CHAPTER 103A

WATER POLICY AND INFORMATION; GENERAL PROVISIONS

103A 43 Water research needs evaluation.

NOTE: Chapters 103A, 103B, 103H, and 103I, have been assigned the present statutory coding subject to further action of the legislature.

103A.43 WATER RESEARCH NEEDS EVALUATION.

- (a) The environmental quality board shall evaluate and report to the legislative water commission and the Minnesota future resources commission on statewide water research needs and recommended priorities for addressing these needs. Local water research needs may also be included.
- (b) The environmental quality board shall conduct a biennial assessment of water quality, groundwater degradation trends, and efforts to reduce, prevent, minimize, and eliminate degradation of water.
- (c) The environmental quality board shall assess the quantity of surface and ground water in the state and the availability of water to meet the state's needs.
- (d) The environmental quality board shall prepare and submit a report to the legislative water commission and the Minnesota future resources commission by September 15 of each odd-numbered year.

History: 1989 c 326 art 2 s 7