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Senate Bill 642 (as introduced 7-2-97)
Sponsor: Senator Michael J. Bouchard
Committee: Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs

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CONTENT

The bill would amend the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act to delete the December 15, 1999, sunset date on provisions that establish a setback requirement for municipal solid waste incinerators.

Currently, the Department of Environmental Quality may not issue an installation or operating permit to a municipal solid waste incinerator unless it is located at least 1,000 feet from a residential dwelling, a public or private elementary or secondary school, a preschool facility for infants or children, or a hospital. The Department is required to review and study municipal solid waste setbacks from these structures and issue a report detailing findings and recommendations to the Legislature by December 14, 1997.

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Legislative Analyst: N. Nagata

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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