

HB 1609 -- Air Pollution Control

Sponsor: Fraser

This bill requires any person filing an annual emissions inventory questionnaire who emits 30 or more pounds of mercury per year to pay a fee of \$1,000 per pound to the Air Pollution Control Program of the Department of Natural Resources. The program will keep only the fees necessary to oversee the collection and allocation of the revenues. All remaining moneys will go to the Bureau of Special Health Care Needs in the Division of Maternal, Child, and Family Health within the Department of Health and Senior Services.