



Bill Number: S.B. 1114

Dunn Floor Amendment

Reference to: printed bill

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## FLOOR AMENDMENT EXPLANATION

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- Requires the Director of the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR), for the purposes of issuing a certificate of assured water supply, to accept a physical availability determination as a valid demonstration of physical availability for the volume of groundwater stated in the physical availability determination, after reducing the volume of groundwater stated in the physical availability determination by the amount of groundwater represented by all certificates of assured water supply issued in reliance on the physical availability determination, if:
  - a) the Director of ADWR issued the physical availability determination by May 31, 2023; and
  - b) the physical availability determination includes a determination of physical availability of groundwater.

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SENATE AMENDMENTS TO S.B. 1114  
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- 1 The bill as proposed to be amended is reprinted as follows:  
2       Section 1. Title 45, chapter 2, article 9, Arizona Revised  
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 45-576.11, to read:  
4       45-576.11. Assured water supply; analysis; physical  
5       availability; definition  
6       A. FOR THE PURPOSES OF ISSUING A CERTIFICATE OF ASSURED WATER  
7 SUPPLY UNDER RULES ADOPTED BY THE DIRECTOR PURSUANT TO SECTION 45-576,  
8 SUBSECTION H, THE DIRECTOR SHALL ACCEPT AN ANALYSIS [OR PHYSICAL  
AVAILABILITY DETERMINATION] AS A VALID DEMONSTRATION OF PHYSICAL  
9 AVAILABILITY FOR THE VOLUME OF GROUNDWATER STATED IN THE ANALYSIS [OR  
10 PHYSICAL AVAILABILITY DETERMINATION], AFTER REDUCING THE VOLUME OF  
11 GROUNDWATER STATED IN THE ANALYSIS [OR PHYSICAL AVAILABILITY  
12 DETERMINATION] BY THE AMOUNT OF GROUNDWATER REPRESENTED BY ALL  
13 CERTIFICATES OF ASSURED WATER SUPPLY ISSUED IN RELIANCE ON THE ANALYSIS  
14 [OR PHYSICAL AVAILABILITY DETERMINATION], IF ALL OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY:  
15       1. THE DIRECTOR ISSUED THE ANALYSIS [OR PHYSICAL AVAILABILITY  
16 DETERMINATION] ON OR BEFORE MAY 31, 2023.  
17       2. THE ANALYSIS [OR PHYSICAL AVAILABILITY DETERMINATION] INCLUDES A  
18 DETERMINATION OF PHYSICAL AVAILABILITY OF GROUNDWATER.  
19       B. AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION, AN APPLICANT FOR A  
20 CERTIFICATE OF ASSURED WATER SUPPLY THAT HOLDS AN ANALYSIS AS PRESCRIBED  
21 BY SUBSECTION A OF THIS SECTION MAY SUBMIT A SWORN STATEMENT TO THE  
22 DEPARTMENT IN WHICH THE APPLICANT AGREES TO REDUCE THE REMAINING VOLUME OF  
23 GROUNDWATER RESERVED BY THE ANALYSIS BY FIFTEEN PERCENT AFTER THE DIRECTOR  
24 GRANTS A CERTIFICATE OF ASSURED WATER SUPPLY. IF THE DIRECTOR RECEIVES A  
25 SWORN STATEMENT PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION, THE DIRECTOR SHALL GRANT THE  
26 APPLICANT A CERTIFICATE OF ASSURED WATER SUPPLY.

1           C. FOR EACH NEW CERTIFICATE OF ASSURED WATER SUPPLY ISSUED IN  
2 RELIANCE ON AN ANALYSIS OF ASSURED WATER SUPPLY ISSUED PURSUANT TO  
3 SUBSECTION A OF THIS SECTION, THE DIRECTOR SHALL ISSUE THE CERTIFICATE  
4 USING THE WATER DEMAND ASSUMPTION IN USE BY THE DIRECTOR WHEN THE  
5 APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE WAS SUBMITTED. WHEN A CERTIFICATE IS  
6 ISSUED, THE ANALYSIS SHALL BE REDUCED BY THE VOLUME OF GROUNDWATER USING  
7 THE SAME WATER DEMAND ASSUMPTION THE DIRECTOR USED WHEN THE ANALYSIS WAS  
8 ORIGINALLY ISSUED. THE DIFFERENCE IN VOLUME BETWEEN THE WATER DEMAND  
9 ASSUMPTION THE DIRECTOR USED WHEN THE APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE IS  
10 FIRST SUBMITTED AND THE WATER DEMAND ASSUMPTIONS USED TO ISSUE THE  
11 ORIGINAL ANALYSIS SHALL REMAIN PHYSICALLY AVAILABLE FOR FURTHER  
12 SUBDIVISION DEVELOPMENT IN THE SERVICE AREA OF THE DESIGNATED PROVIDER  
13 SERVING THE ANALYSIS LAND.

14           D. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, "ANALYSIS" MEANS A  
15 DETERMINATION BY THE DIRECTOR PURSUANT TO RULES ADOPTED BY THE DIRECTOR  
16 THAT ONE OR MORE CRITERIA REQUIRED FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ASSURED WATER  
17 SUPPLY HAVE BEEN DEMONSTRATED FOR A DEVELOPMENT.

18           Sec. 2. Emergency

19           This act is an emergency measure that is necessary to preserve the  
20 public peace, health or safety and is operative immediately as provided by  
21 law.

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23 Amend title to conform

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