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**TITLE 312 NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION**

**Notice of Intent to Adopt a Rule**

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Under [IC 4-22-2-23](#), the Natural Resources Commission intends to adopt a rule concerning the following:

**OVERVIEW:** Adds [312 IAC 18-3-21](#) under the article pertaining to entomology and plant pathology to regulate Hydrilla (*Hydrilla verticillata*) as a pest or pathogen. Prohibits the possession of this plant species, including the transport of the plant on aquatic equipment and gives the DNR the authority to regulate an infested body of water to prevent the movement of the plant to other waters. Questions concerning the proposed rule amendments may be directed to Sandra Jensen at (317) 232-4699 or [sjensen@nrc.in.gov](mailto:sjensen@nrc.in.gov). Statutory authority: [IC 14-10-2-4](#); [IC 14-24-3](#).

For purposes of [IC 4-22-2-28.1](#), the Small Business Regulatory Coordinator for this rule is:

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