

**SUBSTITUTE FOR  
SENATE BILL NO. 124**

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled  
"Natural resources and environmental protection act,"  
(MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 17205.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           **SEC. 17205. (1) BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2009, A PERSON SHALL NOT**  
2 **SELL, OFFER FOR SALE, OR DISTRIBUTE IN THIS STATE OR FOR USE IN**  
3 **THIS STATE A THERMOSTAT FOR USE IN REGULATING ROOM TEMPERATURE AND**  
4 **THAT CONTAINS MERCURY OR A MERCURY COMPOUND.**

5           **(2) THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO A THERMOSTAT IF THE**  
6 **THERMOSTAT IS A REPLACEMENT FOR AN EXISTING THERMOSTAT CONTAINING**  
7 **MERCURY OR A MERCURY COMPOUND THAT IS A COMPONENT OF AN APPLIANCE.**

8           Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect  
9 unless all of the following bills of the 93rd Legislature are  
10 enacted into law:

1 (a) Senate Bill No. 123.

2 (b) Senate Bill No. 186.