
HOUSE BILL No. 1762

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 14-26-5-3.

Synopsis: Permits for work on certain ditches and drains. Provides that a person is not required to obtain a permit from the department of natural resources before making or repairing a drain or ditch from which water empties into a lake.

Effective: July 1, 2007.

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January 26, 2007, read first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

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Introduced

First Regular Session 115th General Assembly (2007)

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 2006 Regular Session of the 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 14-26-5-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 3. **(a) This section**
3 **does not apply to a ditch or drain from which water empties into**
4 **a lake.**
5 **(b) A person may not:**
6 (1) locate, make, dig, dredge, construct, reconstruct, repair, or
7 reclean; or
8 (2) order or recommend the location, establishment, construction,
9 reconstruction, repair, or recleaning of;
10 a ditch or drain having a bottom depth lower than the normal water
11 level of a lake within one-half (1/2) mile of the lake without a permit
12 from the department.

