

By Senator Bullard

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See HB

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to Monroe County; amending
3 chapter 99-395, Laws of Florida, as amended;
4 revising provisions relating to interim
5 construction standards for new, expanded, or
6 existing onsite sewage treatment and disposal
7 systems scheduled to be served by a central
8 sewage facility before July 1, 2010; providing
9 an effective date.

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

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13 Section 1. Subsection (8) of section 6 of chapter
14 99-395, Laws of Florida, as amended by chapter 2001-337, Laws
15 of Florida, is amended to read:

16 Section 6. Sewage requirements in Monroe County.--

17 (8) The requirements of subsections (2)-(7) do not
18 apply to the following:

19 (a) Class 1 injection wells as defined by Department
20 of Environmental Protection rule, including any authorized
21 mechanical integrity tests.

22 (b) Authorized mechanical integrity tests associated
23 with Class V wells as defined by Department of Environmental
24 Protection rule.

25 (c) The following types of reuse systems authorized by
26 Department of Environmental Protection domestic wastewater
27 rules:

- 28 1. Slow-rate land application systems;
- 29 2. Industrial uses of reclaimed water; and

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1 3. Use of reclaimed water for toilet flushing, fire
2 protection, vehicle washing, construction dust control, and
3 decorative water features.

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5 However, disposal systems serving as backups to reuse systems
6 shall comply with the other provisions of this act.

7 (d) In areas that are scheduled to be served by a
8 central sewage facility before July 1, 2010, interim
9 construction standards for new, expanded, or existing onsite
10 sewage treatment and disposal systems shall be allowed.

11 1. Interim system requirements shall be allowed
12 through July 1, 2010 ~~2004~~, for onsite sewage treatment and
13 disposal systems under the jurisdiction of the Department of
14 Health, as defined in s.381.0065, Florida Statutes, in areas
15 that are scheduled to be served, according to an adopted local
16 comprehensive plan determined to be in compliance by the
17 Department of Community Affairs, by a central sewage facility
18 before July 1, 2010. The interim system requirements shall be
19 those interim standards for the Florida Keys contained in
20 Department of Health rules effective on March 3, 1998.

21 ~~2. After July 1, 2004, interim system requirements~~
22 ~~shall be allowed in an area scheduled to be served by a~~
23 ~~central sewage facility only when all of the following~~
24 ~~conditions are met:~~

25 ~~a. An enforceable contract to provide the central~~
26 ~~sewage facility and collection system has been signed;~~

27 ~~b. The contract contains a binding schedule for~~
28 ~~connecting the onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems~~
29 ~~under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health to the~~
30 ~~central sewage facility; and~~

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1 ~~c. There is an enforceable requirement for abandonment~~
2 ~~of the onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems under the~~
3 ~~jurisdiction of the Department of Health.~~

4 2.3. Onsite sewage treatment and disposal systems
5 under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health that are
6 not scheduled to be served in accordance with this paragraph
7 shall provide the level of treatment required under paragraph
8 (c).

9 3.4. All onsite treatment and disposal systems under
10 the jurisdiction of the Department of Health in operation on
11 July 1, 2010, shall provide the level of treatment required
12 under paragraph (c).

13 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a
14 law.

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