

~~(III) THE RESULTS OF ANY OTHER PERFORMANCE MEASURES INCLUDED IN THE COLLECTION SYSTEM PLAN; AND~~

~~(IV) ANY OTHER INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE DEPARTMENT.~~

~~(B) IF THE DEPARTMENT DETERMINES THAT A MANUFACTURER IS NOT MEETING THE PERFORMANCE STANDARDS REQUIRED BY THE DEPARTMENT, THE DEPARTMENT MAY ORDER THE MANUFACTURER TO TAKE ACTIONS NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE THE PERFORMANCE STANDARDS.~~

~~(C) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS TO CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE.~~

(a) The Department of the Environment shall study, in collaboration with the persons and organizations listed in subsection (c), the establishment and implementation, by January 2006, of an electronic waste collection system in the State for the collection and recycling of electronic waste, including cathode ray tubes.

(b) As part of the study the Department shall consider:

(1) methods of funding the system;

(2) possible locations in the State for electronic waste collection facilities that are convenient and accessible for all the citizens of the State;

(3) methods of collecting, packaging, and transporting electronic waste from the collection facilities to recycling facilities; and

(4) economic development opportunities arising from an electronic waste collection system.

(c) In conducting the study, the Department shall collaborate with representatives of:

(1) local governments;

(2) environmental groups;

(3) electronics manufacturers, retailers, and recyclers;

(4) the solid waste industry; and

(5) members of the Maryland General Assembly.

(d) The Department shall report its:

(1) recommendations for funding an electronic waste collection system in the State to the Governor and, subject to § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on or before December 31, 2004; and

(2) findings and recommendations for the establishment and implementation of an electronic waste collection system in the State to the Governor and, subject to § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, the General Assembly on or before July 1, 2005.