1 AN ACT relating to solid waste management.

2 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

- 3 → Section 1. KRS 224.1-010 is amended to read as follows:
- 4 As used in this chapter unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:
- 5 (1) "Air contaminant" includes smoke, dust, soot, grime, carbon, or any other
- 6 particulate matter, radioactive matter, noxious acids, fumes, gases, odor, vapor, or
- 7 any combination thereof;
- 8 (2) "Air contaminant source" means any and all sources of emission of air
- 9 contaminants, whether privately or publicly owned or operated. Without limiting
- the generality of the foregoing, this term includes all types of business, commercial
- and industrial plants, works, shops, and stores, and heating and power plants and
- stations, buildings and other structures of all types, including single and multiple
- family residences, apartments, houses, office buildings, public buildings, hotels,
- restaurants, schools, hospitals, churches, and other institutional buildings,
- automobiles, trucks, tractors, buses and other motor vehicles, garages and vending
- and service locations and stations, railroad locomotives, ships, boats and other
- 17 waterborne craft, portable fuel-burning equipment, incinerators of all types (indoor
- and outdoor), refuse dumps and piles, and all stack and other chimney outlets from
- any of the foregoing;
- 20 (3) "Air pollution" means the presence in the outdoor atmosphere of one (1) or more air
- 21 contaminants in sufficient quantities and of such characteristics and duration as is or
- threatens to be injurious to human, plant, or animal life, or to property, or which
- 23 unreasonably interferes with the comfortable enjoyment of life or property;
- 24 (4) "Closure" means the time at which a waste treatment, storage, or disposal facility
- 25 permanently ceases to accept wastes, and includes those actions taken by the owner
- or operator of the facility to prepare the site for post-closure monitoring and
- 27 maintenance or to make it suitable for other uses;

1	(5)	"Compost" means solid waste which has undergone biological decomposition of
2		organic matter, been disinfected using composting or similar technologies, been
3		stabilized to a degree which is potentially beneficial to plant growth and which is
4		approved for use or sale as a soil amendment, artificial topsoil, growing medium
5		amendment, or other similar uses;

- 6 (6) "Composting" means the process by which biological decomposition of organic solid waste is carried out under controlled aerobic conditions, and which stabilizes the organic fraction into a material which can easily and safely be stored, handled, and used in an environmentally acceptable manner:
- 10 (a) "Composting" may include a process which creates an anaerobic zone within 11 the composting material;
- 12 (b) "Composting" does not include simple exposure of solid waste under 13 uncontrolled conditions resulting in natural decay;
- 14 (7) "Demonstration" means the initial exhibition of a new technology, process or 15 practice or a significantly new combination or use of technologies, processes or 16 practices, subsequent to the development stage, for the purpose of proving 17 technological feasibility and cost effectiveness;
- 18 (8) "Cabinet" means the Energy and Environment Cabinet;
- 19 (9) "Disposal" means the discharge, deposit, injection, dumping, spilling, leaking, or 20 placing of any waste into or on any land or water so that such waste or any 21 constituent thereof may enter the environment or be emitted into the air or 22 discharged into any waters, including ground waters;
- 23 (10) "District" means an air pollution control district as provided for in KRS Chapter 77;
- 24 (11) "Effluent limitations" means any restrictions or prohibitions established under state
 25 law which include, but are not limited to, effluent limitations, standards of
 26 performance for new sources, and toxic effluent standards on quantities, rates, and
 27 concentrations of chemical, physical, biological, and other constituents which are

1		aisci	narged into waters;
2	(12)	"Gei	nerator" means any person, by site, whose act or process produces waste;
3	(13)	"Ma	terials recovery facility" means a solid waste management facility that provides
4		for t	he extraction from solid waste of recyclable materials, materials suitable for use
5		as a	fuel or soil amendment, or any combination of those materials;
6	(14)	"Mu	nicipal solid waste disposal facility" means any type of waste site or facility
7		whe	re the final deposition of any amount of municipal solid waste occurs, whether
8		or no	ot mixed with or including other waste allowed under Subtitle D of the Federal
9		Reso	ource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976, as amended, and includes but is
10		not 1	limited to incinerators and waste-to-energy facilities that burn municipal solid
11		wast	e and contained and residential landfills, but does not include:
12		<u>(a)</u>	A medical waste incinerator which is owned, operated, and located on the
13			property of a hospital or university regulated by the cabinet and used for the
14			purpose of treatment, prior to landfill, of medical waste received from the
15			generator exclusively or in combination with medical waste generated by
16			professionals or facilities licensed or regulated or operated by the
17			Commonwealth;
18		<u>(b)</u>	An advanced recycling facility; or
19		<u>(c)</u>	A <u>residual</u> waste site or facility <u>if the:</u>
20			1. Waste site or facility is owned and operated exclusively by the
21			generator of the solid waste;
22			2. Waste site or facility only accepts residual solid waste from an
23			industrial or manufacturing plant, business, or operation that is
24			owned and operated by the residual waste generator or by the residual
25			waste generator's wholly owned subsidiary; and
26			3. County where the residual waste is generated by the industrial or
27			manufacturing plant, business, or operation owned and operated by

1		the residual waste generator or by the residual waste generator's
2		wholly owned subsidiary is the same county where the residual waste
3		site or facility is located [which is operated exclusively by a solid waste
4		generator on property owned by the solid waste generator which accepts
5		only industrial solid waste from the solid waste generator or industrial
6		solid waste generated at another facility owned and operated by the
7		generator or wholly-owned subsidiary, or a medical waste incinerator
8		which is owned, operated, and located on the property of a hospital or
9		university which is regulated by the cabinet and used for the purpose of
10		treatment, prior to landfill, of medical waste received from the generator
11		exclusively or in combination with medical waste generated by
12		professionals or facilities licensed or regulated or operated by the
13		Commonwealth];
14	(15)	"Municipal solid waste reduction" means source reduction, waste minimization,
15		reuse, recycling, composting, and materials recovery;
16	(16)	"Person" means an individual, trust, firm, joint stock company, corporation
17		(including a government corporation), partnership, association, federal agency, state
18		agency, city, commission, political subdivision of the Commonwealth, or any
19		interstate body;
20	(17)	"Post-closure monitoring and maintenance" means the routine care, maintenance,
21		and monitoring of a solid waste or hazardous waste treatment, storage, or disposal
22		facility following closure of the facility;
23	(18)	"Publicly owned treatment works" means any device or system used in the
24		treatment (including recycling and recovery) of municipal sewage or industrial
25		wastes of a liquid nature which is owned by the Commonwealth or a political
26		subdivision of the Commonwealth;
27	(19)	"Recovered material" means those materials, including but not limited to compost,

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which have known current use, reuse, or recycling potential, which can be feasibly used, reused, or recycled, and which have been diverted or removed from the solid waste stream for sale, use, reuse, or recycling, whether or not requiring subsequent separation and processing, but does not include materials diverted or removed for purposes of energy recovery or combustion except refuse-derived fuel (RDF), which shall be credited as a recovered material in an amount equal to that percentage of the municipal solid waste received on a daily basis at the processing facility and processed into RDF; but not to exceed fifteen percent (15%) of the total amount of the municipal solid waste received at the processing facility on a daily basis. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, tire-derived fuel, as defined in subsection (53) of this section, shall be considered a recovered material;

- (20) "Recovered material processing facility" means a facility engaged solely in the storage, processing, and resale or reuse of recovered material, but does not mean a solid waste management facility if solid waste generated by a recovered material processing facility is managed pursuant to this chapter and administrative regulations adopted by the cabinet;
- "Recycling" means any process by which materials which would otherwise become solid waste are collected, separated, or processed and reused or returned to use in the form of raw materials or products, including refuse-derived fuel when processed in accordance with administrative regulations established by the cabinet, but does not include the incineration or combustion of materials for the recovery of energy;
- (22) "Refuse-derived fuel" means a sized, processed fuel product derived from the extensive separation of municipal solid waste, which includes the extraction of recoverable materials for recycling and the removal of nonprocessables such as dirt and gravel prior to processing the balance of the municipal solid waste into the refuse-derived fuel product;
- (23) "Secretary" means the secretary of the Energy and Environment Cabinet;

1	(24)	"Sewage system" means individually or collectively those constructions or devices
2		used for collecting, pumping, treating, and disposing of liquid or waterborne
3		sewage, industrial wastes, or other wastes;

- 4 (25) "Termination" means the final actions taken by the cabinet as to a solid waste or hazardous waste treatment, storage, or disposal facility when formal responsibilities for post-closure monitoring and maintenance cease;
- 7 (26) "Waste site or facility" means any place where waste is managed, processed, or
 8 disposed of by incineration, landfilling, or any other method, but does not include a
 9 container located on property where solid waste is generated and which is used
 10 solely for the purpose of collection and temporary storage of that solid waste prior
 11 to off-site disposal, or a recovered material processing facility, or an advanced
 12 recycling facility, or the combustion of processed waste in a utility boiler;
- 13 (27) "Storage" means the containment of wastes, either on a temporary basis or for a 14 period of years, in such a manner as not to constitute disposal of such wastes;
- 15 (28) "Transportation" means any off-site movement of waste by any mode, and any loading, unloading, or storage incidental thereto;
- 17 (29) "Treatment" means any method, technique, or process, including neutralization,
 18 designed to change the physical, chemical, or biological character or composition of
 19 any waste so as to neutralize such waste or so as to render such waste
 20 nonhazardous, safer for transport, amenable for recovery, amenable for storage, or
 21 reduced in volume. Such term includes any activity or processing designed to
 22 change the physical form or chemical composition of hazardous waste so as to
 23 render it nonhazardous;
- 24 (30) "Waste" means:
- 25 (a) "Solid waste" means any garbage, refuse, sludge, and other discarded 26 material, including solid, liquid, semi-solid, or contained gaseous material 27 resulting from industrial, commercial, mining (excluding coal mining wastes,

coal mining by-products, refuse, and overburden), agricultural operations, and from community activities, but does not include those materials including, but not limited to, sand, soil, rock, gravel, or bridge debris extracted as part of a public road construction project funded wholly or in part with state funds, recovered material, post-use polymers or recovered feedstocks, tire-derived fuel, special wastes as designated by KRS 224.50-760, solid or dissolved material in domestic sewage, manure, crops, crop residue, or a combination thereof which are placed on the soil for return to the soil as fertilizers or soil conditioners, or solid or dissolved material in irrigation return flows or industrial discharges which are point sources subject to permits under Section 402 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (86 Stat. 880), or source, special nuclear, or by-product material as defined by the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended (68 Stat. 923):

- "Household solid waste" means solid waste, including garbage and trash generated by single and multiple family residences, hotels, motels, bunkhouses, ranger stations, crew quarters, and recreational areas such as picnic areas, parks, and campgrounds, but it does not include tirederived fuel;
- "Commercial solid waste" means all types of solid waste generated by stores, offices, restaurants, warehouses, and other service and nonmanufacturing activities, excluding tire-derived fuel and household and industrial solid waste;
- 3. "Industrial solid waste" means solid waste generated by manufacturing or industrial processes that is not a hazardous waste or a special waste as designated by KRS 224.50-760, including but not limited to waste resulting from the following manufacturing processes: electric power generation; fertilizer or agricultural chemicals; food and related products

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or by-products; inorganic chemicals; iron and steel manufacturing
leather and leather products; nonferrous metal
manufacturing/foundries; organic chemicals; plastics and resin
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plastic products, except tire-derived fuel; stone, glass, clay, and concret
products; textile manufacturing; transportation equipment; and water
treatment; and

- 4. "Municipal solid waste" means household solid waste and commercial solid waste; and
- (b) "Hazardous waste" means any discarded material or material intended to be discarded or substance or combination of such substances intended to be discarded, in any form which because of its quantity, concentration or physical, chemical or infectious characteristics may cause, or significantly contribute to an increase in mortality or an increase in serious irreversible, or incapacitating reversible, illness or pose a substantial present or potential hazard to human health or the environment when improperly treated, stored, transported, or disposed of, or otherwise managed;
- (31) "Waste management district" means any county or group of counties electing to form under the provisions of KRS Chapter 109 and operate in conformance with the provisions of KRS Chapter 109 and with Section 4006, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976, as amended (Public Law 94-580);
- 22 (32) "Water" or "waters of the Commonwealth" means and includes any and all rivers, 23 streams, creeks, lakes, ponds, impounding reservoirs, springs, wells, marshes, and 24 all other bodies of surface or underground water, natural or artificial, situated 25 wholly or partly within or bordering upon the Commonwealth or within its 26 jurisdiction;
- 27 (33) "Water pollution" means the alteration of the physical, thermal, chemical,

1		biological, or radioactive properties of the waters of the Commonwealth in such a
2		manner, condition, or quantity that will be detrimental to the public health or
3		welfare, to animal or aquatic life or marine life, to the use of such waters as present
4		or future sources of public water supply or to the use of such waters for
5		recreational, commercial, industrial, agricultural, or other legitimate purposes;
6	(34)	"Pollutant" means and includes dredged spoil, solid waste, incinerator residue,
7		sewage, sewage sludge, garbage, chemical, biological or radioactive materials, heat,
8		wrecked or discarded equipment, rock, sand, soil, industrial, municipal or
9		agricultural waste, and any substance resulting from the development, processing,
10		or recovery of any natural resource which may be discharged into water;
11	(35)	"NPDES" means National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System;
12	(36)	"Manifest" means the form used for identifying the quantity, composition, and the
13		origin, routing, and destination of waste during its transportation from the point of
14		generation to the point of disposal, treatment, or storage;
15	(37)	"Open dump" means any facility or site for the disposal of solid waste which does
16		not have a valid permit issued by the cabinet or does not meet the environmental

(38) "Solid waste management" means the administration of solid waste activities: collection, storage, transportation, transfer, processing, treatment, and disposal, which shall be in accordance with a cabinet-approved county or multicounty solid waste management plan;

performance standards established under regulations promulgated by the cabinet;

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- 22 (39) "Solid waste management area" or "area" means any geographical area established 23 or designated by the cabinet in accordance with the provisions of this chapter;
- 24 (40) "Solid waste management facility" means any facility for collection, storage, 25 transportation, transfer, processing, treatment, or disposal of solid waste, whether 26 such facility is associated with facilities generating such wastes or otherwise, but 27 does not include a container located on property where solid waste is generated and

1		which is used solely for the purpose of collection and temporary storage of that
2		solid waste prior to off-site disposal, or a recovered material processing facility or
3		advanced recycling facility, both of which are otherwise subject to regulation
4		pursuant to this chapter for control of environmental impacts and to prevent any
5		public nuisance;
6	(41)	"Hazardous constituent" shall conform to the requirements of the Resource
7		Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), as amended;
8	(42)	"Land disposal" includes but is not limited to any placement of hazardous waste in
9		a landfill, surface impoundment, waste pile, injection well, land treatment facility,
10		salt dome formation, salt bed formation, or underground mine or cave;
11	(43)	"Key personnel" means an officer, partner, director, manager, or shareholder of five
12		percent (5%) or more of stock or financial interest in a corporation, partnership, or
13		association or parent, subsidiary, or affiliate corporation and its officers, directors,
14		or shareholders of five percent (5%) or more of stock or financial interest;
15	(44)	"Universal collection" means a municipal solid waste collection system which is
16		established by ordinance and approved by the cabinet and requires access for each
17		household or solid waste generator in a county. A commercial or industrial entity
18		which transports or contracts for the transport of the municipal solid waste it
19		generates or which operates a solid waste management facility for its exclusive use
20		may be excluded from participation;
21	(45)	"Governing body" means a county, a waste management district, an entity created
22		pursuant to the Interlocal Cooperation Act, a taxing district created pursuant to the
23		provisions of KRS 65.180 to 65.192, a special district created pursuant to the
24		provisions of KRS 65.160 to 65.176, or counties acting under contract pursuant to
25		KRS 109.082;
26	(46)	"Convenience center" means a facility that is manned during operating hours for the

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collection and subsequent transportation of municipal solid wastes;

1	(47)	"Transfer facility" means any transportation related facility including loading
2		docks, parking areas, and other similar areas where shipments of solid waste are
3		held or transferred during the normal course of transportation;
4	(48)	"Collection box" means an unmanned receptacle utilized to collect municipal solid
5		waste;
6	(49)	"Newsprint" means that class or kind of paper chiefly used for printing newspapers
7		and weighing more than twenty-four and one-half (24 1/2) pounds, but less than
8		thirty-five (35) pounds for five hundred (500) sheets of paper two (2) feet by three
9		(3) feet in size, on rolls that are not less than thirteen (13) inches wide and twenty-
10		eight (28) inches in diameter and having a brightness of less than sixty (60);
11	(50)	"Postconsumer waste paper" means discarded paper after it has served its intended
12		use by a publisher;
13	(51)	"Publisher" means a person engaged in the business of publishing newspapers,
14		advertisement flyers, telephone books, and other printed material;
15	(52)	"Recycled content" means the proportion of fiber in newsprint that is derived from
16		postconsumer waste paper;
17	(53)	"Tire-derived fuel" or "TDF" means a product made from waste tires to the exact
18		specifications of a system designed to accept tire-derived fuel as a primary or
19		supplemental fuel source, that have been reduced to particle sizes not greater than
20		two (2) inches by two (2) inches and that is destined for transportation from the

23 (54) "Industrial energy facility" means a facility that produces transportation fuels, 24 synthetic natural gas, chemicals, or electricity through a gasification process using 25 coal, coal waste, or biomass resources, and costing in excess of seven hundred fifty 26 million dollars (\$750,000,000) at the time of construction;

waste tire processor for use as a fuel. "Tire-derived fuel" shall not mean refuse-

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derived fuel;

27 (55) "Advanced recycling" means a manufacturing process for the conversion of post-

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1		use p	polymers and recovered feedstocks into basic hydrocarbon raw materials,
2		feeds	tocks, chemicals, and other products through processes that include pyrolysis,
3		gasifi	ication, depolymerization, catalytic cracking, reforming, hydrogenation,
4		solvo	lysis, and other similar technologies. "Advanced recycling" does not include
5		energ	gy recovery or the conversion of post-use polymers into fuel substitutes for use
6		in en	ergy production;
7	(56)	"Adv	anced recycling facility" means a manufacturing facility that receives, stores,
8		and	converts post-use polymers and recovered feedstocks it receives using
9		advai	nced recycling;
10	(57)	"Dep	olymerization" means a manufacturing process where post-use polymers are
11		broke	en into smaller molecules such as monomers and oligomers or raw,
12		interr	mediate, or final products, plastics and chemical feedstocks, basic and
13		unfin	ished chemicals, waxes, lubricants, coatings, and other basic hydrocarbons;
14	(58)	"Gasi	ification" means a process through which post-use polymers and recovered
15		feeds	tocks are heated and converted into a fuel and gas mixture in an oxygen-
16		defic	ient atmosphere, and then converted into raw, intermediate, and final products;
17	(59)	"Post	-use polymer" means a plastic polymer that:
18		(a)	Is derived from any industrial, commercial, agricultural, or domestic
19			activities;
20		(b)	Is not mixed with solid waste or hazardous waste on-site or during processing
21			at the advanced recycling facility;
22		(c)	Has a use or intended use as a feedstock for the manufacturing of other
23			feedstocks, raw materials, intermediate products, or final products using
24			advanced recycling;
25		(d)	Has been sorted from solid waste and other regulated waste, but may contain
26			residual amounts of solid waste and incidental contaminants or impurities; and
27		(e)	Is processed at an advanced recycling facility or held at such facility prior to

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1		processing;
2	(60)	"Pyrolysis" means a manufacturing process through which post-use polymers are
3		heated in the absence of oxygen until melted and thermally decomposed, and are
4		then cooled, condensed, and converted into raw materials, intermediate products, or
5		final products;
6	(61)	(a) "Recovered feedstock" means one (1) or more of the following materials that
7		has been processed so that it may be used as feedstock in an advanced
8		recycling facility:
9		1. Post-use polymers; and
10		2. Materials for which the United States Environmental Protection Agency
11		has made a nonwaste determination pursuant to applicable federal
12		requirements or has otherwise determined are feedstocks and not solid
13		waste.
14		(b) "Recovered feedstock" does not include:
15		1. Unprocessed municipal solid waste; or
16		2. Material that is mixed with solid waste or hazardous waste on-site or
17		during processing at an advanced recycling facility;[and]
18	(62)	"Solvolysis" means a manufacturing process through which post-use polymers are
19		purified with the aid of solvents while heated at low temperatures or pressurized to
20		make raw materials, intermediate products, or final products, while allowing
21		additives and contaminants to be removed. "Solvolysis" includes but is not limited
22		to hydrolysis, aminolysis, ammonolysis, methanolysis, and glycolysis:
23	<u>(63)</u>	"Residual waste" means a limited number of nonhazardous, industrial wastes
24		approved by the cabinet that are generated by manufacturing or industrial
25		processes and that are fully characterizable. A "residual waste" is not a waste
26		generated outside of the county where the industrial or manufacturing plant,
27		business, or operation of a residual waste site owner or operator is located

1 <u>regardless of whether the waste was used in the manufacturing or industrial</u>
2 <u>processes of the plant, business, or operation; and</u>

- 3 (64) "Residual landfill" means a waste site or waste facility designed for the disposal
 4 of residual wastes.
- Section 2. KRS 224.40-315 is amended to read as follows:

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- (1) No permit to construct or expand a municipal solid waste disposal facility shall be accepted for processing by the cabinet unless the application contains a determination from the governing body for the solid waste management area in which the facility is or will be located concerning the consistency of the application with the area solid waste management plan submitted under KRS 224.43-345(1)(a) to (d) and (l) until January 1, 1993, and the entire plan after January 1, 1993. The governing body for the area shall, within sixty (60) days of receipt of a written request, make the determination after public notice and opportunity for public comment and public hearing. For applications with a notice of intent filed prior to February 26, 1991, the cabinet shall continue to process the application but no permit shall be approved until the governing body for the solid waste management area in which the facility is or will be located has made a determination in accordance with this section.
- (2) No permit to construct or expand a municipal solid waste disposal facility shall be approved unless the applicant affirmatively demonstrates and the cabinet makes a written finding in the preliminary determination made pursuant to KRS 224.40-310(2) that the application conforms to and is consistent with all of the following:
 - (a) The capacity needs identified in the area solid waste management plan;
- 24 (b) Other elements of the area solid waste management plan, for permit applications filed after approval of those elements;
- 26 (c) The statewide solid waste reduction and management plan, for permit 27 applications filed after completion of the plan; and

1		(d) Applicable zolling regulations adopted pursuant to KKS Chapter 100.
2	(3)	If the cabinet approves a permit to construct or expand a municipal solid waste
3		management facility after the governing body for the area has determined the
4		application to be inconsistent with the area solid waste management plan, as part of
5		the written finding the cabinet shall state in detail the reasons why it did not accept
6		the determination of the governing body for the area.
7	(4)	For the purposes of this section, the term municipal solid waste disposal facility
8		includes, in addition to those facilities defined in KRS 224.1-010(14), any residual
9		<u>landfill</u> , waste site, or waste facility, any [or] contained landfill, or <u>any</u> incinerator
10		disposing of industrial solid waste for a fee, but shall[does] not include a residual
11		waste site or facility <u>if:</u> [which is]
12		(a) The residual waste site or facility is owned and operated exclusively by
13		<u>the</u> [a] solid waste generator;
14		(b) The residual waste site or facility only accepts residual waste from an
15		industrial or manufacturing plant, business, or operation that is owned and
16		operated by the solid waste generator or by the solid waste generator's
17		wholly owned subsidiary; and
18		(c) The county where the residual waste is generated by the industrial or
19		manufacturing plant, business, or operation owned and operated by the
20		solid waste generator or by the solid waste generator's wholly owned
21		subsidiary is located in the same county where the residual waste site or
22		facility is located on property owned by the solid waste generator which
23		Accepts only industrial solid waste from the solid waste generator or
24		industrial solid waste generated at another facility owned and operated by the
25		generator or wholly owned subsidiary].
26		Any industrial solid waste generated outside of and then transported into the
27		county where the industrial or manufacturing plant, business, or operation of a

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residual waste site owner or operator is located shall not be deemed a residual
solid waste, and the waste shall not be disposed of in the residual waste site or
facility by its owner or operator or by the solid waste generator's wholly owned
subsidiary regardless of whether the industrial solid waste was used in the
manufacturing or industrial processes of the plant, business, or operation.

→ Section 3. KRS 224.43-345 is amended to read as follows:

- 7 (1) Each area solid waste management plan shall be prepared in accordance with any administrative regulations of the cabinet and shall be required to include the following:
 - (a) Identification of the area that will be included in the plan;
 - (b) A demographic study of the planning area of current and projected populations five (5), ten (10) and twenty (20) years in the future. A projection of the amount and source of solid waste generated, collected, and requiring disposal at municipal solid waste disposal facilities for each of these time periods shall be provided;
 - (c) An inventory and description of all existing solid waste management facilities and activities. The description shall include their identity, location, life expectancies, ownership, cost to the users, and level of compliance with state and federal laws. The description is not required to include any solid waste management facility which is operated exclusively by a solid waste generator on property owned by the solid waste generator for the purpose of accepting solid waste from the solid waste generator or waste generated at another facility owned and operated by the generator or wholly owned subsidiary. After commencement of operation by a solid waste generator of a solid waste disposal facility which is permitted but not included in a solid waste management plan, an amendment to a solid waste management plan shall be required for any solid waste which is to be no longer disposed by the solid

1		waste generator in its own solid waste disposal facility;
2	(d)	An estimate of the area's long-range needs for solid waste management and
3		facilities for five (5), ten (10), and twenty (20) years into the future;
4	(e)	Identification and assessment of current and future solid waste management
5		problems faced by the area. List any deficiencies with existing solid waste
6		management facilities in meeting current and future area needs, and identify
7		opportunities for improvement;
8	(f)	Outline short-term, mid-term, and long-term goals and objectives of the solid
9		waste management area. The goals and objectives shall be consistent with the
10		policies and goals set out in KRS 224.43-010;
11	(g)	Based on the problems, needs, goals, and objectives previously identified,
12		identify alternative approaches to solid waste management and select the
13		optimal alternatives. Solid waste management activities and facilities to be
14		addressed include:
15		1. Identification of those regulations and ordinances which provide for
16		proper, safe, and sanitary management of solid waste;
17		2. A description of proposed improvements to existing solid waste
18		collection and transportation systems necessary to achieve universal
19		collection;
20		3. Establishment of a siting procedure and development program to assure
21		the orderly location, development, and financing of new or expanded
22		municipal solid waste management facilities. The plan shall demonstrate
23		how all persons in the planning area will within the near future have
24		reasonable opportunity to dispose of their waste in a manner that
25		complies with state and federal laws;
26		4. Identification of planned programs for the control and cleanup of litter

and open dumps. The programs shall include: identification of an

1 approved schedule for the cleanup of open dumps in existence as of October 1, 2002; an annual survey of the planning area to discover new 2 3 open dumps which shall then be scheduled for cleanup within one (1) year unless the cabinet approves a longer schedule; measures to prevent 4 the recurrence of dumping at sites which are cleaned up; cleanup of litter 5 6 along public roads three (3) times per year; and cleanup of litter along 7 city streets two (2) times per year. In these public road cleanups and also 8 open dump cleanups, nonviolent misdemeanant and Class D felon 9 inmate laborers may be used. A county that does not receive in any year 10 an allocation from the Kentucky pride fund sufficient to complete the 11 number of road cleanups provided for in this section shall not be deemed 12 out of compliance; 5. 13 An assessment of opportunities to reduce the need for land disposal by

- 5. An assessment of opportunities to reduce the need for land disposal by banning grass clippings, leaves, and other yard wastes from municipal solid waste disposal facilities and the institution of composting operations for grass clippings, leaves, and other yard wastes;
- 6. Establishment of a plan to reduce the need for land disposal through waste reduction and recycling, materials recovery, and energy recovery and the provision of opportunities for recycling that may include, but are not limited to, drop-off centers or door-to-door collection. Where recycling or material recovery is not deemed feasible, specific factual analysis shall be provided to support the conclusion; and
- 7. A description of any proposed recycling, materials recovery, or energy recovery plan or facility;
- (h) A five (5) year schedule and description of activities to be undertaken to implement the proposed plan;
- (i) A description of short-term costs of the plan including capital and operational

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1		costs for each element of the plan, and the identification of the means of
2		financing plan implementation;
3	(j)	Designation of the governing body for implementation of the solid waste
4		management plan or components of the plan. A description of its
5		responsibilities and authority shall be provided;
6	(k)	A description of proposed surveillance and enforcement procedures to assure
7		that solid waste in the planning area is properly managed. Identification of
8		modifications to local laws and regulations necessary to implement the area
9		plan;
10	(1)	Specific provisions to assure that adequate capacity for a ten (10) year period
11		shall be available for municipal solid waste generated in the solid waste
12		management area,[and] identification of any additional capacity authorized
13		for disposal of out-of-area municipal solid waste, and identification of any
14		capacity authorized by the owner or operator of a residual waste site or
15		facility located in the waste management area, including any residual
16		wastes that are generated in a county or state other than the location of the
17		residual waste site or facility and the waste management area;
18	(m)	Contractual agreements for use of waste disposal capacity at any municipal
19		solid waste disposal facility inside or outside the waste management area
20		identified and relied upon in the plan;
21	(n)	Provisions to assure achievement of the policies and goals of KRS 224.43-
22		010;
23	(0)	Establishment of a public information and participation process including the
24		following components:
25		1. Formation of an advisory committee composed of local residents;
26		business and industry representatives; and, with respect to collection of

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1		waste management area, is not a designated city as defined in KRS
2		224.43-315(9), and is not located within a county containing a
3		consolidated local government;
4		2. Preparation of a draft plan for public notice and comment;
5		3. Convening of a public hearing upon request; and
6		4. Publication of a response to public comments.
7	(2)	A solid waste management plan complying with subsection (1) of this section shall
8		be submitted to the cabinet by October 1, 2002, and updated every five (5) years
9		thereafter. The cabinet shall make its determination approving or disapproving a
10		plan within one hundred twenty (120) days of receipt. A plan on which the cabinet
11		has not yet made a determination shall remain in effect until the determination is
12		made.