

1 **SHB 2618 - H AMD 893 WITHDRAWN 2-13-98**

2 By Representative Anderson

3 On page 21, line 19, after 1998.- insert The department shall
4 review the medical literature with regard to the demonstrated and
5 suspected effects of dioxins on mammalian fertility, embryonic and
6 early childhood development, and other identifiable potential health
7 risks with reference to the background levels of dioxins found in the
8 soils.-

EFFECT: Requires the Department of Health to conduct a review of the medical literature on the effects of dioxins on mammals, with reference to the background levels of dioxins found in the soils under the joint agency study on dioxins.