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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
151st GENERAL ASSEMBLY

HOUSE BILL NO. 69

AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 16 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO AUTHORIZING A PILOT PROGRAM TO ISSUE GRANTS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF RESIDENTIAL DRINKING WATER PURIFICATION SYSTEMS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE:

1 Section 1. Amend Chapter 30, Title 16 of the Delaware Code by making deletions as shown by strike through and
2 insertions as shown by underline as follows:

3 CHAPTER 30P. Establishment of Residential Drinking Water Purification System Grant Program

4 § 3001P. Establishment of Residential Drinking Water Purification System Grant Program

5 (a) The Department of Health and Social Services is authorized to establish a pilot program to issue grants for the
6 installation of drinking water purification systems in residential homes located in Delaware where the owner's income is
7 less than 200% of the poverty level in Delaware and the home is not served by a central water system. The geographical
8 area of the pilot program shall be determined by the Department of Health and Social Services.

9 The total amount of grants authorized for the pilot program shall not exceed \$49,000 per year. The program
10 funding will be administered by the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund.

11 Section 2. This act shall sunset 2 years after its effective date.

SYNOPSIS

This bill establishes a 2-year residential drinking water purification system pilot program to be administered through the Department of Health and Social Services with funding through the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund.