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Sent: Tuesday, January 13, 2004 5:24 PM
To: Kite, Robin
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Section 2. (4) probably needs to have a cross-reference with (q) since it would be an exception.

Thanks much,

Scott Loomans
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AB 569

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From: Loomans, Scott
Sent: Wednesday, January 14, 2004 9:53 AM
To: Kite, Robin
Subject: RE: Johnsrud amendment request to AB 623

Yes, an excellent idea.

-----Original Message-----

From: Kite, Robin
Sent: Wednesday, January 14, 2004 8:59 AM
To: Loomans, Scott
Subject: RE: Johnsrud amendment request to AB 623

Scott:

Please note that Assembly Bill 569 concerns "culling" at bass fishing tournaments. That bill, among other things, includes a definition of a "live well" and requires tournament participants to use a boat that is equipped with a live well. Do you want your amendment to Assembly Bill 623 to be similar to AB 569?

Thanks.

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State of Wisconsin
2003 - 2004 LEGISLATURE

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~~PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION~~
ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT ,
TO 2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 623

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At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows: ✓

Insert
1-2

1. Page 3, line 25: after that line insert: ✓
2. Page 4, line 1: delete "and (3)" and substitute ", (3), and (3m)". ✓

(END)

Insert 1-2

(3m)(a)

text:
treat

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29.425 Bass fishing tournaments. (1) "live well" means a container that

is used to hold live fish and that meets standards established by the department by

rule. (b) that meets conditions specified by the

letter

Notwithstanding s. 29.055, a participant in a bass fishing tournament, ~~for~~

which the department has issued a permit and to which each boat is equipped with

~~live well~~ may take bass in excess of the daily bag limit if all of the following apply:

2. The participant either immediately releases the bass into the water from which it was taken or holds the bass in a live well.

3. The bass held in a live well by the participant at any one time does not exceed the daily bag limit.

4. Each bass when released by the participant into the water from which it was taken is able to swim away in a healthy condition.

END

1. Each boat in the tournament is equipped with a live well.