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## Bill Summary

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### Overview

This bill would repeal a law passed in 2012 that established new aquatic invasive species (AIS) training and trailer requirements. The law is set to go into effect July 1, 2015.

The law being repealed would require a person trailering a boat or other water-related equipment in the state to obtain an AIS trailer decal from the Department of Natural Resources (DNR). A person must successfully complete a training course in order to receive the decal. Violators of certain AIS laws would also be required to complete the training.

A law passed in 2011 also established an AIS decal requirement that required all watercraft owners to display a decal listing AIS rules on their watercraft prior to launching into/entering state waters. The law was repealed prior to full implementation and was replaced with the provision being repealed in this bill.

### Section

- 1**      **Repealer.** Repeals § 84D.13, subd. 9 (training requirements for AIS law offenders) and § 86B.13 (trailer decal and training requirements).