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BY COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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Approved June 6, 1985

A BILL FOR

An Act requiring the department of water, air and waste management to initiate and conduct a pilot program to collect and dispose of small amounts of hazardous wastes that are being stored in residences, schools, and small businesses.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. The department of water, air and waste manage-
2 ment shall initiate and conduct a pilot program in at least
3 two counties designated by the department to collect and
4 dispose of small amounts of hazardous wastes that are being
5 stored in residences, schools, or small businesses with five
6 or fewer employees. The program shall be known as "Toxic
7 Cleanup Days". The department shall promote and conduct the
8 program and shall, or shall contract with a qualified and
9 bonded waste handling company to, collect and properly dispose
10 of wastes believed by the person disposing of the wastes to be
11 hazardous. The department shall establish maximum amounts of
12 hazardous wastes to be accepted from a person during the
13 "Toxic Cleanup Days" program. Amounts disposed above the
14 maximum may be subject to a fee set by the department. The
15 department shall not assess a fee for amounts disposed below
16 the maximum amount. The department shall designate the times
17 and dates that wastes shall be collected. The program shall
18 be conducted for at least two days in each of the counties
19 designated. The department shall cooperate with local
20 governmental units and service organizations in promoting and
21 conducting this program including, but not limited to,
22 assisting the local government or service organization in
23 obtaining grants to help defray the expenses of the program.
24 The department shall report to the general assembly by January
25 15, 1986 regarding the plans or results of the pilot program
26 and the department's recommendation whether the program should
27 be continued, expanded, or discontinued.
28 EXPLANATION
29 This bill requires the department of water, air and waste
30 management to initiate and conduct a pilot program in at least
31 two counties to collect and dispose of small amounts of haz-
32 ardous wastes that are being stored in residences, schools, or
33 small businesses in the counties designated. The program is
34 to be known as the "Toxic Cleanup Days". There is no charge
35 to the person disposing of hazardous wastes under a maximum

1 amount under the program. The department is to report to the
2 general assembly by January 15, 1986 regarding the plans or
3 results of the pilot program and the department's
4 recommendation whether the program should be continued,
5 expanded, or discontinued.
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AN ACT

REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER, AIR AND WASTE MANAGEMENT TO INITIATE AND CONDUCT A PILOT PROGRAM TO COLLECT AND DISPOSE OF SMALL AMOUNTS OF HAZARDOUS WASTES THAT ARE BEING STORED IN RESIDENCES, SCHOOLS, AND SMALL BUSINESSES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. The department of water, air and waste management shall initiate and conduct a pilot program in at least two counties designated by the department to collect and dispose of small amounts of hazardous wastes that are being stored in residences, schools, or small businesses with five or fewer employees. The program shall be known as "Toxic Cleanup Days". The department shall promote and conduct the program and shall, or shall contract with a qualified and bonded waste handling company to, collect and properly dispose of wastes believed by the person disposing of the wastes to be hazardous. The department shall establish maximum amounts of hazardous wastes to be accepted from a person during the "Toxic Cleanup Days" program. Amounts disposed above the maximum may be subject to a fee set by the department. The department shall not assess a fee for amounts disposed below the maximum amount. The department shall designate the times and dates that wastes shall be collected. The program shall be conducted for at least two days in each of the counties designated. The department shall cooperate with local governmental units and service organizations in promoting and conducting this program including, but not limited to, assisting the local government or service organization in obtaining grants to help defray the expenses of the program. The department shall report to the general assembly by January 15, 1986 regarding the plans or results of the pilot program

and the department's recommendation whether the program should be continued, expanded, or discontinued.

DONALD D. AVENSON
Speaker of the House

ROBERT T. ANDERSON
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 728, Seventy-first General Assembly.

JOSEPH O'HERN
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved June 6, 1985

TERRY E. BRANSTAD
Governor

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