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House Bill 4464

Sponsor: Representative John D. Pridnia

House Committee: Towns and Counties

Senate Committee: Local Government and Veterans

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SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4464 as passed by the House:

The bill would amend Public Act 320 of 1927, which authorizes counties, cities, villages, and townships either individually or through joint agreements to dispose of public sewage and refuse, to allow governmental agencies or municipalities to contract with an individual or partnership, in addition to a corporation as already provided in the Act, to receive, treat, transfer, and process the sewage, night soil, garbage, and refuse of the governmental agency or municipality. The bill also would delete a reference to the Public Service Commission and allow a governmental agency or municipality, instead of the Commission, to determine a service rate to be charged.

MCL 123.246

Legislative Analyst: L. Arasim

FISCAL IMPACT

House Bill 4464 would have no fiscal impact on State government. Local governments could reduce expenditures because the bill would allow more private entities to bid on local government service contracts.

Fiscal Analyst: G. Olson

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