



**SENATE AMENDMENT 6,  
TO 2011 SENATE BILL 368**

January 19, 2012 – Offered by Senator C. LARSON.

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

2 **1.** Page 20, line 1: delete lines 1 to 9 and substitute “prohibit discharges into  
3 wetlands that are identified by the department as being exceptional wetland  
4 resources.”.

5 **2.** Page 28, line 24: after that line insert:

6 “4. The proposed project will not cause any significant adverse impact to an  
7 exceptional wetland resource as identified by the department.”.

8 **3.** Page 43, line 10: after that line insert:

9 “(3m) ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

10 (a) The secretary of natural resources shall appoint an advisory committee  
11 under section 227.13 of the statutes to make recommendations to the department for  
12 identifying which wetlands or wetland types will qualify as exceptional wetland

1 resources for purposes of section 281.36 (3g) (d) and (3n) (c) 4. of the statutes, as  
2 created by this act. The committee shall consist of the following members:

3 1. One member who is an executive staff member of the department of natural  
4 resources.

5 2. One member who is employed by the department of natural resources in the  
6 bureau of watershed management.

7 3. One member who is employed by the department of natural resources in the  
8 bureau of wildlife management.

9 4. One member of the senate.

10 5. One member of the assembly.

11 6. One member who represents a wetland conservation organization.

12 7. One member who represents an environmental organization.

13 8. One member who represents the interests of business or industry.

14 9. One member who represents an agricultural organization.

15 (b) The committee shall conclude its work no later than June 30, 2012.”.

16 **4.** Page 43, line 19: delete lines 19 to 21 and substitute:

17 **“SECTION 146m. Effective dates.** This act takes effect on the first day of the  
18 4th month beginning after publication, except as follows:

19 (1) SECTION 144 (3m) takes effect on the day after publication.”.

20 (END)