Legislative Analysis



REPEAL EMERGENCY ORDERS FOR MINERAL WELLS

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House Bill 6187 as reported from committee Sponsor: Rep. Daire Rendon Committee: Oversight Complete to 6-29-22

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SUMMARY:

House Bill 6187 would repeal section 62507 of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act. That section currently authorizes the supervisor of mineral wells, acting directly or through a deputy or authorized representative, to issue emergency orders without a public hearing to implement Part 625 (Mineral Wells) of the act. Emergency orders issued under this provision remain in force and effect for up to 21 days.

MCL 324.62507 (repealed)

FISCAL IMPACT:

House Bill 6187 is unlikely to affect cost or revenues for the Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy or for local governments.

POSITIONS:

A representative of the Mackinac Center for Public Policy testified in support of the bill. (6-15-22)

NFIB indicated support for the bill. (6-21-22)

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