

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON CONSERVATION, JANUARY 2, 1990

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," providing
18 that railroad yards where solid waste is unloaded for
19 distribution to landfills or other disposal areas are
20 transfer facilities which require permits.

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

23 Section 1. Section 501 of the act of July 7, 1980 (P.L.380,
24 No.97), known as the Solid Waste Management Act, is amended by
25 adding a subsection to read:

26 Section 501. Permits and licenses required; transition scheme;

1 reporting requirements.

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3 (a.1) A railroad yard which is the destination point for
4 unloading and distribution of solid waste to landfills or other
5 places of disposal is a transfer facility which requires a
6 permit under this act and rules and regulations promulgated
7 under this act.

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9 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 30 days.