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**H 1566. STUDY TAX CREDIT FOR LID STORMWATER CONTROLS.** Filed 4/29/09. *TO AUTHORIZE THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY AND ADVISABILITY OF PROVIDING A TAX CREDIT FOR THE INSTALLATION OF INNOVATIVE, LOW IMPACT DEVELOPMENT STORMWATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS.*

As title indicates. Defines *low impact development stormwater management system* as a system designed to reduce or filter stormwater runoff and includes (1) infiltration systems such as infiltration trenches, infiltration drainfields, dry wells, bioretention basins, and level spreaders; (2) filtering systems such as filter strips, exfiltration trenches, and wetlands; (3) alternate conveyance systems such as vegetated channels and grassed swales; and (4) rainwater catchment systems such as rain barrels and cisterns. Specifies issues the Legislative Research Commission (Commission) may include in its study. Requires the Commission to make an interim report to the 2009 General Assembly, Regular Session 2010, and make a final report to the 2011 General Assembly. Requires that the Legislative Services Officer allocate funds appropriated to the General Assembly for expenditures related to the study. Effective July 1, 2009.

**Intro. by Allred.**

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