

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1057

## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE SANDER.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

### AN ACT

To amend chapter 640, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to certain potable water wells, with a penalty provision.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 640, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 640.451, to read as follows:

**640.451. 1. As used in this section, the following terms mean:**

(1) "Person", any individual, partnership, copartnership, firm, company, limited liability company, corporation, association, joint stock company, trust, political subdivision, or any other legal entity and the legal representatives, agents, or assigns of such entities;

(2) "Potable water", any water used or intended to be used for human or domestic consumption including, but not limited to, drinking, bathing, swimming, washing dishes, or preparing food.

2. No person shall drill or install any potable water well within one mile of any site placed on the national priorities list under the federal Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (42 U.S.C. Section 9601 et seq.) ("CERCLA"), as amended.

3. Any person who violates this section may be fined an amount up to five hundred dollars or imprisoned for up to ninety days, or both, and shall close the well as provided by all applicable federal and state laws.

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in bold-face type in the above bill is proposed language.