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"AN ACT CONCERNING MOLD IN RESIDENTIAL HOUSING."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (*Effective from passage*) (a) There is established a working
4 group to evaluate the connection between polybutylene pipes and
5 indoor mold in residential and commercial buildings, including, but not
6 limited to, whether such pipes are a contributing factor to mold growth,
7 the impact of mold on the health of the residents and potential solutions
8 such as early intervention options to prevent mold growth in buildings
9 containing such pipes and abatement of mold found in such buildings.

10 (b) The working group shall consist of the following members, each
11 of whom shall have experience related to mold growth, prevention or
12 abatement or the impact of mold on public health:

13 (1) Three appointed by the Senate chairperson of the joint standing
14 committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters

15 relating to public health;

16 (2) Three appointed by the House chairperson of the joint standing
17 committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters
18 relating to public health;

19 (3) Three appointed by the Senate ranking member of the joint
20 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of
21 matters relating to public health; and

22 (4) Three appointed by the House ranking member of the joint
23 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of
24 matters relating to public health.

25 (c) All appointments shall be made not later than August 1, 2023. The
26 working group shall select a chairperson from among its members. The
27 chairperson shall convene the first meeting of the working group not
28 later than September 1, 2023.

29 (d) Not later than January 1, 2024, the chairperson of the working
30 group shall report, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of
31 the general statutes, to the joint standing committee of the General
32 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to public health
33 regarding the findings of the working group and any recommendations
34 for legislative changes."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	New section