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NATURAL RESOURCES

HOUSE FILE 2072  
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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to the selling of bait by an aquaculture unit  
2 licensee.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 481A.142, subsection 5, Code 2003, is  
2 amended to read as follows.

3 5. a. Sell bait, including minnows, frogs, and clams,  
4 propagated or raised within the licensed unit without having  
5 to obtain a bait dealer's license. However, aquaculture units  
6 wishing to take bait from areas other than their licensed  
7 units must also obtain a bait dealer's license.

8 b. A nonresident aquaculture unit licensee shall be  
9 limited to selling bait at wholesale unless the home state of  
10 the nonresident licensee allows residents of this state to  
11 sell bait at retail.

12 EXPLANATION

13 This bill relates to the selling of bait by an aquaculture  
14 unit licensee. Currently, an aquaculture unit licensee is  
15 allowed to sell bait propagated or raised within the licensed  
16 unit without having to obtain a bait dealer's license. The  
17 bill limits a nonresident aquaculture unit licensee to selling  
18 bait at wholesale unless the home state of the nonresident  
19 licensee allows residents of this state to sell bait at  
20 retail.

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