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CHAPTER 443

AN ACT to renumber 146.13; to amend 146.13 (section title); and to create 146.13 (2) of the statutes, relating to prohibiting the discharge of waste into surface waters and providing a penalty.

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

SECTION 1. 146.13 (section title) of the statutes is amended to read:

146.13 (section title) DISCHARGING NOXIOUS MATTER INTO HIGHWAY AND SURFACE WATERS.

SECTION 2. 146.13 of the statutes is renumbered 146.13 (1).

SECTION 3. 146.13 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

146.13 (2) No person shall discharge by any means whatsoever untreated domestic sewage into any surface water as defined by s. 144.51 (1), or drainage ditch constructed under the provisions of chs. 88 and 89; nor shall any person discharge effluents or pumpage by any means whatsoever from any septic tank, dry well or cesspool into any surface water as defined by s. 144.51 (1), or drainage ditch constructed under the provisions of chs. 88 and 89. Whoever violates this subsection shall be fined not to exceed \$50 for the first offense and not less than \$50 nor more than \$200 or imprisoned 30 days, or both, for each subsequent offense.

Approved July 7, 1953.