANALYSIS: This legislation amends Section 7.5 of the Pennsylvania Air Pollution Control Act (Act 787 of 1959) relating to the public review of State implementation plans and preparation by the Department of Environmental Protection. The following shall apply:

1. The plan or revision developed shall be published and maintained on the publicly accessible Internet website of the department, other State or local air pollution control agency that developed the plan or revision; and
2. Plans or revisions shall also be submitted to the chairmen and minority chairmen of the Environmental Resources and Energy Committees of the House and Senate at the same time the plan or revision is published for public comment or submitted to the Environmental Quality Board, whichever is applicable.

FISCAL IMPACT: Enactment of this legislation will have no adverse impact on Commonwealth funds. Any additional administrative costs associated with the posting and dissemination of this information will be covered through existing operations.

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Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.