

# HOUSE BILL No. 1386

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 14-22-11-8.

**Synopsis:** Fishing license exemption. Exempts a developmentally disabled person from the requirement to have a fishing license if the person: (1) is a resident of Indiana; and (2) is fishing with a person who holds a fishing license or is exempt from the license requirement by reason of age or blindness.

**Effective:** July 1, 1999.

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January 12, 1999, read first time and referred to Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Rural Development.

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Introduced

First Regular Session 111th General Assembly (1999)

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.

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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 14-22-11-8 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: Sec. 8. (a) This section does  
3 not apply to the following:  
4 (1) A person who is:  
5 (A) a resident of Indiana; and  
6 (B) at least sixty-five (65) years of age.  
7 (2) A person who is less than seventeen (17) years of age.  
8 (3) A person who is legally blind.  
9 (4) A person who is a resident patient of a state mental institution.  
10 (5) A person who is:  
11 (A) a resident of a health facility (as defined in  
12 IC 16-18-2-167) licensed in Indiana; and  
13 (B) taking part in a supervised activity of the health facility.  
14 (6) **A person who:**  
15 (A) **is a resident of Indiana;**  
16 (B) **has a developmental disability; and**  
17 (C) **is fishing with a person who is either:**



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- 1                   **(i) holding a fishing license; or**
- 2                   **(ii) not required to hold a license under subdivision (1),**
- 3                   **(2), or (3) of this subsection.**
- 4                   **(7) A resident of Indiana who fishes during a free sport fishing**
- 5                   **day designated under IC 14-22-18.**
- 6                   (b) Every person must have a fishing license in the person's
- 7 possession when fishing in:
- 8                   (1) waters containing state owned fish;
- 9                   (2) waters of the state; or
- 10                   (3) boundary waters of the state.
- 11                   (c) Every person must have a valid trout-salmon stamp in the
- 12 person's possession to legally fish for or take trout or salmon in:
- 13                   (1) waters containing state owned fish;
- 14                   (2) waters of the state; or
- 15                   (3) boundary waters of the state.

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