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2009-2010 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sens. SEWARD, MORAHAN, RANZENHOFER, VOLKER -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Environmental Conservation

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to private trout and black bass hatcheries

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1. Section 11-1909 of the environmental conservation law, subdivision 2 as amended by chapter 309 of the laws of 1994, is amended to read as follows:
- $4\,$ S 11-1909. Private trout and black bass hatcheries.

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- 1. The department in its discretion may issue to any person a hatchery permit, valid during the calendar year of issue, to propagate, raise and sell trout, INCLUDING SELLING TROUT FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES FOR CONSUMPTION OR RESALE. The department shall establish by order regulations governing the identification AND TRANSPORTATION of trout raised under such a permit, OTHER THAN BY INDIVIDUAL TAGGING, which are offered for sale, sold or transported.
- 2. The department in its discretion may issue to any person a hatchery permit, valid during the calendar year of issue, to propagate, raise and sell black bass, INCLUDING SELLING BLACK BASS FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES FOR CONSUMPTION OR RESALE. The department shall establish by order, regulations governing the transportation of black bass raised under such a permit, OTHER THAN BY INDIVIDUAL TAGGING.
- S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [] is old law to be omitted.

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