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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to requirements for approval of a general permit
2 to discharge stormwater.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 455B.103A, subsection 1, Code 1995, is
2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:

3 NEW PARAGRAPH. h. Before final approval is given for a
4 general permit to discharge stormwater, the department shall
5 request the assistance of a local representative of the United
6 States soil conservation service to evaluate the impact of
7 soil erosion and sediment accumulation at the point of the
8 stormwater discharge. The findings of the evaluation shall be
9 made available to the owners of the land adjacent to the point
10 of stormwater discharge.

11 EXPLANATION

12 This bill provides that, before the department of natural
13 resources issues a general permit for a stormwater discharge,
14 the department shall request the assistance of the United
15 States soil conservation service to evaluate the impact of
16 soil erosion and sediment accumulation at the point of the
17 stormwater discharge. The findings of the investigation are
18 to be made available to the owners of land adjacent to the
19 point of the discharge.

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