House Amendment 2050

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1  1      Amend Senate File 601, as amended, passed, and
1  2  reprinted by the Senate, as follows:
1  3  #1.  Page 55, by inserting after line 8 the
1  4  following:
1  5      <Sec. ___.  NEW SECTION.  455C.18  BEVERAGE
1  6  CONTAINER TASK FORCE.
1  7      1.  The department shall convene a task force with
1  8  one representative from each of the following:
1  9      a.  The Iowa grocery industry association.
1 10      b.  Redemption centers of Iowa.
1 11      c.  Iowa wholesale beer distributors association.
1 12      d.  The Iowa society of solid waste operations.
1 13      e.  Iowa soft drink association.
1 14      f.  The Iowa recycling association.
1 15      g.  The Iowa environmental council.
1 16      h.  The petroleum marketers and convenience stores
1 17  of Iowa.
1 18      i.  The Iowa chapter of the sierra club.
1 19      2.  The chairperson and ranking member of the
1 20  standing committee on environmental protection in the
1 21  house of representatives and the chairperson and
1 22  ranking member of the standing committee on natural
1 23  resources and environment in the senate shall serve as
1 24  ex officio, nonvoting members of the task force.
1 25      3.  The task force shall study and consider all of
1 26  the following:
1 27      a.  Methods to increase the beverage container
1 28  redemption rate.
1 29      b.  Methods to increase the profitability of
1 30  redemption centers.
1 31      c.  The efficiency and costs associated with
1 32  mandated, statewide, curbside recycling of empty
1 33  beverage containers.
1 34      d.  Methods to provide greater efficiencies in the
1 35  current beverage container redemption system.
1 36      4.  By January 1, 2010, the department shall submit
1 37  to the governor and the general assembly a final
1 38  report of the task force which shall include
1 39  recommendations of the task force.  The department
1 40  shall also make the final report publicly available on
1 41  the internet.
1 42      5.  This section is repealed June 30, 2010.>
1 43  #2.  By renumbering as necessary.
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