

**House File 112 - Introduced**

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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to rules adopted by the environmental  
2 protection commission.

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

1 Section 1. Section 455A.4, subsection 1, Code 2011, is  
2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:

3 NEW PARAGRAPH. *k.* Approve rules approved by the  
4 environmental protection commission, as provided in section  
5 455A.6, subsection 6, paragraph "a".

6 Sec. 2. Section 455A.6, subsection 6, paragraph a, Code  
7 2011, is amended to read as follows:

8 *a.* Establish policy for the department and adopt rules,  
9 pursuant to chapter 17A, subject to the approval of the  
10 director, necessary to provide for the effective administration  
11 of chapter 455B, 455C, or 459.

12 EXPLANATION

13 This bill provides that an administrative rule approved  
14 by the environmental protection commission is subject to  
15 the approval of the director of the department of natural  
16 resources.