
SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Natural Resources to Original Senate Bill No. 157 by Senator Allain

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "the" insert "take," and after "snapper;" insert "to authorize the
3 opening and closing of snapper seasons;"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, line 7, after "§327.2." delete the remainder of the line and insert "**Red snapper;**
6 **prohibitions**"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 1, between lines 7 and 8, insert "**A. No person shall take or possess red snapper**
9 **within the state waters, except in open seasons.**"

10 AMENDMENT NO. 4

11 On page 1, at the beginning of line 8, before "No" insert "**B.**"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 5

13 On page 1, line 10, after "or state waters" delete the period "." and insert:

14 **, except in open seasons.**

15 **C. The open seasons for all or part of the state or state waters shall be**
16 **fixed by the commission based on biological and technical data. The**
17 **commission shall have the authority to open or close the state or state waters by**
18 **zone each year as it deems appropriate upon inspection of and based upon**
19 **biological and technical data.**

20 **D. The commission may set by rule, in accordance with the**
21 **Administrative Procedure Act, daily take, possession, and size limits for red**
22 **snapper.**

23 **E.**"