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## SENATE RESOLUTION No. 52

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### DIGEST OF RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION urging the legislative council to assign to the appropriate committee the topic of an examination of the need, if any, to provide continued state funding to solid waste management districts.

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April 5, 2017, read first time and referred to Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedure.  
April 18, 2017, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

1       A SENATE RESOLUTION urging the legislative council to assign  
2       to the appropriate committee the topic of an examination of the need,  
3       if any, to provide continued state funding to solid waste management  
4       districts.

5       *Whereas, Solid waste management districts were*  
6       *established in Indiana in 1990, and their powers, duties, and*  
7       *functions have evolved over time;*

8       *Whereas, The needs of the citizens of Indiana relative to*  
9       *solid waste management have evolved over time; and*

10       *Whereas, Different ways to fund solid waste management*  
11       *districts should be explored: Therefore,*

12                               *Be it resolved by the Senate*  
13                               *of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

14       SECTION 1. That the legislative council is urged to assign to the  
15       appropriate committee the topic of an examination of the need, if any,  
16       to provide continued state funding to solid waste management districts.

17       SECTION 2. That if the topic is assigned to the appropriate study  
18       committee, the work of the committee should include the following:

19               (1) An examination of the need, if any, to provide continued state  
20               funding to solid waste management districts for the following  
21               purposes:

22                       (A) Programs concerning reuse and recycling of electronic waste  
23                       and proper disposal of electronic waste.

24                       (B) Programs concerning waste tire management.

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- 1 (C) Programs that promote and provide education regarding
- 2 recycling and use of recycled materials, waste reduction, and
- 3 management of yard waste.
- 4 (2) The feasibility, benefits, and cost of providing state funding to
- 5 a solid waste management district only if the solid waste
- 6 management district does not impose a property tax levy to fund
- 7 the district.



COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedure, to which was referred Senate Resolution No. 52, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said resolution DO PASS.

(Reference is to SR 52 as introduced.)

LONG, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 10, Nays 0

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