COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE AMENDMENT

Bill No. HB 743 (2013)

Amendment No. 1

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	COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION
	ADOPTED (Y/N)
	ADOPTED AS AMENDED (Y/N)
	ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION (Y/N)
	FAILED TO ADOPT (Y/N)
	WITHDRAWN (Y/N)
	OTHER
1	Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Agriculture & Natural
2	Resources Appropriations Subcommittee
3	Representative Rodrigues, R. offered the following:
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5	Amendment (with title amendment)
6	Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:
7	Section 1. This act may be cited as the "Fracturing
8	Chemical Usage Disclosure Act."
9	Section 2. Section 377.45, Florida Statutes, is created to
10	read:
11	377.45 Hydraulic fracturing chemical registry
12	(1) For the purposes of this section, "department" means
13	the Department of Environmental Protection.
14	(2)(a) The department shall establish and maintain an
15	online hydraulic fracturing chemical registry for all wells on
16	which hydraulic fracturing treatments are performed.
17	(b) The registry shall include, at a minimum, the total
18	volume of water used in the hydraulic fracturing treatment and
19	each chemical ingredient that is subject to 29 C.F.R. s.
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21	Amendment No. 1 treatments are performed, as provided by a service company or
22	chemical supplier, or by the well owner or operator if the owner
23	or operator provides such chemical ingredients. The department
24	may not require chemical ingredients to be identified by
25	concentration or based on the additive in which they are found.
26	(c) The registry and the information provided pursuant to
27	this subsection must be accessible to the public through the
28	department's website, including an internet link to FracFocus,
29	the national hydraulic fracturing chemical registry website.
30	(3)(a) The owner or operator of a well on which a
31	hydraulic fracturing treatment is performed shall report
32	information as required by the department. The well owner or
33	operator must notify the department of any chemical ingredients
34	not previously reported that are intentionally included and used
35	for the purpose of creating a hydraulic fracturing treatment for
36	the well.
37	(b) A service company that performs a hydraulic fracturing
38	treatment on a well or a supplier of an additive used in a
39	hydraulic fracturing treatment on a well must disclose the
40	chemical ingredients used to perform the treatment to the owner
41	or operator of the well pursuant to this section.
42	(4) This section does not apply to ingredients that:
43	(a) Were not purposefully added to the hydraulic
44	fracturing treatment.
45	(b) Occur incidentally or are otherwise unintentionally
46	present in the treatment.
47	(c) Are not disclosed to the well owner or operator by a
48	service company or supplier.
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49	Amendment No. 1 (5) The department may adopt rules to administer this
50	section.
51	Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.
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53	TITLE AMENDMENT
54	Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:
55	A bill to be entitled
56	An act relating to the Fracturing Chemical Usage
57	Disclosure Act; creating such act and providing a
58	short title; creating s. 377.45, F.S.; directing the
59	Department of Environmental Protection to establish an
60	online hydraulic fracturing chemical registry;
61	requiring owners and operators of wells on which a
62	hydraulic fracturing treatment is performed to
63	disclose certain information; requiring certain
64	service companies and suppliers to disclose certain
65	information; providing exceptions; authorizing the
66	department to adopt rules; providing an effective
67	date.
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