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L.L. RADIOACTIVE WASTE SITE

House Bill 4805

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Committee: Conservation, Recreation,

& Environment

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4805 INTRODUCED 5-9-91

Under the Low-level Radioactive Waste Authority Act, the process for selecting a low-level radioactive waste disposal site within the state required that the authority notify the legislature of its designated host site by September 1, 1989. The legislature then had 30 days to either approve the designated site, or to reject the designated site and recommend one of the two remaining candidates. If the legislature failed to do so, then the authority would designate one of the two remaining candidates as the host site. House Bill 4805 would amend the act to require that the authority inform both the legislature and the Commission of Natural Resources of its preliminary designation of a host site, and that the commission, rather than the legislature, make the final selection.

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