

# SENATE BILL No. 254

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 14-15-12-7.

**Synopsis:** Towing by personal watercraft. Removes the requirement that personal watercraft be at least ten feet long in order to tow a waterskier or aquaplane.

**Effective:** July 1, 1998.

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January 7, 1998, read first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

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Introduced

Second Regular Session 110th General Assembly (1998)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 1997 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 14-15-12-7, AS ADDED BY P.L.57-1995,  
2 SECTION 9, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3 JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 7. A personal watercraft shall not be used on  
4 public waters to tow individuals engaged in waterskiing, aquaplaning,  
5 or similar activities, unless:  
6 ~~(1) the personal watercraft is at least ten (10) feet long;~~  
7 ~~(2) (1) the personal watercraft is designed to seat at least three (3)~~  
8 ~~individuals; and~~  
9 ~~(3) (2) an individual other than the operator of the personal~~  
10 ~~watercraft is aboard the personal watercraft, acting as an observer.~~



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