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HOUSE BILL No. 6321

September 5, 2018, Introduced by Rep. Brinks and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code,"

(MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding section 12722.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 SEC. 12722. (1) IF THE DEPARTMENT BECOMES AWARE THAT PFAS HAVE
- 2 BEEN DETECTED IN A PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELL, THE DEPARTMENT
- 3 SHALL NOTIFY ALL OWNERS OF REAL PROPERTY THAT DRAW WATER FROM THE
- 4 AQUIFER IN WHICH PFAS HAVE BEEN DETECTED AND SHALL PROVIDE
 - EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION, PREPARED BY THE DEPARTMENT, THAT INCLUDES
 - AT LEAST ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
 - (A) WHAT PFAS ARE AND HOW THEY CAN BECOME PRESENT IN GROUNDWATER.
 - (B) POTENTIAL HEALTH RISKS FROM PFAS.
 - (C) INFORMATION REGARDING HOW THE INDIVIDUAL MAY OBTAIN

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- 1 ADDITIONAL TESTING OF WATER AT HIS OR HER PROPERTY.
- 2 (D) OTHER RESOURCES IDENTIFIED BY THE DEPARTMENT THAT ARE
- 3 PERTINENT TO PFAS.
- 4 (2) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "PFAS" MEANS PERFLUOROALKYL OR
- 5 POLYFLUOROALKYL SUBSTANCES. PFAS INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO,
- 6 PFOA AND PFOS.
- 7 (A) "PFOA" MEANS PERFLUOROOCTANOIC ACID.
- 8 (B) "PFOS" MEANS PERFLUOROOCTANE SULFONIC ACID.