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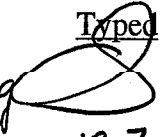
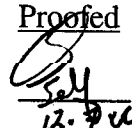
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The PECFA Council

Intent: Eliminate the PECFA Council. This statutory change would eliminate a redundant structure that is no longer relevant.

The PECFA Council was originally created for two purposes. The first was to advise the program on any rules, which might be promulgated under the PECFA statutes. The second was to review and advise the Departments of Commerce and Natural Resources on the implementation of the petroleum product remedial action program established under the PECFA statutes. The PECFA Council consists of 5 members appointed for 4-year terms, plus the Secretary of Natural Resources and the Secretary of Commerce, or their designees. The Governor appoints the members, other than ex officio members, to the PECFA Council from lists of names submitted by the Secretary of Natural Resources and by the Secretary of Commerce. The lists are to include representatives from petroleum product transporters, manufacturers, suppliers, retailers and wholesalers, professional geologists, hydrologists, soil scientists and environmental scientists, consultants, contractors and engineers.

In recent years the council has not been active. The code committees that are used on a continuing basis have replaced its role and maintained the involvement of the groups designated for membership. Through the code committee structure, broader representation and input is allowed along with more continuing and detailed involvement in actual work products. The previous members, or the groups they represented, are currently represented on the code committees created by the PECFA program.

Proposed Change: Eliminate the language in the statutes that creates the PECFA Council. This proposal includes references in 101.143 (8) and 15.157 (11), Stats.

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HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL CLEANUP

This bill eliminates the petroleum storage environmental cleanup council. Under current law, the council advises DNR and the department of commerce about the petroleum storage remedial action program, commonly known as PECFA.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

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3 SECTION 2. 101.143 (6) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 101.143 (6) (b) The department, ~~after consultation with the petroleum storage~~
5 ~~environmental cleanup council~~, shall determine whether proof of financial
6 responsibility submitted under par. (a) satisfies par. (a).

History: 1987 a. 399; 1989 a. 31, 254, 255; 1991 a. 39, 82, 269; 1993 a. 16, 301, 416, 491; 1995 a. 27 ss. 3665 to 3683m, 9116 (5); 1995 a. 227, 247, 378, 417; 1997 a. 27, 35, 237, 252, 283; 1999 a. 9, 185.

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