

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2015 and 2016 HB6032

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

415 ILCS 5/3.477 new 415 ILCS 5/3.535

was 415 ILCS 5/3.53

Amends the Environmental Protection Act. Provides that "waste" does not include steel slag products. Defines "steel slag products". Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning safety.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Environmental Protection Act is amended by changing Section 3.535 and by adding Section 3.477 as follows:
- 6 (415 ILCS 5/3.477 new)
- Sec. 3.477. Steel slag products. "Steel slag products"

 means steel slag or mill scale that is a product of the

 steelmaking process; provided, that such steel slag or mill

 scale is sold and distributed in the stream of commerce for

 consumption, use, or further processing into another desired

 commodity and is managed as an item of commercial value in a

 controlled manner and not as a discarded material.
- 14 (415 ILCS 5/3.535) (was 415 ILCS 5/3.53)
- 15 Sec. 3.535. Waste. "Waste" means any garbage, sludge from 16 a waste treatment plant, water supply treatment plant, or air pollution control facility or other discarded material, 17 18 including solid, liquid, semi-solid, or contained gaseous material resulting from industrial, commercial, mining and 19 20 agricultural operations, and from community activities, but does not include solid or dissolved material in domestic 21 sewage, or solid or dissolved materials in irrigation return 2.2

- 1 flows, or steel slag products as defined in Section 3.477, or 2 coal combustion by-products as defined in Section 3.135, or 3 industrial discharges which are point sources subject to 4 permits under Section 402 of the Federal Water Pollution 5 Control Act, as now or hereafter amended, or source, special 6 nuclear, or by-product materials as defined by the Atomic 7 Energy Act of 1954, as amended (68 Stat. 921) or any solid or dissolved material from any facility subject to the Federal 8 Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 (P.L. 95-87) 9 10 or the rules and regulations thereunder or any law or rule or 11 regulation adopted by the State of Illinois pursuant thereto. 12 (Source: P.A. 92-574, eff. 6-26-02.)
- Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law.