

Report to
Legislative Council Rules Clearinghouse
NR 320, Wis. Adm. Code
Natural Resources Board Order No. WT-21-06

Wisconsin Statutory Authority

ss. 30.12, 30.123 and 227.11(2), Stats., interpreting ss. 30.12, 30.123 and 30.206, Stats.

Federal Authority

N/A

Court Decisions Directly Relevant

None

Analysis of the Rule - Rule Effect - Reason for the Rule

The purpose of the proposed revisions to ch. NR 320 is to create an additional general permit to continue permit streamlining and implementation of 2003 Wisconsin Act 118. The proposed revisions contain construction, design and location standards for a general permit for temporary in-stream crossings, a technique used by the forest industry during logging projects. Revisions also include some housekeeping changes to consolidate standards that apply to all general permits in the rule and to repeal unnecessary clearance standards for temporary bridges.

Agency Procedures for Promulgation

Public hearings, Natural Resources Board final adoption, followed by legislative review.

Description of any Forms (attach copies if available)

None

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