Notice of Submittal of Proposed Rule to Legislative Council Rules Clearinghouse

On August 30, 2023, the Department of Natural Resources submitted a proposed rule to the Wisconsin Legislative Council Clearinghouse pursuant to s. 227.15 (1), Wis. Stats.

Analysis

The proposed rules affect ch. NR 851, relating to the management of diversions (transfers of water from the Great Lakes basin to outside of the Great Lakes basin) and intrabasin transfers including the application and review process and other related criteria.

Statement of Scope

The scope statement for this rule, SS 026-22, was approved by the Governor on March 24, 2022, published in Register No. 796A1 on April 4, 2022, and approved by the Natural Resources Board on June 22, 2022.

Agency Procedure for Promulgation

A public hearing is required and will be held on October 5, 2023.

Agency Organizational Unit Primarily Responsible for Promulgating Rule

Bureau of Drinking Water and Groundwater

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