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Subject: Fwd: Please pass comprehensive reform -- S.239

Dear House Committee on Fish, Wildlife and Water Resources,

As a committee, you consider matters relating to conservation and development of the state's water resources; fish and wildlife; natural habitats. I would like to thank you for the work you do to protect Vermonters health and the environment. I am encouraged that S.239 passed the Senate and is in Committee in the House. But I'll cut to the chase - we need to pass comprehensive toxic chemical legislation that identifies and phases out chemicals of concern from the marketplace. The most recent news regarding the proposed policy indicates that the bill would only apply to those manufacturers that sell children's products in the State of Vermont. We need a bill that will give the state authority to phase out all toxic chemicals from consumer products sold Vermont.

I hope you will pass this comprehensive legislation – that will truly make a difference in the health & protection of our state's natural resources.

Sincerely,

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