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Open Government Impact Statement

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Measure: HB 3273

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SUMMARY

Repeals Department of Environmental Quality's dry cleaner environmental program.

Prohibits use of perchloroethylene and n-propyl bromide as dry cleaning solvents. Provides that prohibition becomes operative January 1, 2027.

Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT

Legislative Counsel has not adopted standards for drafting measures that establish exemptions from disclosure of public records.

This measure removes the exemption from public disclosure of tax information and financial records received by the Department of Environmental Quality in their performance of audits and examinations to verify fee-related information submitted pursuant to the dry cleaner environmental program.

If those public records that could be subject to public disclosure were instead subject to mandatory disclosure under public records law, the public could receive tax information and financial records of dry cleaning facilities.