



General Assembly

January Session, 2025

**Proposed Bill No. 75**

LCO No. 689



Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENT

Introduced by:  
SEN. HARDING, 30th Dist.

***AN ACT REQUIRING THE EXPEDITING OF PERMITS FOR THE  
REMEDICATION OF HYDRILLA IN LAKES ACROSS THE STATE.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require the Department of
- 2 Energy and Environmental Protection to expedite permits for the
- 3 remediation of hydrilla in state lakes such that if no action is taken on
- 4 such permit within three months of its submission date, such permit
- 5 shall be deemed approved.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To expedite the permitting process for the remediation of hydrilla in lakes across the state.