1.2	Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:
1.3	"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 17.4982, subdivision 18a, is amended to
1.4	read:
1.5	Subd. 18a. Nonindigenous species. "Nonindigenous species" means a species of
1.6	fish or other aquatic life that is:
1.7	(1) not known to have been historically present in the state;
1.8	(2) not known to be naturally occurring in a particular part of the state; or
1.9	(3) designated listed by rule as a prohibited or regulated invasive species.
1.10	Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2013 Supplement, section 84.027, subdivision 13, is
1.11	amended to read:
1.12	Subd. 13. Game and fish rules. (a) The commissioner of natural resources may
1.13	adopt rules under sections 97A.0451 to 97A.0459 and this subdivision that are authorized
1.14	under:
1.15	(1) chapters 97A, 97B, and 97C to set open seasons and areas, to close seasons and
1.16	areas, to select hunters for areas, to provide for tagging and registration of game and fish, to
1.17	prohibit or allow taking of wild animals to protect a species, to prevent or control wildlife
1.18	disease, to open or close bodies of water or portions of bodies of water for night bow
1.19	fishing, and to prohibit or allow importation, transportation, or possession of a wild animal;
1.20	(2) sections 84.093, 84.15, and 84.152 to set seasons for harvesting wild ginseng
1.21	roots and wild rice and to restrict or prohibit harvesting in designated areas; and
1.22	(3) section 84D.12 to designate list prohibited invasive species, regulated invasive
1.23	species, unregulated nonnative species, and infested waters.
1.24	(b) If conditions exist that do not allow the commissioner to comply with sections
1.25	97A.0451 to 97A.0459, including the need to adjust season variables on an annual basis
1.26	based upon current biological and harvest data, the commissioner may adopt a rule

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under this subdivision by submitting the rule to the attorney general for review under section 97A.0455, publishing a notice in the State Register and filing the rule with the secretary of state and the Legislative Coordinating Commission, and complying with section 97A.0459, and including a statement of the conditions and a copy of the rule in the notice. The conditions for opening a water body or portion of a water body for night bow fishing under this section may include the need to temporarily open the area to evaluate compatibility of the activity on that body of water prior to permanent rulemaking. The notice may be published after it is received from the attorney general or five business days after it is submitted to the attorney general, whichever is earlier.

- (c) Rules adopted under paragraph (b) are effective upon publishing in the State Register and may be effective up to seven days before publishing and filing under paragraph (b), if:
  - (1) the commissioner of natural resources determines that an emergency exists;
  - (2) the attorney general approves the rule; and

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- (3) for a rule that affects more than three counties the commissioner publishes the rule once in a legal newspaper published in Minneapolis, St. Paul, and Duluth, or for a rule that affects three or fewer counties the commissioner publishes the rule once in a legal newspaper in each of the affected counties.
- (d) Except as provided in paragraph (e), a rule published under paragraph (c), clause (3), may not be effective earlier than seven days after publication.
- (e) A rule published under paragraph (c), clause (3), may be effective the day the rule is published if the commissioner gives notice and holds a public hearing on the rule within 15 days before publication.
- (f) The commissioner shall attempt to notify persons or groups of persons affected by rules adopted under paragraphs (b) and (c) by public announcements, posting, and other appropriate means as determined by the commissioner.
- (g) Notwithstanding section 97A.0458, a rule adopted under this subdivision is effective for the period stated in the notice but not longer than 18 months after the rule is effective.
- Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84.027, subdivision 13a, is amended to read:
  - Subd. 13a. **Game and fish expedited permanent rules.** In addition to the authority granted in subdivision 13, the commissioner of natural resources may adopt rules under section 14.389 that are authorized under:
  - (1) chapters 97A, 97B, and 97C to describe zone or permit area boundaries, to designate fish spawning beds or fish preserves, to select hunters or anglers for areas,

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to provide for registration of game or fish, to prevent or control wildlife disease, or to correct errors or omissions in rules that do not have a substantive effect on the intent or application of the original rule; or

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(2) section 84D.12 to <u>designate list</u> prohibited invasive species, regulated invasive species, and unregulated nonnative species.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84.027, subdivision 14a, is amended to read:

Subd. 14a. **Permitting efficiency.** (a) It is the goal of the state that environmental and resource management permits be issued or denied within 150 days of the submission of a permit application. The commissioner of natural resources shall establish management systems designed to achieve the goal.

- (b) The commissioner shall prepare semiannual a permitting efficiency reports report that include includes statistics on meeting the goal in paragraph (a). The reports are report is due February 1 and August 1 each year. For permit applications that have not met the goal, the report must state the reasons for not meeting the goal. In stating the reasons for not meeting the goal, the commissioner shall separately identify delays caused by the responsiveness of the proposer, lack of staff, scientific or technical disagreements, or the level of public engagement. The report must specify the number of days from initial submission of the application to the day of determination that the application is complete. The report for August 1 each year must aggregate the data for the year and assess whether program or system changes are necessary to achieve the goal. The report must be posted on the department's Web site and submitted to the governor and the chairs and ranking minority members of the house of representatives and senate committees having jurisdiction over natural resources policy and finance.
- (c) The commissioner shall allow electronic submission of environmental review and permit documents to the department.
- (d) Beginning July 1, 2011, within 30 business days of application for a permit subject to paragraph (a), the commissioner of natural resources shall notify the project proposer, in writing, whether the application is complete or incomplete. If the commissioner determines that an application is incomplete, the notice to the applicant must enumerate all deficiencies, citing specific provisions of the applicable rules and statutes, and advise the applicant on how the deficiencies can be remedied. This paragraph does not apply to an application for a permit that is subject to a grant or loan agreement under chapter 446A.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84.0857, is amended to read:

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1.1	(a) The commissioner of natural resources may bill organizational units within
1.2	the Department of Natural Resources and other governmental units, including tribal
1.3	governments, for the costs of providing them with building and infrastructure facilities.
1.4	Costs billed may include modifications and adaptations to allow for appropriate building
1.5	occupancy, building code compliance, insurance, utility services, maintenance, repair, and
1.6	other direct costs as determined by the commissioner. Receipts shall be credited to a
1.7	special account in the state treasury and are appropriated to the commissioner to pay the
1.8	costs for which the billings were made.
1.9	(b) Money deposited in the special account from the proceeds of a sale under section
1.10	94.16, subdivision 3, paragraph (b), is appropriated to the commissioner to acquire
1.11	facilities or renovate existing buildings for administrative use or to acquire land for,
1.12	design, and construct administrative buildings for the Department of Natural Resources.
1.13	(c) The commissioner of natural resources may bill organizational units within
1.14	the Department of Natural Resources and other governmental units, including tribal
1.15	governments, for the costs of operating facilities. Receipts shall be credited to a special
1.16	account in the state treasury and are appropriated to the commissioner to pay the costs
1.17	for which the billings were made.
1.18	Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84.81, subdivision 3, is amended to read:
1.19	Subd. 3. <b>Snowmobile.</b> "Snowmobile" means a self-propelled vehicle <u>originally</u>
1.20	manufactured and designed for travel on snow or ice steered by skis or runners.
1.21	Snowmobile does not include the following vehicles equipped with aftermarket ski and
1.22	track configurations:
1.23	(1) an all-terrain vehicle defined in section 84.92;
1.24	(2) an off-highway motorcycle defined in section 84.787;
1.25	(3) an off-road vehicle defined in section 84.797;
1.26	(4) a mini truck defined in section 169.011;
1.27	(5) a utility task vehicle described in section 169.045; or
1.28	(6) any other vehicle being operated off road.
1.29	Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84.925, subdivision 5, is amended to read:
1.30	Subd. 5. Training requirements. (a) An individual who was born after July 1,
1.31	1987, and who is 16 18 years of age or older, must successfully complete the independent
1.32	study course component of all-terrain vehicle safety training before operating an all-terrain

vehicle on public lands or waters, public road rights-of-way, or state or grant-in-aid trails.

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(b) An individual who is convicted of violating a law related to the operation of an
all-terrain vehicle must successfully complete the independent study course component of
all-terrain vehicle safety training before continuing operation of an all-terrain vehicle.
(c) An individual who is convicted for a second or subsequent excess speed, trespass,
or wetland violation in an all-terrain vehicle season, or any conviction for careless or
reckless operation of an all-terrain vehicle, must successfully complete the independent
study and the testing and operating course components of all-terrain vehicle safety training
before continuing operation of an all-terrain vehicle.
(d) An individual who receives three or more citations and convictions for violating a
law related to the operation of an all-terrain vehicle in a two-year period must successfully
complete the independent study and the testing and operating course components of
all-terrain vehicle safety training before continuing operation of an all-terrain vehicle.
(e) An individual must present evidence of compliance with this subdivision before
an all-terrain vehicle registration is issued or renewed.
Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84.926, subdivision 4, is amended to read:
Subd. 4. Off-road and all-terrain vehicles; limited or managed forests; trails.
Notwithstanding section 84.777, but subject to the commissioner's authority under
subdivision 5, on state forest lands classified as limited or managed, other than the Richard
J. Dorer Memorial Hardwood Forest, a person may use vehicles registered under chapter
168 or section 84.798 or 84.922, including class 2 all-terrain vehicles;
(1) on forest trails designated for off-road vehicle use; and
(2) on forest trails that are not designated for a specific use when:
(1) (i) hunting big game or transporting or installing hunting stands during October,
November, and December, when in possession of a valid big game hunting license;
(2) (ii) retrieving big game in September, when in possession of a valid big game
hunting license;
(3) (iii) tending traps during an open trapping season for protected furbearers, when
in possession of a valid trapping license; or
(4) (iv) trapping minnows, when in possession of a valid minnow dealer, private fish
hatchery, or aquatic farm license.
Sec. 9. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84D.01, subdivision 8, is amended to read:
Subd. 8. <b>Infested waters.</b> "Infested waters" means waters of the state designated
listed by the commissioner under sections 84D.03, subdivision 1, and 84D.12.

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Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84D.01, subdivision 13, is amended to read: 6.1 Subd. 13. Prohibited invasive species. "Prohibited invasive species" means a 6.2 nonnative species that has been designated listed as a prohibited invasive species in a rule 6.3 adopted by the commissioner under section 84D.12. 6.4 Sec. 11. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84D.01, subdivision 15, is amended to read: 6.5 Subd. 15. Regulated invasive species. "Regulated invasive species" means a 6.6 nonnative species that has been designated listed as a regulated invasive species in a rule 6.7 adopted by the commissioner under section 84D.12. 6.8 Sec. 12. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84D.01, subdivision 17, is amended to read: 6.9 Subd. 17. Unlisted nonnative species. "Unlisted nonnative species" means a 6.10 nonnative species that has not been designated listed as a prohibited invasive species, a 6.11 regulated invasive species, or an unregulated nonnative species in a rule adopted by the 6.12 commissioner under section 84D.12. 6.13 Sec. 13. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84D.01, subdivision 18, is amended to read: 6.14 Subd. 18. Unregulated nonnative species. "Unregulated nonnative species" means 6.15 a nonnative species that has been designated listed as an unregulated nonnative species in 6.16 a rule adopted by the commissioner under section 84D.12. 6.17 Sec. 14. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84D.03, as amended by Laws 2013, chapter 6.18 121, section 10, is amended to read: 6.19 84D.03 INFESTED WATERS; RESTRICTED ACTIVITIES. 6.20 Subdivision 1. **Infested waters**; restricted activities. (a) The commissioner shall 6.21 designate list a water of the state as an infested water if the commissioner determines that: 6.22 (1) the water contains a population of an aquatic invasive species that could spread 6.23 to other waters if use of the water and related activities are not regulated to prevent this; or 6.24 (2) the water is highly likely to be infested by an aquatic invasive species because it 6.25 is connected to a water that contains a population of an aquatic invasive species. 6.26 (b) When determining which invasive species comprise infested waters, the 6.27 commissioner shall consider: 6.28 (1) the extent of a species distribution within the state; 6.29 (2) the likely means of spread for a species; and 6.30 (3) whether regulations specific to infested waters containing a specific species 6.31 will effectively reduce that species' spread. 6.32

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(c) The presence of common carp and curly-leaf pondweed shall not be the basis 7.1 7.2 for designating listing a water as infested. (d) The designation of infested waters by the commissioner shall be by written 7.3 order published in the State Register maintain a list of infested waters and provide access 7.4 to a copy of the listed waters. <del>Designations</del> Listings are not subject to the rulemaking 7.5 provisions of chapter 14 and section 14.386 does not apply. 7.6 Subd. 3. Bait harvest from infested waters. (a) Taking wild animals from infested 7.7 waters for bait or aquatic farm purposes is prohibited, except as provided in paragraph 7.8 (b) and section 97C.341. 7.9 (b) In waters that are designated listed as infested waters, except those designated 7.10 listed because they contain prohibited invasive species of fish or certifiable diseases of fish, 7.11 as defined under section 17.4982, subdivision 6, taking wild animals may be permitted for: 7.12 (1) commercial taking of wild animals for bait and aquatic farm purposes according 7.13 to a permit issued under section 84D.11, subject to rules adopted by the commissioner; 7.14 (2) bait purposes for noncommercial personal use in waters that contain Eurasian 7.15 water milfoil, when the infested waters are designated listed solely because they contain 7.16 Eurasian water milfoil and if the equipment for taking is limited to cylindrical minnow 7.17 traps not exceeding 16 inches in diameter and 32 inches in length; and 7.18 (3) harvest of bullheads, goldeyes, mooneyes, sheepshead (freshwater drum), and 7.19 suckers for bait from streams or rivers designated listed as infested waters, by hook and 7.20 line for noncommercial personal use. Other provisions that apply to this clause are: 7.21 (i) fish taken under this clause must be used on the same body of water where caught 7.22 7.23 and while still on that water body; (ii) fish taken under this clause may not be transported live from or off the water body; 7.24 (iii) fish harvested under this clause may only be used in accordance with this section; 7.25 7.26 (iv) any other use of wild animals used for bait from infested waters is prohibited; (v) fish taken under this clause must meet all other size restrictions and requirements 7.27 as established in rules; and 7.28 (vi) all species listed under this clause shall be included in the person's daily limit as 7.29 established in rules, if applicable. 7.30 (c) Equipment authorized for minnow harvest in a designated listed infested water 7.31 by permit issued under paragraph (b) may not be transported to, or used in, any waters 7.32 other than waters specified in the permit. 7.33 Subd. 4. Commercial fishing and turtle, frog, and crayfish harvesting 7.34

restrictions in infested and noninfested waters. (a) All nets, traps, buoys, anchors,

stakes, and lines used for commercial fishing or turtle, frog, or crayfish harvesting in an

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infested water that is <u>designated listed</u> because it contains invasive fish, invertebrates, or certifiable diseases, as defined in section 17.4982, may not be used in any other waters. If a commercial licensee operates in an infested water <u>designated listed</u> because it contains invasive fish, invertebrates, or certifiable diseases, as defined in section 17.4982, all nets, traps, buoys, anchors, stakes, and lines used for commercial fishing or turtle, frog, or crayfish harvesting in waters <u>designated listed</u> as infested with invasive fish, invertebrates, or certifiable diseases, as defined in section 17.4982, must be tagged with tags provided by the commissioner, as specified in the commercial licensee's license or permit. This tagging requirement does not apply to commercial fishing equipment used in Lake Superior.

- (b) All nets, traps, buoys, anchors, stakes, and lines used for commercial fishing or turtle, frog, or crayfish harvesting in an infested water that is designated listed solely because it contains Eurasian water milfoil must be dried for a minimum of ten days or frozen for a minimum of two days before they are used in any other waters, except as provided in this paragraph. Commercial licensees must notify the department's regional or area fisheries office or a conservation officer before removing nets or equipment from an infested water designated listed solely because it contains Eurasian water milfoil and before resetting those nets or equipment in any other waters. Upon notification, the commissioner may authorize a commercial licensee to move nets or equipment to another water without freezing or drying, if that water is designated listed as infested solely because it contains Eurasian water milfoil.
- (c) A commercial licensee must remove all aquatic macrophytes from nets and other equipment before placing the equipment into waters of the state.
- (d) The commissioner shall provide a commercial licensee with a current listing of designated <u>listed</u> infested waters at the time that a license or permit is issued.
  - Sec. 15. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84D.06, is amended to read:

#### 84D.06 UNLISTED NONNATIVE SPECIES.

- Subdivision 1. **Process.** A person may not introduce an unlisted nonnative aquatic plant or wild animal species unless:
- (1) the person has notified the commissioner in a manner and form prescribed by the commissioner;
- (2) the commissioner has made the classification determination required in subdivision 2 and <u>designated listed</u> the species as appropriate; and
  - (3) the introduction is allowed under the applicable provisions of this chapter.

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Subd. 2. Classification. (a) If the commissioner determines that a species for which 9.1 a notification is received under subdivision 1 should be classified as a prohibited invasive 9.2 species, the commissioner shall: 9.3 (1) adopt a rule under section 84D.12, subdivision 3, designating listing the species 9.4 as a prohibited invasive species; and 9.5 (2) notify the person from which the notification was received that the species is 9.6 subject to section 84D.04. 9.7 (b) If the commissioner determines that a species for which a notification is 9.8 received under subdivision 1 should be classified as an unregulated nonnative species, 9.9 the commissioner shall: 9.10 (1) adopt a rule under section 84D.12, subdivision 3, designating listing the species 9.11 as an unregulated nonnative species; and 9.12 (2) notify the person from which the notification was received that the species is not 9.13 subject to regulation under this chapter. 9.14 (c) If the commissioner determines that a species for which a notification is received 9.15 under subdivision 1 should be classified as a regulated invasive species, the commissioner 9.16 shall notify the applicant that the species is subject to the requirements in section 84D.07. 9.17 Sec. 16. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84D.10, subdivision 3, is amended to read: 9.18 Subd. 3. Removal and confinement. (a) A conservation officer or other licensed 9.19 peace officer may order: 9.20 (1) the removal of aquatic macrophytes or prohibited invasive species from 9.21 9.22 water-related equipment before it is placed into waters of the state; (2) confinement of the water-related equipment at a mooring, dock, or other location 9.23 until the water-related equipment is removed from the water; 9.24 9.25 (3) removal of water-related equipment from waters of the state to remove prohibited invasive species if the water has not been designated listed by the commissioner as being 9.26 infested with that species; and 9.27 (4) a prohibition on placing water-related equipment into waters of the state when 9.28 the water-related equipment has aquatic macrophytes or prohibited invasive species 9.29 attached in violation of subdivision 1 or when water has not been drained or the drain plug 9.30 has not been removed in violation of subdivision 4. 9.31 (b) An inspector who is not a licensed peace officer may issue orders under 9.32

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paragraph (a), clauses (1), (3), and (4).

Sec. 17. Minnesota Statutes 2013 Supplement, section 84D.10, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

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- Subd. 4. **Persons transporting water-related equipment.** (a) When leaving waters of the state a person must drain water-related equipment holding water and live wells and bilges by removing the drain plug before transporting the water-related equipment off the water access site or riparian property.
- (b) Drain plugs, bailers, valves, or other devices used to control the draining of water from ballast tanks, bilges, and live wells must be removed or opened while transporting water-related equipment.
- (c) Emergency response vehicles and equipment may be transported on a public road with the drain plug or other similar device replaced only after all water has been drained from the equipment upon leaving the water body.
- (d) Portable bait containers used by licensed aquatic farms, portable bait containers when fishing through the ice except on waters <u>designated</u> <u>listed</u> infested for viral hemorrhagic septicemia, and marine sanitary systems are exempt from this subdivision.
  - (e) A person must not dispose of bait in waters of the state.
- (f) A boat lift, dock, swim raft, or associated equipment that has been removed from any water body may not be placed in another water body until a minimum of 21 days have passed.
- (g) A person who transports water that is appropriated from noninfested surface water bodies and that is transported by a commercial vehicle, excluding watercraft, or commercial trailer, which vehicle or trailer is specifically designed and used for water hauling, is exempt from paragraphs (a) and (b), provided that the person does not discharge the transported water to other surface waters or within 100 feet of a surface water body.
- (h) A person transporting water from noninfested surface water bodies for firefighting or emergencies that threaten human safety or property is exempt from paragraphs (a) and (b).
- Sec. 18. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84D.11, subdivision 2a, is amended to read:
- Subd. 2a. **Harvest of bait from infested waters.** (a) The commissioner may issue a permit to allow the harvest of bait:
  - (1) from waters that are <u>designated</u> <u>listed</u> as infested waters, except those <u>designated</u> <u>listed</u> because they contain prohibited invasive species of fish or certifiable diseases of fish as defined in section 17.4982, subdivision 6; and
    - (2) from infested waters as allowed under section 97C.341, paragraph (c).

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The permit shall include conditions necessary to avoid spreading aquatic invasive 11.1 species. 11.2 (b) Before receiving a permit, or working for a permittee, a person annually 11.3 must satisfactorily complete aquatic invasive species-related training provided by the 11.4 commissioner. 11.5 Sec. 19. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84D.12, is amended to read: 11.6 11.7 84D.12 RULES. Subdivision 1. **Required rules.** The commissioner shall adopt rules: 11.8 (1) designating listing prohibited invasive species, regulated invasive species, and 11.9 unregulated nonnative species of aquatic plants and wild animals; 11.10 (2) governing the application for and issuance of permits under this chapter, which 11.11 rules may include a fee schedule; and 11.12 (3) governing notification under section 84D.08. 11.13 Subd. 2. **Authorized rules.** The commissioner may adopt rules: 11.14 (1) regulating the possession, importation, purchase, sale, propagation, transport, 11.15 and introduction of invasive species of aquatic plants and wild animals; and 11.16 (2) regulating the appropriation, use, and transportation of water from listed infested 11.17 11.18 waters. Subd. 3. Expedited rules. The commissioner may adopt rules under section 84.027, 11.19 subdivision 13, that designate list: 11.20 (1) prohibited invasive species of aquatic plants and wild animals; 11.21 (2) regulated invasive species of aquatic plants and wild animals; and 11 22 (3) unregulated nonnative species of aquatic plants and wild animals. 11.23 Sec. 20. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 84D.13, subdivision 5, is amended to read: 11.24 Subd. 5. Civil penalties. (a) A civil citation issued under this section must impose 11.25 the following penalty amounts: 11.26 (1) for transporting aquatic macrophytes in violation of section 84D.09, \$100; 11.27 (2) for placing or attempting to place into waters of the state water-related equipment 11.28 that has aquatic macrophytes attached, \$200; 11.29 (3) for unlawfully possessing or transporting a prohibited invasive species other 11.30 than an aquatic macrophyte, \$500; 11.31

the commissioner as being infested with that invasive species, \$500;

(4) for placing or attempting to place into waters of the state water-related equipment

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(5) for intentionally damaging, moving, removing, or sinking a buoy marking, as prescribed by rule, Eurasian water milfoil, \$100;

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- (6) for failing to have drain plugs or similar devices removed or opened while transporting water-related equipment or for failing to remove plugs, open valves, and drain water from water-related equipment, other than marine sanitary systems, before leaving waters of the state, \$100; and
- (7) for transporting infested water off riparian property without a permit as required by rule, \$200.
- (b) A civil citation that is issued to a person who has one or more prior convictions or final orders for violations of this chapter is subject to twice the penalty amounts listed in paragraph (a).
  - Sec. 21. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 86A.09, is amended to read:

#### 86A.09 DEVELOPMENT AND ESTABLISHMENT OF UNITS.

Subdivision 1. **Master plan required.** No construction of new facilities or other development of an authorized unit, other than repairs and maintenance, shall commence until the managing agency has prepared and submitted to the commissioner of natural resources and the commissioner has reviewed, pursuant to this section, a master plan for administration of the unit in conformity with this section. No master plan is required for wildlife management areas that do not have resident managers, for scientific and natural areas, for water access sites, for aquatic management areas, for rest areas, or for boater waysides.

Subd. 2. **Master plan; preparation and eontent public review.** The managing agency shall supervise preparation of the master plan and shall utilize the professional staffs of any agency of the state when the expertise of the staff of such agency is necessary to adequately prepare the master plan; the master plan shall present the information in a format and detail that is appropriate to the size and complexity of the authorized unit. When the master plan has been completed the managing agency shall announce to the public in a manner reasonably designed to inform interested persons that the master plan is available for public review and in the case of any major unit shall hold at least one public hearing meeting on the plan in the vicinity of the unit. The managing agency shall make the master plan available for review and comment by the public and other state agencies for at least 30 days following the announcement and before submitting the master plan to the commissioner of natural resources. Copies of the plan shall be provided to members of the Outdoor Recreation Advisory Council and to any other person on request approval.

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Subd. 3. **Master plan; review and approval** <u>content</u>. All master plans required by this section shall be submitted to the commissioner of natural resources for review pursuant to this subdivision. The commissioner of natural resources shall review the master plan to determine whether the plan: (a) provides:

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(1) provide for administration of the unit in a manner that is consistent with the purposes for which the unit was authorized and with the principles governing the administration of the unit, as specified in section 86A.05 and the statutes relating to each type of unit; and

(b) recognizes (2) recognize values and resources within the unit that are primarily the responsibility of another managing agency to protect or develop, and provides provide for their protection or development either through a cooperative agreement with the other managing agency or through designation of the appropriate area as a secondary unit. In reviewing any master plan, the commissioner of natural resources shall consult with other state agencies. Within 60 days after receiving the master plan, the commissioner of natural resources shall notify the managing agency that the plan has been reviewed and forward its recommendations for any changes it might suggest. The managing agency shall review the recommendations and notify the commissioner of natural resources of the disposition made of them. Failure to comment on a master plan within the time specified shall be considered approval of the plan by the commissioner of natural resources. If the commissioner of natural resources feels that the master plan still fails significantly to comply with this subdivision, the commissioner may request review of the master plan by the governor. In that event review shall not be deemed completed until after the master plan has been approved by the governor or 60 days have elapsed without action by the governor to approve or reject the plan, whichever occurs first.

- Subd. 4. **Development.** Construction of necessary facilities and other development of the unit shall commence as soon as practicable after review of the master plan by the eommissioner of natural resources, and the governor if requested, and shall be carried out in conformity with the master plan.
- Subd. 5. **Establishment.** When, in the opinion of the managing agency, acquisition and development of the unit are sufficiently complete to permit operation and administration of the unit in substantial conformity with the master plan as approved, the managing agency shall declare the unit established and ready for use.
- Subd. 6. Master plan amendment. The managing agency shall prepare an amendment to a master plan to address changes proposed for a unit that would vary from the approved master plan. The master plan amendment shall address the impacts of the proposed changes to the natural and cultural resources, interpretive services,

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recreational opportunities, and administrative activities at the unit. The master plan amendment supersedes the master plan for those areas addressed by the amendment. The managing agency shall hold a public meeting for master plan amendments that constitute a significant change in public use or access to the unit or that may be controversial. Public notice and approval of the master plan amendment shall follow the process described in subdivision 2. Construction of necessary facilities and other development of the unit shall commence as soon as practicable after the master plan amendment is adopted.

Sec. 22. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 86A.11, is amended to read:

#### 86A.11 REGISTRY OF UNITS.

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The commissioner of natural resources and the director of the Minnesota Historical Society shall each compile and maintain a current registry of the name, location, size, and description of all units of the outdoor recreation system under the commissioner's jurisdiction and under the jurisdiction of the Minnesota Historical Society and the commissioner of transportation. The commissioner of natural resources their respective jurisdictions, and shall publish and distribute the information contained in the registry in a form and manner suitable to assist persons wishing to use these units. The Minnesota Historical Society and the commissioner of transportation shall cooperate with and assist the commissioner of natural resources in preparing and distributing the registry.

Sec. 23. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 97C.821, is amended to read:

# 97C.821 POSSESSION, SALE, AND TRANSPORTATION OF COMMERCIAL FISH.

Subject to the applicable provisions of the game and fish laws, fish taken under commercial fishing licenses may be possessed in any quantity, bought, sold, and transported at any time. Commercial fishing licensees may transport their catch live to holding facilities, if the licensee has exclusive control of the facilities. Commercial fishing licensees may harvest fish from their holding facilities at any time with their licensed gear. The commissioner may prohibit the transport of live fish taken under a commercial fishing license from waters that contain nonnative species, are designated listed as infested waters, or are infected with any certifiable disease.

Sec. 24. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 103F.121, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Adoption procedure.** (a) The commissioner, upon determining that sufficient technical information is available for the delineation of floodplains and floodways on a watercourse, shall may notify affected local governmental units that

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technical information is available. Within six months after receiving this notice, The local governmental units shall prepare or amend their floodplain management ordinances in conformance with the provisions of sections 103F.101 to 103F.155 and shall submit the ordinance to the commissioner for review and approval before adoption.

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- (b) The commissioner shall approve or disapprove the proposed ordinance within120 days after receiving it.
- (c) If the proposed ordinance is disapproved, the commissioner shall return it to the local governmental unit with a written statement of reasons for disapproval. Within 90 days after disapproval, the local governmental unit shall resubmit an amended proposed ordinance for further review and approval before adoption. The local governmental unit shall adopt a floodplain management ordinance within 90 days after approval by the commissioner.
- (d) A floodplain management ordinance adopted by a local governmental unit is invalid unless it is approved by the commissioner.
- (e) A local governmental unit may adopt a floodplain management ordinance in the absence of notification by the commissioner that the required technical data is available, provided that any such ordinance is submitted to the commissioner prior to its adoption for approval.
- (f) A local governmental unit may adopt a floodplain management ordinance that is more restrictive than required under sections 103F.101 to 103F.155.
- (g) Floodplain management ordinances may be amended by a local governmental unit upon the approval of the commissioner.
  - Sec. 25. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 103F.121, subdivision 5, is amended to read:
- Subd. 5. **Major Alterations and hazardous uses prohibited.** (a) If a floodplain has been delineated by a floodplain management ordinance under sections 103F.101 to 103F.155, a major alteration to a structure in existence on the effective date of the ordinance or a new fill, structure, deposit, or other floodplain use that is unreasonably hazardous to the public or that unduly restricts the capacity of the floodplain to carry and discharge a regional flood not in accordance with the local governmental unit's adopted floodplain management ordinance may not be permitted after the effective date of the ordinance delineating the floodplain.
- (b) As used in this subdivision, major alterations of existing structures do not include repair or maintenance and do not include repairs, maintenance, or alterations to structures made under the authority of another authorized agency of the state or federal government.

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(e) (b) This subdivision does not apply to alterations, repair, or maintenance 16.1 reasonably done under emergency circumstances to preserve or protect life or property. 16.2 (d) (c) This subdivision applies to alterations to existing structures and to new fill, 16.3 structures, deposits, or other floodplain uses by the state and state agencies. 16.4 Sec. 26. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 103F.165, subdivision 3, is amended to read: 16.5 Subd. 3. Application for flood insurance. Within 120 days After receiving notice 16.6 of inclusion on the amended list, from the commissioner or the Federal Emergency 16.7 Management Agency that flood hazard areas have been identified, each local governmental 16.8 unit shall is encouraged to apply for participation in the national flood insurance program 16.9 in the manner prescribed by federal laws and regulations. 16.10 Sec. 27. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 103G.245, subdivision 2, is amended to read: 16.11 Subd. 2. Exceptions. A public waters work permit is not required for: 16.12 16.13 (1) work in altered natural watercourses that are part of drainage systems established under chapter 103D or 103E if the work in the waters is undertaken according to chapter 16.14 103D or 103E; or 16.15 (2) a drainage project for a drainage system established under chapter 103E that does 16.16 not substantially affect public waters; or. 16.17 16.18 (3) removal of debris, including logs that are at or near the water surface, dead trees and branches, and trash, that does not alter the original alignment, slope, or cross 16.19 section of the waters. 16.20 Sec. 28. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 103G.615, subdivision 3a, is amended to read: 16.21 Subd. 3a. Invasive aquatic plant management permit. (a) "Invasive aquatic plant 16.22 16.23 management permit" means an aquatic plant management permit as defined in rules of the Department of Natural Resources that authorizes the selective control of invasive aquatic 16.24 plants at a scale to cause a significant lakewide or baywide reduction in the abundance of 16.25 the invasive aquatic plant. 16.26 (b) The commissioner may waive the dated signature of approval requirement in rules 16.27 of the Department of Natural Resources for invasive aquatic plant management permits if 16.28 obtaining signatures would create an undue burden on the permittee or if the commissioner 16.29 determines that aquatic plant control is necessary to protect natural resources. 16.30 (c) If the signature requirement is waived under paragraph (b) because obtaining 16.31

signatures would create an undue burden on the permittee, the commissioner shall require

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a local newspaper, a public meeting, or a mailing to the most recent permanent address of affected landowners. The notification must be given annually and must include: the proposed date of treatment, the target species, the method of control or product being used, and instructions on how the landowner may request that control not occur adjacent to the landowner's property.

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- (d) The commissioner may allow dated signatures of approval obtained for an invasive aquatic plant management permit to satisfy rules of the Department of Natural Resources to remain valid for three years if property ownership remains unchanged.
- 17.9 Sec. 29. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 325E.13, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:
- 17.11 Subd. 5. **Snowmobile.** "Snowmobile" has the meaning given in section 84.81, subdivision 3.
  - Sec. 30. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 325E.14, subdivision 1, is amended to read: Subdivision 1. **Tampering.** No person shall knowingly tamper with, adjust, alter, change, set back, disconnect or, with intent to defraud, fail to connect the odometer of any motor vehicle or snowmobile, or cause any of the foregoing to occur to an odometer of a motor vehicle or snowmobile, so as to reflect a lower mileage than has actually been driven by the motor vehicle or snowmobile.
- Sec. 31. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 325E.14, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

  Subd. 2. **Operating restriction.** No person shall with intent to defraud, operate

  a motor vehicle on any street or highway or operate a snowmobile on public lands or

  waters knowing that the odometer of the motor vehicle or snowmobile is disconnected or
- Sec. 32. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 325E.14, subdivision 3, is amended to read:
- 17.25 Subd. 3. **Sales and use restrictions.** No person shall advertise for sale, sell, use or install on any part of a motor vehicle <u>or snowmobile</u>, or on any odometer in a motor vehicle <u>or snowmobile</u> any device <u>which</u> that causes the odometer to register any mileage other than the true mileage.
- Sec. 33. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 325E.14, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

  Subd. 4. **Sales restriction.** No person shall sell or offer for sale any motor vehicle

  or snowmobile with knowledge that the mileage registered on the odometer has been

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altered so as to reflect a lower mileage than has actually been driven by the motor vehicle or snowmobile without disclosing such the fact to prospective purchasers.

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Sec. 34. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 325E.14, subdivision 6, is amended to read: Subd. 6. **Repair or replacement restriction.** Nothing in this section shall prevent the service, repair, or replacement of an odometer, provided the mileage indicated thereon remains the same as before the service, repair, or replacement. Where the odometer is incapable of registering the same mileage as before such the service, repair, or replacement, the odometer shall be adjusted to read zero and a written notice shall be attached to the left door frame of the motor vehicle or the left side of a snowmobile by the owner or an agent specifying the mileage prior to repair or replacement of the odometer and the date on which it was repaired or replaced. No person shall remove or alter such a notice so affixed.

Sec. 35. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 325E.15, is amended to read:

# 325E.15 TRANSFER OF MOTOR VEHICLE <u>OR SNOWMOBILE</u>; MILEAGE DISCLOSURE.

No person shall transfer a motor vehicle <u>or snowmobile</u> without disclosing in writing to the transferee the true mileage registered on the odometer reading or that the actual mileage is unknown if the odometer reading is known by the transferor to be different from the true mileage. The regulations contained in Code of Federal Regulations, title 49, sections 580.1 to 580.17, as amended through October 1, 1998, implementing Title IV of the Federal Motor Vehicle Information and Cost Savings Act prescribe the manner in which written disclosure must be made <u>for both motor vehicles and snowmobiles</u> in this state and are adopted by reference. No transferor shall violate any regulations adopted under this section or knowingly give a false statement to a transferee in making any disclosure required by the regulations.

### Sec. 36. MINNESOTA RIVER VALLEY; MASTER PLAN.

The commissioner of natural resources shall develop a master plan in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.09, to conserve the natural and cultural resources of the Minnesota River Valley area in Redwood and Renville Counties and to provide for the shared use, enjoyment, and understanding of these resources through a broad selection of outdoor recreational opportunities and recreational travel routes that connect units of the outdoor recreation system in the river valley. The plan shall address the impacts to the natural and cultural resources, interpretive services, recreational opportunities,

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19.1 and administrative activities in the area and also provide recommendations on the unit designation of the area under the Outdoor Recreation Act. 19.2 Sec. 37. REVISOR'S INSTRUCTION. 19.3 The revisor of statutes shall delete the term in column A and insert the term in 19.4 column B in Minnesota Rules, parts 6216.0100, 6216.0250, 6216.0260, 6216.0270, 19.5 6216.0290, 6216.0300, 6216.0400, 6216.0500, and 6260.0300. 19.6 19.7 Column A Column B designate list 19.8 designated listed 19.9 designation listing 19.10 listing designating 19.11 19.12 Sec. 38. REPEALER. Minnesota Statutes 2012, sections 84.521; 89.01, subdivision 7; 103F.121, 19.13 subdivisions 3 and 4; and 103F.165, subdivision 2, are repealed." 19.14

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Amend the title accordingly