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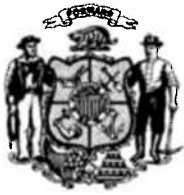
**From:** Moench, Lucas  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 23, 2012 12:09 PM  
**To:** Kite, Robin  
**Subject:** LRB 2757/2

Robin-

Could you please draft us a companion to LRB-2757/2? Rep. Jacque's office should be e-mailing you soon to give us permission.

Thanks,

Lucas Moench  
Office of State Senator Joe Leibham  
9th Senate District  
608-266-2056



State of Wisconsin  
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1 AN ACT *to amend* 29.2285 (3) (d); and *to create* 23.24 (4) (b) 4., 29.219 (1) (d) and  
2 29.228 (1) (d) of the statutes; **relating to:** exceptions to fishing license  
3 requirements.

***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

Current law, with certain exceptions, requires a person who fishes in the waters of this state to hold a fishing license issued by the Department of Natural Resources (DNR). Current law also requires a person, before stocking fish in the waters of this state, to obtain a permit from DNR and to have the fish certified by a qualified inspector as meeting certain fish health standards. Current law also prohibits the stocking of any fish that is a species of lake sturgeon, regardless of whether a permit has been issued.

This bill creates an exception to the general fishing license requirements under current law. Under the bill, no fishing license is required for a person to fish in a pond that is entirely confined on private property if the owner of the private property gives the person permission to fish in the pond.

Under current law, a person may not control aquatic plants in waters of this state by the use of chemicals without a permit issued by DNR. This bill allows a person to use an algaecide or herbicide in a pond that is entirely confined on the person's private property without obtaining a permit from DNR.

**BILL**

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

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

1           **SECTION 1.** 23.24 (4) (b) 4. of the statutes is created to read:

2           23.24 **(4)** (b) 4. A person who uses an algacide or herbicide in a pond that is  
3 entirely confined on the person's private property.

4           **SECTION 2.** 29.219 (1) (d) of the statutes is created to read:

5           29.219 **(1)** (d) *Exception; fishing in private ponds.* No fishing license is required  
6 for a resident to fish in a pond that is entirely confined on private property owned by  
7 a person who gives permission to the resident to fish in the pond.

8           **SECTION 3.** 29.228 (1) (d) of the statutes is created to read:

9           29.228 **(1)** (d) *Exception; fishing in private ponds.* No fishing license is required  
10 for a nonresident to fish in a pond that is entirely confined on private property owned  
11 by a person who gives permission to the nonresident to fish in the pond.

12           **SECTION 4.** 29.2285 (3) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

13           29.2285 **(3)** (d) *License requirement.* Any person fishing for lake sturgeon shall  
14 hold a license authorizing the fishing or shall be exempt from holding such a license  
15 under s. 29.219 (1) (b) 1. or 2. or (d) or 29.228 (1) (b) or (d).

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**Basford, Sarah**

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