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## **Explanation of Changes**

CSHB80 (FSH): Sport Fishing Enhancement Surcharge Version A to Version B

**Page 1, lines 1-14** – In the previous version of the bill, the surcharge was allocated to "ongoing maintenance and operation of the department's sport fish hatchery facilities and sport fishing stock enhancement intended to directly benefit license purchasers." In version B, the allocation of the surcharge was split into two subsections (h)(1) and (h)(2).

- (h)(1) allocates \$2.50 of each surcharge towards fisheries management, fisheries research, invasive species suppression and eradication and habitat restoration.
- (h)(2) allocates the remainder of the surcharge to sport fishing stock enhancement and ongoing maintenance of the department's sport fishing hatchery facilities.

Page 2, line 24 through Page 3, line 1 - all surcharge prices were increased by \$2.50.

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