

# HOUSE BILL No. 5369

September 15, 2009, Introduced by Reps. Valentine, Warren, Scripps, Miller, Sheltroun, Leland, Lipton, Bledsoe, Gonzales, Espinoza, Smith, Donigan, Roberts, Kennedy and Meadows and referred to the Committee on Great Lakes and Environment.

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled  
"Natural resources and environmental protection act,"  
(MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 8512c.

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

1           SEC. 8512C. (1) BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2011, A PERSON SHALL NOT  
2 DISPLAY FOR RETAIL SALE A TURF FERTILIZER LABELED AS CONTAINING THE  
3 PLANT NUTRIENT AVAILABLE PHOSPHATE (P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>). A PERSON THAT SELLS TURF  
4 FERTILIZER LABELED AS CONTAINING THE PLANT NUTRIENT AVAILABLE  
5 PHOSPHATE AT RETAIL MAY POST A SIGN ADVISING CUSTOMERS THAT TURF  
6 FERTILIZER LABELED AS CONTAINING AVAILABLE PHOSPHATE IS AVAILABLE  
7 UPON REQUEST FOR PERMITTED USES. THE SIGN SHALL ADVISE CUSTOMERS IN  
8 EASILY LEGIBLE TYPE OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 8512B(1) TO (3).

9           (2) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "TURF FERTILIZER" MEANS  
10 FERTILIZER LABELED FOR USE ON TURF, LAWNS, OR LAWNS AND GARDENS.

1           Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect  
2 unless Senate Bill No.\_\_\_\_ or House Bill No.\_\_\_\_ (request no.  
3 00613'09 \*\*) of the 95th Legislature is enacted into law.