



1995 SENATE BILL 590

February 28, 1996 - Introduced by Senators RUDE and CLAUSING, cosponsored by Representatives HARSDORF, DUEHOLM and JOHNSRUD. Referred to Committee on Environment and Energy.

1 **AN ACT to create** 30.725 of the statutes; **relating to:** placing and using boats and
2 boating equipment, and placing boat trailers, with zebra mussels attached in
3 the Lower St. Croix River.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under this bill, a person may not have a boat, boat trailer or boating equipment in the Lower St. Croix River if the person has reason to believe that the boat, equipment or trailer has zebra mussels attached. The bill also authorizes law enforcement officers, including conservation wardens, to require that a person remove zebra mussels from a boat, boat trailer or boating equipment before placing the boat, trailer or equipment in the water or to require that a person remove a boat, trailer or equipment from the water.

For further information see the *state and local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4 **SECTION 1.** 30.725 of the statutes is created to read:
5 **30.725 Placement of boats, trailers and equipment; Lower St. Croix**
6 **River.** (1) No person may place or use a boat or boating equipment or place a boat
7 trailer in the Lower St. Croix River if the person has reason to believe that the boat,
8 boat trailer or boating equipment has zebra mussels attached.

