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<u>Summary House Bill 2278, P.N. 3838</u> Prime Sponsor: Representative Pickett

Summary

• Creates the freestanding Unconventional Well Report Act.

Analysis

- Requires unconventional well operators to report production data to DEP on a monthly basis, with the initial report due by March 31, 2015.
- The bill also repeals Title 58 § 3222(a.1), relating to unconventional well reporting requirements, which currently requires biannual reporting.

Effective Date

• The repeal provision is effective March 31, 2015; the remainder of the act is effective immediately.