

# HOUSE BILL NO. 5567

March 13, 2024, Introduced by Reps. Martus and Pohutsky and referred to the Committee on Energy, Communications, and Technology.

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 5543; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

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

- 1           **Sec. 5543. (1) As used in this section, "covered material"**  
2 **means concrete, steel, glass, wood, or polyvinyl chloride.**  
3           **(2) By December 1, 2024, the department shall submit to the**  
4 **governor and legislature a report on all of the following:**  
5           **(a) The use of environmental product declarations to measure**

1 the climate impact of covered materials procured by this state.

2 (b) The use of performance incentives to encourage adoption of  
3 low-carbon covered materials and methods by manufacturers that  
4 provide covered materials for state-funded projects.

5 (c) The establishment of expedited product evaluation,  
6 testing, and approval protocols for low-carbon covered materials.

7 (d) The use of methods of compliance, including, but not  
8 limited to, maximum covered material content specifications and  
9 specifications based on maximum potential for global warming.

10 (3) In preparing the report, the department shall do both of  
11 the following:

12 (a) Consider environmental and health and safety impacts.

13 (b) Consult with any relevant associations that set industry  
14 standards for the procurement of low-carbon covered materials and  
15 with affected contractors and subcontractors.

16 (4) This section is repealed effective May 1, 2025.