

## LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

## AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 297

Sponsor:

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, line 24, by inserting brackets before and  
2 after "Every" and inserting immediately thereafter

3 Except as provided in subsection (a.1), every

4 Amend Bill, page 2, line 1, by striking out "a semi-annual  
5 and"

6 Amend Bill, page 2, line 5, by inserting a bracket before  
7 "department"

8 Amend Bill, page 2, line 5, by striking out the bracket  
9 before "keep"

10 Amend Bill, page 2, lines 7 and 8, by striking out "make the  
11 reports available on its publicly accessible" in line 7 and  
12 "Internet website. The" in line 8

13 Amend Bill, page 2, by inserting between lines 12 and 13

14 (a.1) Every operator of a well which produces gas from the  
15 Marcellus Shale formation shall file with the department, on a  
16 form provided by the department, a semi-annual report specifying  
17 the amount of production on the most well-specific basis  
18 available. The Commonwealth shall have the right to utilize such  
19 information in enforcement proceedings, in making designations  
20 or determinations under section 1927-A of the act of April 9,  
21 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of  
22 1929, or in aggregate form for statistical purposes. The  
23 department shall make the reports available on its publicly  
24 accessible Internet website. Any costs incurred by the  
25 department to comply with the requirements of this subsection  
26 shall be paid out of the fees collected under section 201(d).