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HOUSE BILL DRH30303-MH-125 (03/27)

Short Title: EMC Oversight of DEQ Studies. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Bradford, Riddell, and Millis (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR HEIGHTENED OVERSIGHT BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL  
3 MANAGEMENT COMMISSION OF CERTAIN STATUTORILY MANDATED  
4 REPORTS.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 143B-282(a)(1) is amended by adding a new sub-subdivision to  
7 read:

8 "w. To identify, review, and assess reports prepared by the Department of  
9 Environmental Quality that are required by an act of the General  
10 Assembly and that the Commission finds would have a significant  
11 public interest and to include that assessment in its report to the  
12 Environmental Review Commission under subsection (b) of this  
13 section."

14 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

