

Solid Waste Permits

SB 188 expands the Kansas Department of Health and Environment's authority to approve the disposal of the demolition waste of buildings or structures at, adjacent to, or near the site of the building or structure without requiring a solid waste permit. The bill also adds additional evaluation criteria that the Secretary of Health and Environment must consider when determining whether to approve a request for off-site disposal of demolition waste. The additional criteria to consider would include public safety concerns, proposed plans to redevelop the demolition site, and the disposal capacity of any nearby permitted landfills.