

## **Joint Legislative Air & Water Pollution Control & Conservation Committee State Documents**

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## Summary Information

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## Scope and Contents

The Joint Legislative Air & Water Pollution Control & Conservation Committee works to monitor abandoned mine reclamation efforts, to assess water quality projects and to identify further practical options for change. The Committee's powers and duties according to Act 448 include: conducting continuing studies of air and water pollution laws and recommending needed changes to the General Assembly; conducting continuing studies of the enforcement of air and water pollution laws, and in conjunction with such studies to make necessary trips to various sections of the Commonwealth to hold public hearings; conducting continuing studies of mining practices, mining laws, and reclamation of mined lands; and holding public hearings and receiving comments regarding any or all of the above subjects of study. The Committee crafts environmental legislation, conducts major industries into conservation initiatives, and monitors key developments that influence the way environmental policies are determined in the future.

The publications of the Joint Legislative Air & Water Pollution Control & Conservation Committee contain newsletters, annual reports, and other reports. Selected topics from these publications include the Forestry Task Force, and yearly news and happenings of the Committee. The bulk of the current material is dated from 2017 to 2020.

## Biographical / Historical

The Joint Legislative Air & Water Pollution Control & Conservation Committee was established in 1968 (71 P.S. § 1187.1).

## Legacy Agency Names and Related Agencies

Pennsylvania General Assembly (parent agency)

## Other Finding Aids

For more information concerning the records of the Joint Legislative Air & Water Pollution Control &

Conservation Committee at the Pennsylvania State Archives, please visit:  
<https://gencat.eloquent-systems.com/pennsylvania-state-archives/permalink.html?key=class436>.

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