

(C) BY OCTOBER 1, 1994, THE TASK FORCE SHALL STUDY AND PROVIDE A REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR, THE SENATE ECONOMIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, AND THE HOUSE ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS COMMITTEE REGARDING A COMPREHENSIVE STRATEGY FOR THE FUTURE REDUCTION, TREATMENT, REUSE, MANAGEMENT, AND DISPOSAL OF CONTROLLED HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES IN MARYLAND, INCLUDING THE CAPACITY WITHIN THE STATE NEEDED TO TREAT AND DISPOSE OF VARIOUS CATEGORIES OF CONTROLLED HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES, AND ISSUES CONCERNING POSSIBLE SITING OF CONTROLLED HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES FACILITIES, INCLUDING:

- (1) IMPACT ON VOLUME AND NATURE OF TRAFFIC FLOW;
- (2) PUBLIC HEALTH IMPACTS, PARTICULARLY ON LOCAL RESIDENTS;
- (3) ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS, PARTICULARLY ON AIR AND WATER QUALITY;
- (4) ALTERNATIVE FORMS OF SOLID WASTE AVAILABLE FOR THE COFUELING OF CEMENT OR LIGHTWEIGHT AGGREGATE KILNS;
- (5) SUGGESTED GUIDELINES FOR THE PROPER ANALYSIS AND HANDLING OF HAZARDOUS WASTES FOR INCINERATION;
- (6) RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING CURRENT AND PROPOSED COMMERCIAL INCINERATION OF HAZARDOUS WASTE WITHIN THE STATE, INCLUDING A CONSIDERATION OF AIRSHED ALLOCATION AND STATE POLICY IN THE AREAS OF DEVELOPMENT AND GROWTH MANAGEMENT;
- (7) THE AMOUNT AND FORMS OF CONTROLLED HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES GENERATED IN MARYLAND;
- (8) CURRENT STRATEGIES TO REDUCE, TREAT FOR REUSE, MANAGE, AND DISPOSAL OF CONTROLLED HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES; AND
- (9) RECOMMENDATIONS ON TOXIC USE REDUCTION, WASTE MINIMIZATION, AND CLOSED-LOOP RECYCLING AND TREATMENT.

(D) THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION:

(1) MAY NOT IN ANY WAY BE CONSTRUED TO DEROGATE THE EXISTING AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT TO ISSUE, SUSPEND, OR DENY ANY PERMIT CONCERNING INCINERATION OR DISPOSAL OF CONTROLLED HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES; AND

(2) SHALL REMAIN EFFECTIVE UNTIL THE END OF SEPTEMBER 30, 1995 AND WITH NO FURTHER ACTION REQUIRED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL BE ABROGATED AND OF NO FURTHER FORCE AND EFFECT.