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An act relating to resource recovery and management; amending s. 403.703, F.S.; redefining the term "source separated;" providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Subsection (44) of section 403.703, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

403.703 Definitions.--As used in this act, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, the term:

(44) "Source separated" means the recovered materials are separated from solid waste where the recovered materials and solid waste are generated. The term does not require that various types of recovered materials be separated from each other and recognizes de minimis solid waste, in accordance with industry standards and practices, may be included in the recovered materials. Materials are not considered source separated when two or more types of recovered materials are deposited in combination with each other in a commercial collection container located where the materials are generated and such materials contain more than 10 percent solid waste by volume or weight. For purposes of this subsection, the term "various types of recovered materials" means metals, paper, glass, plastic, textiles, and rubber.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2000.