

# Hall of the House of Representatives

87th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2009

## Amendment Form

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### Subtitle of House Bill No. 1746

"THE WATER SOURCE PROTECTION ACT."

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### Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1746.

Amend House Bill No. 1746 as originally introduced:

Delete Sections 2 and 3 of the bill and substitute the following:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 20, Chapter 38, is amended to add an additional chapter to read as follows:

20-38-101. Title.

This chapter shall be known as the "Water Source Protection Act".

20-38-102. Definitions.

As used in this chapter:

(1)(A) "Nonmunicipal Sewage Treatment Plant" means a facility that is not a publicly owned treatment works and that is used to treat the excrementitious or other discharge from the bodies of humans, including a:

- (i) Wastewater treatment plant;
- (ii) Sewage treatment plant;
- (iii) Package plant; or
- (iv) Similar facility.

(B) "Nonmunicipal sewage treatment plant" does not include, among other things:

- (i) Septic tank systems;
- (ii) Drip irrigation systems; or
- (iii) Systems for the treatment of animal waste;

(2) "Watershed" means the land area from which water drains into a stream, river, lake, or reservoir, including all tributaries; and

(3) "Publicly owned treatment works" means any device or system for the treatment of pollutants that is owned by, any:

- (A) Municipality;
- (B) Quasimunicipal corporation; or
- (C) Other public entity.

20-38-103. Prohibition on surface discharges.

All surface discharges from a nonmunicipal sewage treatment plant are expressly prohibited in the watershed of any of the following:

- (1) Lower Lake;
- (2) Upper Lake;



- (3) Galla Creek Lake;
- (4) Lake Booneville;
- (5) Lake Winona;
- (6) Jackson Reservoir;
- (7) Lake Maumelle;
- (8) Lake Darby;
- (9) Lake Charleston;
- (10) Brewer Lake;
- (11) Cedar Piney Lake;
- (12) Lake Fort Smith;
- (13) Greenwood Lake;
- (14) Sanderson Lake;
- (15) Dillon Lake;
- (16) Lake Rix;
- (17) Lake Columbia;
- (18) Iron Forks Reservoir;
- (19) Cedar Creek Reservoir;
- (20) T. J. House Reservoir;
- (21) Lake Nichols;
- (22) Lake Ola Dale;
- (23) Lake Hudspeth;
- (24) Paris City Lake;
- (25) Cedar Creek Impoundment;
- (26) Prairie Grove Lake;
- (27) James Fork Reservoir;
- (28) Subiaco Reservoir;
- (29) Lake Waldron; and
- (30) Square Rock Lake.

AND

Re-number subsequent sections of the bill

AND

Page 4, line 29, add the words "listed above" immediately following the word "impoundments"

The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_

By: Representative J. Edwards  
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Chief Clerk