

# SENATE BILL No. 41

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 13-11-2-45.2.

**Synopsis:** Environmental legal actions. Specifies that the costs of a removal or remedial action, for purposes of the law concerning environmental legal actions, include the cost of reimbursing a person for a personal injury or property damage caused by a release of a hazardous substance or petroleum.

**Effective:** February 28, 1998 (retroactive).

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January 6, 1998, read first time and referred to Committee on Governmental and Regulatory Affairs.

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Introduced

Second Regular Session 110th General Assembly (1998)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 1997 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning the environment.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 13-11-2-45.2 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA  
2 CODE AS A **NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE**  
3 **FEBRUARY 28, 1998 (RETROACTIVE): Sec. 45.2. "Costs of a**  
4 **removal or remedial action"**, for purposes of IC 13-30-9, include the  
5 **cost of reimbursing a person for:**  
6 (1) a personal injury; or  
7 (2) property damage;  
8 **caused by a release of a hazardous substance or petroleum.**  
9 SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.

