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(54) **COMBINATION ABOVE GRADE  
AUTOMATIC METHOD OF STORMWATER  
SEPARATION AND FILTRATION**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A method and system for treating stormwater runoff containing impurities includes collecting the runoff in a basin and allowing the runoff to settle in the basin for a predetermined time before allowing the filtration step to be initiated. The time delay is controlled by a controller sensitive rain fall, turbidity, or other variables selected by the user. During the filtration step a separator member is positioned floatingly between a filter element and impurities floating on the surface of the unfiltered water.

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