

1st Sub. H.B. 315
AQUACULTURE AMENDMENTS

Representative **Gage Froerer** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 3, Lines 73 through 77:*

73 ~~[(6)]~~ (8) "Public aquaculture facility" means a tank, canal, raceway, pond, off-stream
74 reservoir, or other structure used for aquaculture by the Division of Wildlife Resources, U.S.
75 Fish and Wildlife Service, a mosquito abatement district, or an institution of higher education.
76 ~~[(7)]~~ (9) "Public fishery resource" means fish produced in public aquaculture facilities
77 and wild and free ranging populations of fish in the surface waters of the state.

2. *Page 3, Lines 84 through 87:*

84 (1) The department is responsible for~~[-]~~ enforcing laws and rules made by the Wildlife
85 Board governing species of aquatic animals which may be imported into the state or possessed
86 or transported within the state that are applicable to aquaculture or fee fishing facilities and the promotion
87 of the state's aquaculture industry .
87 ~~[(a) the marketing and promotion of the state's aquaculture industry; and]~~

3. *Page 17, Lines 492 through 494:*

492 (2) The advisory council shall consist of 10 members appointed to four-year terms by
493 the governor, in consultation with the executive director of the department, ~~{in consultation with}~~
494 the commissioner of the
494 Department of Agriculture and Food , and the director of the division, as follows:

4. *Page 17, Lines 506 through 509:*

506 (3) Notwithstanding the requirements of Subsection (2), the ~~{executive director}~~ governor
506 shall, at
507 the time of appointment or reappointment, adjust the length of terms to ensure that the terms of
508 advisory council members are staggered so that approximately half of the advisory council is
509 appointed every two years.