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including their funding mechanisms and fiscal impact to the State;

(3) The need for and feasibility of a State insurance fund for underground storage tanks;

(4) The availability and affordability of commercial insurance, including a survey of underwriters and owners or operators of underground storage tanks, to determine:

(i) The number of applications made;

(ii) The number of applications rejected and the reasons therefore;

(iii) The number of policies written;

(iv) The information required as part of the application; and

(v) The rate structure of all policies written;

(5) The availability and affordability of other financial assurance mechanisms for small owners and operators, including marinas;

(6) The availability of or need for financial assistance to perform any necessary tank upgrade or replacement; and

(7) The number of underground storage tanks existing in the State that are subject to the financial assurance requirements.

(g) The Task Force shall report its findings and recommendations to the Governor and General Assembly by December 1, 1990.

~~SECTION 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, has been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted.~~

~~SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1990.~~

May 29, 1990

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.
President of the Senate
State House
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Mr. President: