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INCINERATOR TEST RESULTS

House Bill 4412

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**Committee: Conservation, Environment
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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4412 AS INTRODUCED 3-2-93

The bill would amend the Air Pollution Act to require that, effective January 1, 1994, owners or operators of municipal solid waste incinerators conduct annual emission tests on each emitting unit. The testing would be in addition to or in conjunction with any other testing requirements under the act or applicable rules or permits, and would have to be done in a manner approved by the Air Pollution Control Commission. Testing would be required for the following pollutants: particulate matter, mercury, cadmium, hexavalent chromium, lead, arsenic, chlorinated dibenzo-p-dioxins, chlorinated dibenzofurans, hydrogen chloride, sulfur dioxide, carbon monoxide, and nitrogen oxides. The results of the testing would have to be reported numerically in terms of average hourly concentration, pounds per hour, and maximum total pounds per year, and would have to be submitted to the Department of Natural Resources within 90 days after testing. The department would then publish an annual report containing a list of all municipal solid waste incinerators and the results of the emissions tests required by the bill. The report would have to be submitted to the legislature by October 1 of each year.

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