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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1160

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 1160 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Environmental Protection Act is amended by
5 adding Section 22.23e as follows:

6 (415 ILCS 5/22.23e new)

7 Sec. 22.23e. Photovoltaic modules.

8 (a) As used in this Section, "photovoltaic module" means
9 the smallest, nondivisible, environmentally protected assembly
10 of photo voltaic cells or other photovoltaic collector
11 technology, and any ancillary part, intended to generate
12 electrical power under sunlight. "Photovoltaic module" does
13 not include a photovoltaic cell that is part of a consumer
14 electronic device for which it provides electricity needed to
15 make the consumer electronic device function. "Photovoltaic
16 module" includes, but is not limited to, interconnections,

1 terminals, and protective devices such as diodes that are:

2 (1) installed on, connected to, or integral to
3 buildings;

4 (2) used as components of freestanding, off-grid power
5 generation systems, such as for powering water pumping
6 stations, electric vehicle charging stations, fencing,
7 street and signage lights, and other commercial or
8 agricultural purposes; or

9 (3) part of a system connected to a grid or utility
10 service.

11 (b) Beginning January 1, 2026, no person may knowingly
12 cause or allow the mixing of a photovoltaic module with
13 municipal waste that is intended for disposal at a landfill.

14 (c) Beginning January 1, 2026, no person may knowingly
15 cause or allow the disposal of a photovoltaic module in a
16 sanitary landfill."