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H 1611. STORMWATER REQUIREMENTS' COST TO COUNTY/CITY. Filed 4/18/07. TO REQUIRE THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT A FISCAL NOTE TO: (1) A COUNTY IN WHICH DEVELOPMENT IN THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF THE COUNTY IS SUBJECT TO CERTAIN POST-CONSTRUCTION STORMWATER MANAGEMENT STANDARDS BASED UPON THE COUNTY CONTAINING AN AREA THAT IS DESIGNATED AS AN URBANIZED AREA AND MEETING CERTAIN OTHER CRITERIA AND (2) A MUNICIPALITY THAT THE COMMISSION IDENTIFIES AS A CANDIDATE FOR DESIGNATION AS A REGULATED ENTITY THROUGH THE STATE DESIGNATION PROCESS THAT IS PART OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF FEDERAL PHASE II STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS.

Amends SL 2006-246, Section 4(a),(a)(4) and Section 5(2) as title indicates. The fiscal note must state the amount by which complying with the standards or being designated as a regulated entity would increase or decrease expenditures or revenues. Also requires the Environmental Management Commission (EMC) to consider the timing of making the standards effective or implementing the designation to minimize the effect on the county's budget. The fiscal note must be submitted to a county within 10 days of the determination by the EMC that the county is subject to the post-construction standards, and to a municipality within 10 days of notification to the municipality. The requirements concerning counties are effective July 1, 2007, and the requirements concerning municipal designation candidates are effective retroactively to July 1, 2006.

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