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AN ACT ...; relating to: declarations creating marina condominiums and

technical corrections to the laws governing marina condominiums.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Currently, in this state, there are numerous condominium projects; known as marina condominiums or dockominiums. An owner of a condominium unit in one of these projects does not own a residential unit but owner unit of space such as a lock box. Ownership of the junit then conveys the right to to use a pier, wharf, or boat slip located in the project. Under the laws regulating all types of condominiums, a condominium is legally established by the recording a written document, called a declaration, with the register of deeds.

Under current statutory law, no person may build or establish a marina condominium after June 1, 2007. A marina condominium established before June 1, 2007, is exempt from this prohibition. Such a condominium continues to enjoy this exemption regardless of any subsequent amendment or modification to the condominium declaration that is established in a court or administrative order or that is included in an agreement centered into by all of the owners of the condominium units in the project. Under current law, an agreement by the owners to a declaration must be unanimous; under this bill only an agreement entered into by a majority of the owners is required.

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

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30.133 (1) (a) Beginning on April 9, 1994, and except as provided in s. 30.1355 30.1335, no owner of riparian land that abuts a navigable water may grant by an easement or by a similar conveyance any riparian right in the land to another person, except for the right to cross the land in order to have access to the navigable water. This right to cross the land may not include the right to place any structure or material, including a boat docking facility, as defined in s. 30.1335 (1) (a), in the navigable water.

NOTE: NOTE: The correct cross-reference is shown in brackets. Corrective legislation is pending NOTE:

SECTION 2. 30.1335 (3) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

30.1335 (3) (b) If a marina condominium as described in par. (a) contains more than 300 boat slips, the declarant shall make at least 40 percent of the total number of boat slips in the marina condominium available for rent or for transient use by the public. When the declarant conveys title to, or another interest in, a condominium unit that is affected by this restriction on use, the declarant shall include a statement of the restriction in the instrument of conveyance.

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Under current law that covers other types of condominiums, a declaration may be amended with the written consent of at least two-thirds of the unit owners that have voting rights as established by the declaration. This bill eliminates the unanimity requirements described above resulting in the application of the general voting requirements for amending condominium declarations to existing declarations.

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History: 2007 a. 20.

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Gibson-Glass, Mary

From:

Kahn, Carrie

Sent:

Tuesday, May 26, 2009 4:29 PM

To:

Gibson-Glass, Mary

Subject: FW: Dockominium - 30.1335(4) amendment

Hi Mary,

Several months ago, you drafted for me some technical fixes to the Marina Condo Law. In addition, we've continued discussions with the DNR on some suggested additional language that I was hoping you could also add to the bill draft. You'll see those instructions below. The LRB was 0567/1.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Carrie Kahn Legislative Assistant State Senator Bob Jauch P.O. Box 7882 Madison, WI 53707-7882

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From: Lutz, Michael - DNR [mailto:Michael1.Lutz@Wisconsin.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, May 20, 2009 5:11 PM

To: Kahn, Carrie

Cc: Williams, Quinn L - DNR; Lehmann Kerler, Liesa K - DNR

Subject: Dockominium - 30.1335(4) amendment

Thanks for your patience. My day didn't go according to plan.

The new provisions are underlined. The Department of Natural Resources has requested this change to counter the argument that by virtue of having a permit under Subchapter II (two) of Chapter 30 which under the terms of 30.1335(4)(a) and (b) is "deemed to satisfy the requirements of this subchapter", one has also satisfied the requirements of 30.1335 and therefore can create a new marina condominium. The original intent of 30.1335(4) was to maintain the validity of Subchapter II permits and not to provide an escape from the limits on new marina condominiums. This change clarifies that intent.

30.1335(4) Validity of permits.

(a) For a marina that is converted into a marina condominium, if the owner of the marina is issued a permit or other authorization under this subchapter to place, maintain, or use a boat docking facility before the date that a declaration was recorded converting the marina into a marina condominium, the permit or authorization shall be deemed to satisfy the requirements of the other provisions of this subchapter and may not be rescinded or modified by the department or a municipality or by court or administrative order if the grounds for the rescission or modification are based on the fact that the marina has been converted to a marina condominium. The permit or authorization shall remain in effect regardless of any subsequent activity affecting the declaration. This paragraph does not apply to any permit or authorization that is issued after the date that the declaration was recorded converting the marina into a marina condominium.

30.1335(4)(b)

(b) For a marina condominium that was not previously a marina, if the owner of a marina condominium is issued a permit or other authorization under this subchapter to place, maintain, or use a boat docking facility, the permit or authorization shall be deemed to satisfy the requirements of the other provisions of this subchapter and may not be rescinded or modified by the department or a municipality or by court or administrative order if the grounds for the rescission or modification are based on the fact that the boat docking facility is part of a marina condominium as opposed to a marina. The permit or authorization shall remain in effect regardless of any subsequent activity affecting the declaration.



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History: 2007 a. 20.

Basford, Sarah

From:

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Kahn, Carrie Thursday, September 24, 2009 10:22 AM LRB.Legal

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