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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1390, L.D. 1888, Bill, "An Act to Expedite Oil Spill Response Activities"

Amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated "§363-D." in the first paragraph by inserting at the end the following: 'A waiver issued by the commissioner under this section must be in writing.'

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the statement of fact the following:

FISCAL NOTE

The waiver of certain licensing and permitting requirements in particular situations may result in losses of various dedicated revenues collected by the Department of Environmental Protection. The amounts can not be determined at this time.

The Department of Environmental Protection will incur some minor additional costs to issue certain waivers in writing. These costs can be absorbed within the department's existing budgeted resources.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment requires that waivers issued by the Commissioner of Environmental Protection for oil spill response activities must be in writing. The amendment also adds a fiscal note to the bill.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT