

HOUSE BILL NO. 250

96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES COX (Sponsor), LANT, WRIGHT, LICHTENEGGER,
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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapter 640, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to well water.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 640, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 640.116, to read as follows:

**640.116. 1. Any water system that serves a charitable or benevolent organization,
2 if the system does not regularly serve an average of one hundred persons or more at least
3 sixty days out of the year and the system does not serve a school or day-care facility, shall
4 be exempt from all rules relating to well construction except any rules established under
5 sections 256.600 to 256.640 applying to multifamily wells, unless such wells or pump
6 installations for such wells are determined to present a threat to groundwater or public
7 health.**

**8 2. If the system incurs three or more total coliform maximum contaminant level
9 violations in a twelve-month period or one acute maximum contaminant level violation, the
10 system owner shall either provide an alternate source of water, eliminate the source of
11 contamination, or provide treatment that reliably achieves at least ninety-nine and ninety-
12 nine one-hundredths percent treatment of viruses.**

**13 3. Notwithstanding this or any other provision of law to the contrary, no facility
14 otherwise described in subsection 1 of this section shall be required to replace, change,
15 upgrade, or otherwise be compelled to alter an existing well constructed prior to August
16 28, 2010, unless such well is determined to present a threat to groundwater or public health
17 or contains the contaminant levels referred to in subsection 2 of this section.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.