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**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 8,  
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 499**

November 2, 2017 - Offered by Representatives SINICKI, SHANKLAND, ANDERSON, HESSELBEIN, KOLSTE, OHNSTAD, C. TAYLOR, VRUWINK, SARGENT, SUBECK, DOYLE and HEBL.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 32, line 1: after that line insert:

3 “**SECTION 37am.** 293.505 of the statutes is created to read:

4 **293.505 Local liability for pollution from mining of sulfide ore bodies.**

5 (1) In this section:

6 (a) “Pollution” means degradation that results in any violation of any  
7 environmental law as determined by an administrative proceeding, civil action,  
8 criminal action, or other legal proceeding. For the purpose of this paragraph,  
9 issuance of an order or acceptance of an agreement requiring corrective action or a  
10 stipulated fine, forfeiture, or other penalty is considered a determination of a  
11 violation, regardless of whether there is a finding or admission of liability.

12 (b) “Sulfide ore body” means a mineral deposit in which nonferrous metals are  
13 mixed with sulfide minerals.

