

# HOUSE BILL No. 4055

January 8, 1997, Introduced by Rep. Varga and referred to the Committee on Conservation, Environment and Recreation.

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled  
"Natural resources and environmental protection act,"  
(MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 11117a.

## **THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1        SEC. 11117A. AN APPLICANT FOR A CONSTRUCTION PERMIT UNDER  
2 THIS PART WHO SEEKS TO USE A SALT DOME OR SALT BED FORMATION OR  
3 MINE OR CAVE FOR A TREATMENT, STORAGE, OR DISPOSAL FACILITY SHALL  
4 OBTAIN THE STORAGE AND PASSAGE RIGHTS FROM SURFACE OWNERS FOR THE  
5 ENTIRE SALT DOME OR SALT BED FORMATION OR MINE OR CAVE BEFORE  
6 SUBMITTING THE APPLICATION. THE APPLICANT SHALL SUBMIT EVIDENCE  
7 OF COMPLIANCE WITH THIS SECTION WITH THE APPLICATION FOR A CON-  
8 STRUCTION PERMIT.