

# HOUSE BILL No. 1564

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 9-31-3-2.

**Synopsis:** Motorboat registration. Provides that a motorboat does not have to be registered and numbered in Indiana if the motorboat: (1) is legally registered in another state; and (2) has not been in Indiana for more than 120 consecutive days; or for certain other reasons. (Current law provides that a motorboat does not have to be registered and numbered in Indiana if the motorboat: (1) is legally registered in another state; and (2) has not been in Indiana for more than 60 consecutive days; or for certain other reasons.)

**Effective:** July 1, 2013.

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January 22, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

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First Regular Session 118th General Assembly (2013)

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~~.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

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

1 SECTION 1. IC 9-31-3-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.46-2006,  
2 SECTION 3, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 2. (a) A motorboat does not have to be registered  
4 and numbered under this chapter if any of the following conditions are  
5 met:  
6 (1) The motorboat is legally registered in another state and:  
7 (A) the motorboat has not been within Indiana for more than  
8 ~~sixty (60)~~ **one hundred twenty (120)** consecutive days; or  
9 (B) the owner of the motorboat has paid the excise tax  
10 required under IC 6-6-11 and fees required under IC 6-6-11-13  
11 and IC 9-29-15-9.  
12 (2) The motorboat is from a country other than the United States  
13 temporarily using the waters of Indiana.  
14 (3) The motorboat is a ship's lifeboat.  
15 (4) The motorboat belongs to a class of boats that has been  
16 exempted from registration and numbering by the bureau after the  
17 bureau has found the following:



- 1 (A) That the registration and numbering of motorboats of that  
2 class will not materially aid in their identification.  
3 (B) That an agency of the federal government has a numbering  
4 system applicable to the class of motorboats to which the  
5 motorboat in question belongs.  
6 (C) That the motorboat would also be exempt from numbering  
7 if the motorboat were subject to the federal law.  
8 (b) The following are prima facie evidence that a motorboat will be  
9 operated on the waters of Indiana for more than ~~sixty (60)~~ **one hundred**  
10 **twenty (120)** consecutive days and must be registered under subsection  
11 (a)(1):  
12 (1) The rental or lease for more than ~~sixty (60)~~ **one hundred**  
13 **twenty (120)** consecutive days of a mooring facility that is  
14 located on the waters of Indiana for the motorboat.  
15 (2) The purchase of a mooring facility that is located on the  
16 waters of Indiana for the motorboat.  
17 (3) Any other contractual agreement that allows the use of a  
18 mooring facility that is located on the waters of Indiana for:  
19 (A) the motorboat; and  
20 (B) more than ~~sixty (60)~~ **one hundred twenty (120)**  
21 consecutive days.

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