

## Department of Planning and Budget 2012 Fiscal Impact Statement

**1. Bill Number:** SB504

<b>House of Origin</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engrossed
<b>Second House</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Wagner

**3. Committee:** Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources

**4. Title:** Facilities upgrade; air quality, water quality and solid waste permits.

**5. Summary:** This bill allows operators of facilities that hold air quality, solid waste, or water quality permits to install new technology, equipment, or other apparatus at the permitted facility without having to obtain a new, modified, or amended permit so long as they can demonstrate that the new technology will result in increased energy efficiency and improved environmental conditions.

**6. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

**7. Fiscal Impact Estimates:** Preliminary.

**8. Fiscal Implications:** This bill may result in a decrease in the number of new, modified, or amended air quality, solid waste, or water quality permits obtained. As such, according to the Department of Environmental Quality, this bill may result in a decrease in revenue. While the actual effect on revenue is indeterminate at this time, the agency anticipates that any decrease in revenue resulting from this bill would be slight and could be absorbed.

**9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected:** Department of Environmental Quality.

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No.

**11. Other Comments:** None.

**Date:** 1/30/2012