



# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

## FISCAL NOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 1030

PRINTERS NO. 1489

PRIME SPONSOR: Yaw

### COST / (SAVINGS)

| FUND         | FY 2019/20 | FY 2020/21 |
|--------------|------------|------------|
| General Fund | \$0        | \$0        |

**SUMMARY:** Senate Bill 1030, Printer's Number 1489, amends the Sewage Facilities Act to provide for the use of alternative on-lot sewage systems.

**ANALYSIS:** This bill amends the Sewage Facilities Act (Act 537 of 1965) to provide for the use of alternative on-lot sewage systems by applicants by changing the requirements for satisfying site suitability from permissible by a sewage enforcement officer to one that meets site conditions at the proposed new land development.

SB 1030 removes the authority for the Department of Environmental Protection to develop scientific, technical and field-testing standards upon which to establish an evaluation standard for alternative sewage systems. It also removes the ability of the department to undertake a rulemaking to remove the system's classification as an alternative system.

This legislation would take effect 60 days upon enactment.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Enactment of this legislation will have no impact on Commonwealth funds.

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