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Bill propses ban on PCB

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — An industrial chemical which has been found concentrated in Great Lakes fish and which has caused high death rates and birth failues in animals would be banned from use in Michigan under a proposed House bill.

The bill's sponsor, Rep. David Bonior, D-Mount Clemens, said Monday he was prompted to write the bill by a state Water Management Bureau report that polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) levels in some fish are well above a five parts per million tolerance allowed by the federal Food and Drug Administration.//

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