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## AN ACT

1 Creating a fee system to cover the costs related to the 2 establishment of a low-level radioactive waste disposal 3 regional facility in Pennsylvania; AND REGULATING CERTAIN 4 LOW-LEVEL WASTE. 5 TABLE OF CONTENTS Chapter 1. General Provisions Section 101. Short title. Section 102. Legislative findings and purpose. Section 103. Definitions. SECTION 104. REGULATION OF CERTAIN WASTE. 10 11 Chapter 3. Regional Facility Siting Fund 12 Section 301. Regional Facility Siting Fund. Section 302. Fund contribution. 13 Reconciliation of control account. 14 Section 303. Section 304. Records and audits. 15

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- 12 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 13 hereby enacts as follows:
- 14 CHAPTER 1.
- 15 GENERAL PROVISIONS
- 16 Section 101. Short title.
- 17 This act shall be known and may be cited as the Low-Level
- 18 Radioactive Waste Disposal Regional Facility Act.
- 19 Section 102. Legislative findings and purpose.
- 20 (a) Findings. -- The General Assembly finds:
- 21 (1)That the Low-Level Radioactive Waste Policy
- 22 Amendments Act of 1985 and the Appalachian States Low-Level
- 23 Radioactive Waste Compact Law, adopted pursuant thereto,
- 24 requires the Commonwealth to timely provide a regional
- 25 facility for disposal of low-level radioactive waste
- 26 generated within Compact member states; that the waste
- 27 generators are required, under the terms of the Appalachian
- 28 States Low-Level Radioactive Waste Compact Law and the Low-
- 29 Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Act, to pay the costs of
- 30 developing, establishing, and operating the low-level

radioactive waste disposal facility; and that such costs
associated with preconstruction development of the facility

are estimated to be approximately \$33,000,000.

(2) That the costs for implementing the nuclear power
plant related requirements of the Radiation Protection Act
have increased, and such costs are to be covered by power
reactor fees.

- 8 (3) (2) That those activities which generate low-level
  9 radioactive wastes requiring disposal contribute to the
  10 health and welfare of the citizens of the Compact member
  11 states, and advance payment of funds by certain waste
  12 generators will enhance the timely availability of a disposal
  13 site and reduce the costs of waste disposal.
- 14 (b) Purpose.--The General Assembly therefore establishes 15 that the purposes of this act are as follows:
  - (1) To establish a low-level radioactive waste disposal regional facility siting fund which would:
    - (i) Require nuclear power reactor constructors and operators situated in this Commonwealth to pay to the Department of Environmental Resources funds to be utilized for reasonable and proper expenses, subject to limitations set forth herein, that are incurred by the department, its consultants, and the selected regional facility operator in execution of activities required by section 307 of the Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Act.
  - (ii) Authorize and encourage other potential users of the regional facility to make voluntary payments to the department for the purposes stated in subparagraph (i).

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- 1 (2) To provide for the recovery of an equitable portion
- of funds advanced by persons described under paragraph (1) by
- 3 allowing them credits against surcharges to be billed to all
- 4 waste depositors by the department.
- 5 (3) To increase the existing reactor fees assessed under <--
- 6 the Radiation Protection Act to cover the costs of
- 7 implementing the requirements of the Radiation Protection
- 8 Act.
- 9 Section 103. Definitions.
- 10 The following words and phrases when used in this act shall
- 11 have the meanings given to them in this section unless the
- 12 context clearly indicates otherwise:
- 13 "Appalachian States Low-Level Radioactive Waste Compact Law."
- 14 The act of December 22, 1985 (P.L.539, No.120).
- 15 "BUSINESS CONCERN." ANY CORPORATION, ASSOCIATION, FIRM,
- 16 PARTNERSHIP, TRUST OR OTHER FORM OF COMMERCIAL ORGANIZATION.
- 17 "CONTRACTOR." A PERSON WHO ENTERS INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE
- 18 DEPARTMENT.
- 19 "Contributor." A person who is mandated to make or who is
- 20 voluntarily making contributions to the fund.
- 21 "Department." The Department of Environmental Resources of
- 22 the Commonwealth.
- 23 "DISCLOSURE STATEMENT." A STATEMENT SUBMITTED TO THE
- 24 DEPARTMENT BY A CONTRIBUTOR OR CONTRACTOR AS PROVIDED FOR IN
- 25 CHAPTER 5.
- 26 "Fund." The Regional Facility Siting Fund created by this
- 27 act.
- 28 "KEY EMPLOYEE." ANY PERSON EMPLOYED BY THE CONTRACTOR OR THE <-
- 29 CONTRIBUTOR IN A SUPERVISORY CAPACITY OR EMPOWERED TO MAKE
- 30 DISCRETIONARY DECISIONS WITH RESPECT TO THE RADIOACTIVE WASTE

- 1 OPERATIONS OF THE BUSINESS CONCERN BUT SHALL NOT INCLUDE
- 2 EMPLOYEES EXCLUSIVELY ENGAGED IN THE PHYSICAL OR MECHANICAL
- 3 COLLECTION, TRANSPORTATION, TREATMENT, STORAGE OR DISPOSAL OF
- 4 RADIOACTIVE WASTE.
- 5 "Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Act." The act of
- 6 February 9, 1988 (P.L.31, No.12).
- 7 "Low-Level Radioactive Waste Policy Amendments Act of 1985."

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- 8 Public Law 99-240, 99 Stat. 1842, 42 U.S.C. § 2021b et seq.
- 9 "Radiation Protection Act." The act of July 10, 1984
- 10 <del>(P.L.688, No.147).</del>
- 11 "Waste depositor." Any person disposing of low-level
- 12 radioactive waste in the regional facility during the operative
- 13 period of this act.
- 14 SECTION 104. REGULATION OF CERTAIN WASTE.
- 15 LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE, AS DEFINED IN THE LOW-LEVEL
- 16 RADIOACTIVE WASTE DISPOSAL ACT, GENERATED BY ANY GOVERNMENT
- 17 AGENCY OR PURSUANT TO A GOVERNMENT CONTRACT OR LICENSE, WHICH
- 18 WAS CLASSIFIED BY THE UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY
- 19 COMMISSION AS LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE AS OF JANUARY 1, 1989,
- 20 WHETHER OR NOT SUCH WASTE HAS BEEN DEREGULATED TO BELOW
- 21 REGULATORY CONCERN BY THE UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY
- 22 COMMISSION OR OTHER FEDERAL AGENCY, SHALL ONLY BE DISPOSED OF AT
- 23 A COMMERCIAL WASTE FACILITY LICENSED FOR DISPOSAL OF RADIOACTIVE
- 24 WASTE BY THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA. UNLESS REQUIRED UNDER
- 25 FEDERAL LAW, THE COMMONWEALTH DOES NOT ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY OR
- 26 OWNERSHIP OVER THESE WASTES BY RETAINING JURISDICTION OVER THEIR
- 27 STORAGE AND DISPOSAL.
- 28 CHAPTER 3
- 29 REGIONAL FACILITY SITING FUND
- 30 Section 301. Regional Facility Siting Fund.
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- 1 (a) Establishment.--There shall be established within the
- 2 State Treasury an interest-bearing, non-lapsing, restricted
- 3 account to be known as the Regional Facility Siting Fund.
- 4 (b) Deposits.--All mandated and voluntary contributions
- 5 under this act, together with actual interest earned on these
- 6 contributions by the State Treasurer, shall be deposited into
- 7 the fund. Separate accounting of contributions and actual
- 8 interest earned thereon shall be continuously maintained for
- 9 purposes of implementing sections 306 and 310.
- 10 (c) Appropriation and purpose. -- Moneys in the fund are
- 11 hereby appropriated and, upon authorization of the Governor, may
- 12 be expended by the department on a continuing basis solely for
- 13 the following purposes:
- 14 (1) Reimbursement of expenses incurred by the regional
- 15 facility operator for regional facility site selection,
- 16 regional facility design and land purchase activities, but
- 17 not to include any profit.
- 18 (2) Fees paid by the department to consultants FOR THE
- 19 PURPOSE OF ASSISTING THE DEPARTMENT IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF
- THE THE LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE DISPOSAL ACT.
- 21 (3) Cost of the department for its expenses INCURRED IN <--

- 22 THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE
- 23 DISPOSAL ACT.
- 24 (d) Disbursements.--Each disbursement from the fund shall be
- 25 deemed to be made from both contributions, and actual interest
- 26 earned thereon, in the same proportion as each bears to the
- 27 fund's total balance at the time of such disbursement.
- 28 Section 302. Fund contribution.
- 29 (a) Maximum fund contribution.--The sum of \$33,000,000,
- 30 exclusive of interest earned or imputed, shall be the maximum

- 1 amount to be paid by mandated fund contributors. The actual
- 2 amounts to be paid by mandated fund contributors shall be
- 3 ratably reduced to the extent that the department determines
- 4 that an amount less than \$33,000,000 suffices for the purposes
- 5 of this act, to the extent of voluntary contributions received
- 6 or reasonably anticipated, or to the extent of actual
- 7 commitment, for the purposes of this act, of financial resources
- 8 by persons or organizations other than mandated or voluntary
- 9 contributors. It is the intent of this section that no funds
- 10 significantly in excess of those reasonably required to
- 11 effectuate the purposes of this act be paid into the fund.
- 12 (b) Mandated fund contributors.--
- 13 (1) Each person who is constructing or is operating in
- 14 Pennsylvania, pursuant to a construction permit or operating
- 15 license issued by the United States Nuclear Regulatory
- 16 Commission, one or more of the nine nuclear power reactor
- 17 facilities identified in this subsection, which are expected
- 18 to produce electric energy for commercial purposes and low-
- 19 level radioactive waste for significant portions of the
- 20 functional life of the regional facility, shall pay to the
- 21 department a mandated contribution in the form of a fee for
- 22 each such reactor facility in the amount and at such time as
- 23 follows:
- 24 Date of required payment Fee per reactor
- Not later than the 30th day
- 26 following the effective date
- 27 of this act.....\$133,000
- 28 July 1, 1989.....\$800,000
- 29 OF THIS ACT.....\$933,000
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               The provisions of this subsection shall be
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      applicable to the following nuclear power reactor facilities,
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      which are producing or are reasonably anticipated to produce
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      electric energy for commercial purposes and are generating or
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      are reasonably anticipated to generate low-level radioactive
      waste throughout a significant portion of the functional life
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      of the regional facility:
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              (ii) Beaver Valley - No. 2
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              (iii) Limerick - No. 1
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              (v) Peach Bottom - No. 2
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              (vi) Peach Bottom - No. 3
              (vii) Susquehanna - No. 1
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                    Three Mile Island - No. 1
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       (c) Voluntary fund contributors. -- Any person, other than one
   required to make fund contributions pursuant to subsection (b),
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    in an Appalachian States Compact member state who anticipates
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   future use of the regional facility may, in one or more of the
   annual payment periods specified in subsection (b), make a
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   voluntary contribution to the fund by payment to the department.
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   Unless clearly stated otherwise, for the purposes of this act
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   generally, and for the purposes of section 303 specifically, a
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   person making such a voluntary contribution shall, to the extent
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   of that contribution, be regarded without distinction as a
   mandated contributor. Such designation does not obligate or
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- 1 require future contributions by such persons. Voluntary
- 2 contributions shall be applied by the department to reduce the
- 3 fees of mandated contributors on a pro rata basis.
- 4 (d) Contributor reconciliation accounts.--At all times
- 5 during the effective period of this act, the department shall
- 6 maintain a reconciliation ledger consisting of a reconciliation
- 7 account for each person making a contribution under this
- 8 section. Contributions by such person, and the imputed
- 9 interested accrued pursuant to subsection (e), shall be promptly
- 10 debited to the contributor's reconciliation account. Fee
- 11 payments, and imputed interest thereon, by a person who is a
- 12 mandated contributor for more than one nuclear power reactor
- 13 facility shall, for the purposes of this act, be merged in a
- 14 single reconciliation account in the name of such person.
- 15 (e) Imputed interest.--Mandated and voluntary contributions
- 16 made under this section shall accrue imputed interest. Such
- 17 interest shall be computed on an annual basis for the period
- 18 beginning with the time of receipt of a contribution and ending
- 19 on each successive June 30th. Such interest shall be simple
- 20 annual interest at a rate equal to the rate then being imposed
- 21 by the Department of Revenue for unpaid State taxes due and
- 22 payable to the Commonwealth. It is the intent of this subsection
- 23 to properly recognize the time value of funds contributed so as
- 24 to allow for inclusion of that additional imputed interest in
- 25 fixing surcharges provided for by section 303. Accordingly,
- 26 withdrawal from the fund and expenditure by the department of
- 27 funds contributed under this section shall not be credited
- 28 against, deducted from, or otherwise cause to diminish the debit
- 29 balance of contributors' reconciliation accounts on which
- 30 imputed interest is accrued under this subsection. The imputed

- 1 interest required by this subsection is a separate and distinct
- 2 calculation for the purpose of implementing section 303 and
- 3 shall not, for any purpose or in any circumstance, be regarded
- 4 as the actual interest on amounts in the fund which may be
- 5 earned pursuant to section 301(a).
- 6 (f) Final value of contributions. -- For the purposes of
- 7 determining surcharges and otherwise administering the
- 8 provisions of section 303, the debit balance in each
- 9 contributor's reconciliation account as of June 30, 1994,
- 10 together with imputed interest accrued thereon, shall be
- 11 regarded as the final reconciliation account value of each
- 12 contributor, and the sum of all such contributor's final
- 13 reconciliation account values shall be regarded as the final
- 14 reconciliation control account value. No further imputed
- 15 interest shall be accrued after that date on the final
- 16 reconciliation account value of each contributor's account.
- 17 (G) HOST MUNICIPAL LONG-TERM RESIDUAL RADIOACTIVE WASTE
- 18 DISPOSAL FUND. --
- 19 (1) IN ADDITION TO THE FEES OTHERWISE COLLECTED UNDER
- 20 THIS SECTION, EACH PERSON WHO IS CONSTRUCTING OR OPERATING A
- 21 FACILITY IN THIS COMMONWEALTH SHALL PAY AN ADDITIONAL FEE IN
- 22 THE AMOUNT OF 10% OF THE FEE ESTABLISHED UNDER THE SCHEDULE
- 23 CONTAINED IN SUBSECTION (B). THESE FUNDS SHALL BE PAID INTO
- 24 AN INTEREST-BEARING, NONLAPSING, RESTRICTED ACCOUNT TO BE
- 25 KNOWN AS THE HOST MUNICIPAL LONG-TERM RESIDUAL RADIOACTIVE
- 26 WASTE DISPOSAL FUND, WHICH IS HEREBY ESTABLISHED IN THE STATE
- 27 TREASURY. ALL MONEYS IN THIS ACCOUNT, INCLUDING ALL INTEREST
- 28 EARNED THEREON, ARE HEREBY APPROPRIATED TO THE DEPARTMENT ON
- 29 A CONTINUING BASIS SPECIFICALLY AND ONLY FOR THE PURPOSE OF
- 30 MAKING THE PAYMENTS PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION. NO COSTS SHALL

- 1 BE DEDUCTED FOR EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION OF THE DISPOSAL
- 2 FUND.
- 3 (2) AT THE TIME OF DECOMMISSIONING OF ANY OF THE NUCLEAR
- 4 POWER REACTOR FACILITIES LISTED IN SUBSECTION (B)(2), PAYMENT
- 5 IN AN AMOUNT DETERMINED BY DIVIDING THE BALANCE OF THE
- 6 DISPOSAL FUND BY THE NUMBER OF REMAINING REACTOR FACILITIES
- 7 SHALL BE MADE TO THE HOST MUNICIPALITY IN WHICH THE NUCLEAR
- 8 POWER REACTOR FACILITY IS LOCATED. A HOST MUNICIPALITY MAY
- 9 EXPEND MONEY RECEIVED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION FOR ANY PURPOSE
- 10 FOR WHICH THE MUNICIPALITY IS OTHERWISE AUTHORIZED BY LAW TO
- 11 EXPEND FUNDS.
- 12 (3) AS USED IN THIS SUBSECTION, THE TERM "DECOMMISSION"
- 13 MEANS THE TIME AT WHICH A NUCLEAR POWER REACTOR FACILITY IS
- 14 PERMANENTLY REMOVED FROM THE SERVICE OF PROVIDING POWER.
- 15 Section 303. Reconciliation of control account.
- 16 (a) Intent.--It is the intent of this section to provide a
- 17 procedure to assure that each fund contributor be provided
- 18 credits, to the extent of its final reconciliation account
- 19 value, against surcharges to be imposed on all waste depositors
- 20 under section 315(c) of the Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal
- 21 Act.
- 22 (b) Reconciliation period for final reconciliation control
- 23 account. -- The final reconciliation account value of each
- 24 contributor shall be reconciled over ten annual reconciliation
- 25 periods against any surcharges on waste depositors imposed by
- 26 the department under section 315(c) of the Low-Level Radioactive
- 27 Waste Disposal Act. The first annual reconciliation period shall
- 28 commence with the first day of the first month of the fifth
- 29 calendar quarter during which waste is deposited in the regional
- 30 facility.

- 1 (c) Reconciliation credits. -- For each annual reconciliation
- 2 period, the department shall determine the revenue required by
- 3 all surcharges to be imposed under section 315(c) of the Low-
- 4 Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Act and add to such requirement
- 5 an additional amount equal to one-tenth of the final
- 6 reconciliation control account value, the sum to be termed the
- 7 annual reconciliation period revenue. An annual reconciliation
- 8 period surcharge rate applicable to current reconciliation
- 9 period disposal operations shall be then determined by dividing
- 10 the annual reconciliation period revenue by the total volume AND

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- 11 WASTE CLASSIFICATION of waste deposited in the regional facility
- 12 by all waste depositors during the preceding 12 months. The
- 13 annual surcharge rate thus determined shall be multiplied by the
- 14 volume AND WASTE CLASSIFICATION of waste deposited at the
- 15 regional facility in the current reconciliation period by each
- 16 waste depositor and the resulting surcharge assessed upon each
- 17 such waste depositor. The surcharge assessment of such a waste
- 18 depositor who is a fund contributor shall be credited in an
- 19 amount up to one-tenth of its final reconciliation account
- 20 value. If, in any reconciliation period, the applicable
- 21 surcharge assessment shall be less than one-tenth of the fund
- 22 contributor's final reconciliation account value, the difference
- 23 may be carried over and usable as additional credit against
- 24 applicable surcharges in the next reconciliation period or
- 25 alternatively applied to any permit fee imposed under section
- 26 315(a) of the Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Act.
- 27 Section 304. Records and audits.
- 28 (a) Records.--In addition to the particular records and
- 29 accounts specified elsewhere in this act, the department, at all
- 30 times during the effective period of this act, shall maintain

- 1 such additional records and accounts in such form and manner as
- 2 will allow detailed review, examination and audit, by the
- 3 Auditor General, of all monetary transactions pursuant to this
- 4 act.
- 5 (b) Fiscal audits.--Within 120 days following June 30 of
- 6 each of the fiscal years 1990 through 1994 and the fiscal year
- 7 in which the facility begins licensed operations, the department
- 8 shall furnish to each fund contributor three copies of a
- 9 financial audit performed in accordance with generally accepted
- 10 auditing standards compatible with the most intensive current
- 11 practices of the Department of the Auditor General. Such audit
- 12 shall be performed by the Department of the Auditor General.
- 13 (c) Expenses. -- The department may withdraw from the fund
- 14 such amounts as are reasonably necessary and proper for
- 15 reimbursement of audit costs.
- 16 Section 305. Default.
- 17 (a) Default.--For the purposes of this act, a default shall
- 18 be deemed to be a material failure to timely make available for
- 19 waste deposition a functioning regional facility conforming in
- 20 all material respects to applicable law. In addition to any
- 21 other such circumstance or set of circumstances, any of the
- 22 following shall MAY be deemed to be a default:
- 23 (1) Termination of the contract to be entered into by

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- the department on or about <del>July 1, 1989</del> MAY 1, 1990, with a
- regional facility operator, prior to submittal to the
- 26 appropriate Federal agency of a license application for such
- a facility.
- 28 (2) Failure by the regional facility operator to
- 29 commence physical construction of a regional facility by
- January 1, 1996, at a site having final approval of the

- 1 Secretary of Environmental Resources.
- 2 (3) Failure by the department to move forward to site
- 3 approval and to operate a site where there has been a default
- 4 by the regional facility operator.
- 5 (b) Declaration of default. -- The Appalachian States Compact
- 6 Commission may declare a default when a majority of BOTH
- 7 MANDATORY AND VOLUNTARY fund contributors request such, setting

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- 8 forth in a written declaration, the circumstances constituting
- 9 the default.
- 10 (c) Special rights and remedies.--
- 11 (1) Upon the declaration of default, the rights and
- remedies specified in this subsection shall be available to
- fund contributors, and duties specified by this subsection
- shall be imposed on the department.
- 15 (2) Each fund contributor shall, within 60 days of
- declaration of default, be refunded a pro rata amount of
- 17 unexpended contributions, including actual interest earned
- thereon, remaining in the fund in the proportion that each
- 19 contributor's contributions to the date bears to the total
- 20 contributions of all contributors to that date. Contributions
- in transit or received by the department on or after that
- 22 date shall not be deposited in the fund, but shall be
- 23 returned to the sender.
- 24 (3) The department shall refund to fund contributors all
- 25 moneys, including the portion thereof attributable to actual
- interest earned thereon, previously released to the facility
- 27 operator to the extent that the department has or will
- 28 receive any or all of such moneys as a result of the default.
- 29 From time to time, upon recovery of reasonable amounts of
- 30 such moneys, the department shall refund these moneys to each

- 1 fund contributor in the same pro rata proportion stated in
- 2 paragraph (2).
- 3 (d) Remedies preserved. -- Nothing in this section shall be in
- 4 any way construed to limit the rights and remedies available to
- 5 a fund contributor at law or equity. In no event shall the
- 6 department or the Commonwealth be liable for unrecovered
- 7 expended portions of the fund.
- 8 Section 306. Withdrawal from Compact.
- 9 In the event that a Compact member state withdraws from the
- 10 Compact before June 30, 1994, any person in such Compact member
- 11 state who has made voluntary contributions shall be entitled to
- 12 a refund of such contributions, not to include any actual
- 13 interest earned on such contributions. The department may,
- 14 pursuant to section 303, impose additional fees on mandated
- 15 contributors sufficient to provide the amount to be refunded.
- 16 This refund shall be paid when such additional fees become
- 17 available to the department.
- 18 Section 307. Participation in regulatory proceedings.
- 19 (a) Department.--Upon request of ANY ADMITTED PARTY TO A
- 20 REGULATORY PROCEEDING, INCLUDING a contributor that is a public
- 21 utility, the department may agree to appear in proceedings
- 22 before or present appropriate submittals to that contributor's
- 23 public utility regulatory body regarding the contributor's
- 24 contribution to the fund. A contributor making such request
- 25 shall compensate the department for its actual costs for travel,
- 26 lodging and other out-of-pocket or administrative expenses
- 27 incurred in compliance with this request.
- 28 (b) Affidavit.--If the department does not appear, it will

- 29 MAY submit an affidavit providing information relative to such
- 30 contributions and surcharges relating to the fund and made or

- 1 imposed under this act.
- 2 Section 308. Retention of records.
- 3 The department shall retain, in a reasonably accessible form
- 4 and place, all records pertaining to contributions, surcharges
- 5 and reconciliations made under this act for a period of seven
- 6 years beyond its termination. The department shall permit
- 7 reasonable access to such records by persons who have paid such <-
- 8 contributions or surcharges. ACCESS TO ALL RECORDS PERTAINING TO <-
- 9 CONTRIBUTIONS, SURCHARGES AND RECONCILIATIONS MADE UNDER THIS
- 10 ACT.
- 11 Section 309. Construction.
- 12 This act shall be construed in pari materia with the
- 13 Appalachian States Low-Level Radioactive Waste Compact Law, the
- 14 Radiation Protection Act, and the Low-Level Radioactive Waste
- 15 Disposal Act.
- 16 Section 310. Expiration of fund. act of December 22, 1985
- 17 The fund shall expire one year following the last day of the
- 18 tenth annual reconciliation period pursuant to section 303.
- 19 Unexpended amounts then remaining in the fund attributable to
- 20 actual contributions, and exclusive of actual interest earned on
- 21 such contributions, shall be refunded to each contributor in the
- 22 proportion that each contributor's contributions to the fund
- 23 bears to the total of all such contributions. Unexpended amounts
- 24 then remaining in the fund attributable to actual interest
- 25 earned on contributions shall be transferred to the Low-Level
- 26 Waste Fund, as established under the Low-Level Radioactive Waste
- 27 Disposal Act.
- CHAPTER 5 <---
- 29 DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS
- 30 SECTION 501. REQUIREMENTS.

- 1 IN ADDITION TO ANY PROCEDURE, CONDITION OR INFORMATION
- 2 REQUIREMENT OF THE LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE DISPOSAL ACT,
- 3 EVERY CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR SHALL FILE THE DISCLOSURE
- 4 STATEMENT REQUIRED UNDER THIS CHAPTER WITH THE DEPARTMENT AND
- 5 THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.
- 6 SECTION 502. CONTENT.
- 7 THE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT SHALL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:
- 8 (1) THE FULL NAME, BUSINESS ADDRESS AND SOCIAL SECURITY
- 9 NUMBER OF THE CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR, OR, IF THE
- 10 CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR IS A BUSINESS CONCERN, OF ANY
- 11 OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, PARTNERS OR KEY EMPLOYEES THEREOF AND
- 12 ALL PERSONS OR BUSINESS CONCERNS HOLDING ANY EQUITY IN OR
- 13 DEBT LIABILITY OF THAT BUSINESS CONCERN. IF THE BUSINESS
- 14 CONCERN IS A PUBLICLY TRADED CORPORATION, THE DISCLOSURE
- 15 STATEMENT SHALL INCLUDE ALL PERSONS OR BUSINESS CONCERNS
- 16 HOLDING MORE THAN 5% OF THE EQUITY IN OR DEBT LIABILITY OF
- 17 THAT BUSINESS CONCERN, EXCEPT THAT, WHERE THE DEBT LIABILITY
- 18 IS HELD BY A CHARTERED LENDING INSTITUTION, THE CONTRACTOR OR
- 19 CONTRIBUTOR NEED ONLY SUPPLY THE NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS OF
- 20 THE LENDING INSTITUTION.
- 21 (2) THE FULL NAME, BUSINESS ADDRESS AND SOCIAL SECURITY
- 22 NUMBER OF ALL OFFICERS, DIRECTORS OR PARTNERS OF ANY BUSINESS
- 23 CONCERN DISCLOSED IN THE STATEMENT AND THE NAMES AND
- 24 ADDRESSES OF ALL PERSONS HOLDING ANY EQUITY IN OR THE DEBT
- 25 LIABILITY OF ANY BUSINESS CONCERN SO DISCLOSED. IF THE
- 26 BUSINESS CONCERN IS A PUBLICLY TRADED CORPORATION, THE
- 27 DISCLOSURE STATEMENT SHALL INCLUDE ALL PERSONS OR BUSINESS
- 28 CONCERNS HOLDING MORE THAN 5% OF THE EQUITY IN OR DEBT
- 29 LIABILITY OF THAT BUSINESS CONCERN, EXCEPT THAT, WHERE THE
- 30 DEBT LIABILITY IS HELD BY A CHARTERED LENDING INSTITUTION,

- 1 THE CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR NEED ONLY SUPPLY THE NAME AND
- 2 BUSINESS ADDRESS OF THE LENDING INSTITUTION.
- 3 (3) THE FULL NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS OF ANY COMPANY
- 4 WHICH COLLECTS, TRANSPORTS, TREATS, STORES OR DISPOSES OF
- 5 RADIOACTIVE WASTE AND IN WHICH THE CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR
- 6 HOLDS AN EQUITY INTEREST.
- 7 (4) A DESCRIPTION OF EXPERIENCE AND CREDENTIALS IN,
- 8 INCLUDING ANY PAST OR PRESENT LICENSES FOR, THE COLLECTION,
- 9 TRANSPORTATION, TREATMENT, STORAGE OR DISPOSAL OF RADIOACTIVE
- 10 WASTE POSSESSED BY THE CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR, OR, IF THE
- 11 CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR IS A BUSINESS CONCERN, BY THE KEY
- 12 EMPLOYEES, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS OR PARTNERS THEREOF.
- 13 (5) A LISTING AND EXPLANATION OF ANY NOTICES OF
- 14 VIOLATION OR PROSECUTION, ADMINISTRATIVE ORDERS OR LICENSE
- 15 REVOCATIONS WHICH WERE ISSUED BY ANY STATE OR FEDERAL
- 16 AUTHORITY IN THE TEN YEARS IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING AND WHICH
- 17 ARE PENDING OR HAVE RESULTED IN A FINDING OR A SETTLEMENT OF
- 18 A VIOLATION OF ANY LAW OR RULE AND REGULATION BY THE
- 19 CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR, OR, IF THE CONTRACTOR OR
- 20 CONTRIBUTOR IS A BUSINESS CONCERN, BY ANY KEY EMPLOYEE,
- 21 OFFICER, DIRECTOR OR PARTNER THEREOF.
- 22 (6) A LISTING AND EXPLANATION OF ANY JUDGMENT OF
- 23 LIABILITY OR CONVICTION WHICH WAS RENDERED PURSUANT TO ANY
- 24 STATE OR FEDERAL STATUTE OR LOCAL ORDINANCE, AGAINST THE
- 25 CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR, OR, IF THE CONTRACTOR OR
- 26 CONTRIBUTOR IS A BUSINESS CONCERN, AGAINST ANY KEY EMPLOYEE,
- 27 OFFICER, DIRECTOR OR PARTNER THEREOF.
- 28 (7) A LISTING OF ALL LABOR UNIONS AND TRADE AND BUSINESS
- 29 ASSOCIATIONS WITH WHICH THE CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR HAD A
- 30 COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT DURING THE PRECEDING TEN

- 1 YEARS.
- 2 (8) A LISTING OF ANY AGENCIES OUTSIDE THIS COMMONWEALTH
- 3 WHICH HAD REGULATORY RESPONSIBILITY OVER THE CONTRACTOR OR
- 4 CONTRIBUTOR IN CONNECTION WITH HIS COLLECTION,
- 5 TRANSPORTATION, TREATMENT, STORAGE OR DISPOSAL OF RADIOACTIVE
- 6 WASTE.
- 7 (9) ANY OTHER INFORMATION THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OR THE
- 8 DEPARTMENT MAY REQUIRE THAT RELATES TO THE COMPETENCY,
- 9 RELIABILITY OR GOOD CHARACTER OF THE CONTRACTOR OR
- 10 CONTRIBUTOR.
- 11 SECTION 503. PROCEDURE.
- 12 (A) INVESTIGATIVE REPORT. -- THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHALL,
- 13 WITHIN 120 DAYS OF THE RECEIPT OF THE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT FROM
- 14 THE CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR PREPARE AND TRANSMIT TO THE
- 15 DEPARTMENT AN INVESTIGATIVE REPORT ON THE CONTRACTOR OR
- 16 CONTRIBUTOR, BASED IN PART UPON THE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT, EXCEPT
- 17 THAT THIS DEADLINE MAY BE EXTENDED FOR A REASONABLE PERIOD OF
- 18 TIME, FOR GOOD CAUSE, BY THE DEPARTMENT AND THE ATTORNEY
- 19 GENERAL. IN PREPARING THIS REPORT, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL MAY
- 20 REQUEST AND RECEIVE CRIMINAL HISTORY INFORMATION FROM THE
- 21 FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION.
- 22 (B) DUTY OF CONTRACTORS AND CONTRIBUTORS.--ALL CONTRACTORS
- 23 AND CONTRIBUTORS SHALL HAVE THE CONTINUING DUTY TO PROVIDE ANY
- 24 ASSISTANCE OR INFORMATION REQUESTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OR THE
- 25 ATTORNEY GENERAL AND TO COOPERATE IN ANY INQUIRY OR
- 26 INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND IN ANY
- 27 INQUIRY, INVESTIGATION, OR HEARING CONDUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENT.
- 28 IF, UPON ISSUANCE OF A FORMAL REQUEST TO ANSWER ANY INQUIRY OR
- 29 PRODUCE INFORMATION, EVIDENCE OR TESTIMONY, ANY CONTRACTOR OR
- 30 CONTRIBUTOR REFUSES TO COMPLY, THE AGREEMENT OR CONTRACT WITH

- THAT PERSON MAY BE REVOKED BY THE DEPARTMENT.
- (C) FEE. -- THE ATTORNEY GENERAL MAY CHARGE AND COLLECT, IN 2
- 3 ACCORDANCE WITH A FEE SCHEDULE ADOPTED BY REGULATION, SUCH FEES
- FROM CONTRACTORS AND CONTRIBUTORS AS MAY BE NECESSARY TO COVER
- THE COSTS OF ENFORCING THIS ACT. THE FEE SHALL BE CALCULATED ON 5
- THE BASIS OF \$100 PER EACH INDIVIDUAL REQUIRED TO BE LISTED IN 6
- THE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT OR SHOWN TO HAVE A BENEFICIAL INTEREST 7
- OTHER THAN AN EQUITY INTEREST OR DEBT LIABILITY IN THE BUSINESS
- OF THE CONTRACTOR OR THE CONTRIBUTOR.
- (D) CHANGES AND ADDITIONS. -- IF ANY OF THE INFORMATION 10
- 11 REQUIRED TO BE INCLUDED IN THE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT CHANGES, OR
- IF ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SHOULD BE ADDED AFTER THE FILING 12
- 13 OF THE STATEMENT, THE CONTRACTOR OR CONTRIBUTOR SHALL PROVIDE
- 14 THAT INFORMATION TO THE DEPARTMENT AND ATTORNEY GENERAL, IN
- 15 WRITING, WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE CHANGE OR ADDITION.
- 16 SECTION 504. RULES AND REGULATIONS.
- 17 THE DEPARTMENT WITH THE ADVICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND IN
- 18 THE MANNER PROVIDED BY LAW, SHALL PROMULGATE THE RULES AND
- 19 REGULATIONS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THIS CHAPTER.
- 20 CHAPTER 11
- 21 MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS
- 22 Section 1101. Retroactivity.
- 23 Section 302 of this act shall be retroactive to July 1, 1989.

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- 24 Section 1102 1101. Effective date.
- 25 This act shall take effect immediately.