

HOUSE BILL No. 5375

December 13, 2017, Introduced by Reps. Brinks, Camilleri, Hertel, Greig, Hoadley, Lasinski and Chang and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

A bill to amend 1976 PA 399, entitled "Safe drinking water act," by amending section 5 (MCL 325.1005), as amended by 1998 PA 56.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 5. (1) The department shall promulgate and enforce rules
2 to carry out this act pursuant to the administrative procedures act
3 of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to 24.328. The rules, at a
4 minimum, shall include the following:

5 (a) Requirements for the submission of reports, plans, and
6 specifications for the design and construction of a waterworks
7 system or a part thereof, **OF A WATERWORKS SYSTEM**, and a plan for
8 operating and maintaining all or a part of the waterworks system,
9 including the protection of water quality within the distribution

1 system as necessary to protect the public health.

2 (b) ~~State~~ **SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (4), STATE** drinking water
3 standards and associated monitoring requirements, the attainment
4 and maintenance of which are necessary to protect the public
5 health.

6 (c) The classification of waterworks systems or portions
7 thereof, **OF WATERWORKS SYSTEMS**, the examination for certification
8 of the operators of those systems including shift operators of
9 water treatment systems, and for the issuance, suspension, and
10 revocation of certificates.

11 (d) Criteria for capacity assessments performed by the
12 department at community supplies, nontransient noncommunity water
13 supplies, or a public water supply applying to the department for
14 assistance under part 54 of the natural resources and environmental
15 protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.5401 to 324.5418.

16 (e) Requirements for provision of facilities by public water
17 supplies that will assure an adequate and reliable supply of
18 drinking water on a continuous basis.

19 (2) Rules governing public water supplies promulgated under
20 former 1913 PA 98, and which were in effect on January 4, 1977 are
21 continued in accordance with section 31 of the administrative
22 procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.231, and may be amended
23 or rescinded by the director under this act.

24 (3) ~~No~~ **A** rule promulgated ~~may~~ **UNDER THIS ACT SHALL NOT** require
25 the addition of any substance for preventive health care purposes
26 unrelated to contamination of drinking water.

27 **(4) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS ACT OR A RULE**

1 PROMULGATED UNDER THIS ACT, THE STATE DRINKING WATER STANDARDS
2 SHALL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

3 (A) PERFLUOROOCTANE, 5 PARTS PER TRILLION.

4 (B) PERFLUOROOCTANOIC ACID, 5 PARTS PER TRILLION.