

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2013 and 2014 SB0855

Introduced 1/24/2013, by Sen. John J. Cullerton

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

415 ILCS 5/26

from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 1026

Amends the Environmental Protection Act. Makes a technical change to a Section concerning the adoption of procedural rules.

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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 26 as follows:
- 6 (415 ILCS 5/26) (from Ch. 111 1/2, par. 1026)
 - Sec. 26. The The Board may adopt such procedural rules as may be necessary to accomplish the purposes of this Act. In adopting such rules the Board shall follow the rulemaking procedures of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act.
 - Without limiting the generality of this grant of authority, and notwithstanding any requirement that hearings be held in actions brought pursuant to Titles VIII and X of the Act, the Board may adopt procedural rules for resolution of such actions by summary judgment prior to hearing upon motion by either party except as otherwise required by federal law, as well as procedural rules requiring the parties to perfect their pleadings to conform to the evidence as presented to the Board.
- 19 (Source: P.A. 85-1048.)