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Summary Senate Bill 116, P.N. 88

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Short Title

The Environmental Funds Reporting and Disclosure Act.

Department of Environmental Protection Responsibilities

- No later than September 30, 2009 and each year thereafter, compile and update a comprehensive report of all special funds and restricted revenue accounts administered by DEP. At a minimum, the report shall contain:
 - Total receipts and expenditures of each fund, including all fees, fines, penalties and natural resource damage awards or settlements;
 - Itemized list of each receipt and disbursement of each fund in excess of \$10,000;
 - Number and nature of violations of environmental statutes.
- The report shall be submitted annually to the chairmen and minority chairmen of the Senate and House Committees on Environmental Resources and Energy and Appropriations.
- The report shall be posted and maintained on DEP's Internet website.

Applicability

The act shall apply to any special fund or restricted revenue account administered by DEP, including but not limited to the Clean Air Fund, the Clean Water Fund, the Solid Waste Abatement Fund, the Safe Drinking Water Fund and the Waste Transportation Safety Account.

Effective Date

- The act takes effect immediately.