

Bill History

Session Year 2025

Substitute for H.B. No. 6263

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Introducer(s):

Environment Committee

Title: AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE AND PURCHASE OF GAS-POWERED HAND-HELD OR BACKPACK LEAF BLOWERS BY STATE AGENCIES.

Statement of Purpose: To eventually prohibit the use of hand-held or backpack gas-powered leaf blowers in the state.

Bill History:

01-23-2025 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Environment Committee

02-10-2025 VOTE TO DRAFT

03-05-2025 DRAFTED BY COMMITTEE

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04-14-2025 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, HOUSE

04-14-2025 HOUSE CALENDAR NUMBER 421

04-14-2025 FILE NUMBER 681

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