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ANNUAL SPRING FISH & GAME CONGRESS AT J.W. Jr. H.
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IN WISCONSIN SOME LAKES HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED THAT CONTAIN KNOWN INVASIVE SPECIES. Some LAKES HAVE BEEN FORMALLY STUDIED BY DNR OR GRANTS TO LAKE ASSOCIATIONS TO FUND QUALIFIED CONSULTANTS FORMALLY STUDY LAKES HAVE FOUND NO KNOWN INVASIVE SPECIES AT THIS TIME. MANY LAKES HAVE NOT BEEN STUDIED AND IT IS NOT KNOWN if INVASIVE SPECIES ARE PRESENT. FISHING TOURNAMENTS INVOLVING SEVERAL LAKES ENCOURAGE RAPID TRANSFER of Boats from Lake to Lake. ~~There~~ THEREFORE, WE SHOULD AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING FISHING TOURNAMENTS INVOLVING MORE THAN ONE LAKE

Be IT RESOLVED that TO DISCOURAGE the SPREAD of INVASIVE SPECIES during TOURNAMENTS INVOLVING more than ONE LAKE:

ALL LAKES INVOLVED SHALL BE FREE of KNOWN INVASIVE SPECIES; OR

ALL LAKES INVOLED SHALL CONTAIN KNOWN INVASIVE SPECIES.

TOURNAMENTS INVOLVING LAKES WITH KNOWN INVASIVE SPECIES SHALL NOT BE coupled WITH LAKES WITH No KNOWN INVASIVE SPECIES, but DIVIDED INTO "FAMILIES" of CONTAMINATED LAKES AND NON CONTAMINATED LAKES.

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