

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. **H. 3925, as Amended**
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TO: The Honorable Harvey S. Peeler, Jr., Chairperson, Senate Medical Affairs Committee
FROM: State Budget Division, Budget and Control Board
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AUTHOR: Representative Hardwick PRIMARY CODE CITE: 48-1-90
SUBJECT: Discharge of pollutants into the environment

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:
\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:
\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

BILL SUMMARY:

House Bill 3925, as amended, amends Section 48-1-90(A)(4) of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, relating to the prohibition against discharging pollutants into the environment. The Bill clarifies who may file a petition with the Department of Health & Environmental Control against a violator. The Bill also provides that “any decision of the Department with respect to which review could have been, but was not, obtained under this item is not subject to judicial review in any civil proceeding.”

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

Department of Health & Environmental Control

The Department reports that this Bill will have no fiscal impact on the General Fund of the State, nor on Federal Fund and/or Other Funds.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

None.

Approved by:



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