

A bill for an act

relating to natural resources; modifying public water access site acquisition authority; amending Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 97A.141, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 97A.141, subdivision 2.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 97A.141, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Acquisition; generally.** The commissioner shall acquire access sites adjacent to public waters and easements and rights-of-way necessary to connect the access sites with public highways. The land may be acquired by gift, lease, or purchase, or by condemnation with approval of the Executive Council. ~~An access site may not exceed seven acres and may only be acquired where access is inadequate.~~

Sec. 2. **REPEALER.**

Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 97A.141, subdivision 2, is repealed.