

HB 2560 - DIGEST

Requires the department of fish and wildlife to annually use at least fifty percent of all operating moneys expended to produce or obtain trout for purposes of stocking freshwater areas to enhance recreational fishing opportunities on contracts with registered aquatic farmers.

Requires the state auditor to complete a comprehensive audit of the department of fish and wildlife's program to produce, obtain, and stock freshwater areas with trout to enhance recreational fishing opportunities. This requirement expires June 30, 2014.

Exempts the department of fish and wildlife from certain competitive contracting provisions.