

SENATE BILL NO. 1179

June 3, 1998, Introduced by Senator STILLE and referred to the
Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs.

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled
"Natural resources and environmental protection act,"
by amending section 11715 (MCL 324.11715).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 11715. (1) If a governmental unit requires that all
2 septage waste collected in that governmental unit be disposed of
3 in a septage waste treatment facility or prohibits, or effec-
4 tively prohibits, the application of septage waste to land within
5 that governmental unit, the governmental unit shall make avail-
6 able a public septage waste treatment facility that can lawfully
7 accept all septage waste generated within that governmental unit
8 that is not lawfully applied to land.

9 (2) The owner or operator of a public septage waste
10 treatment facility ~~shall not~~ MAY require the posting of a
11 surety, including cash in an escrow account or a performance

1 bond, to dispose of septage waste in the public septage waste
2 treatment facility.