



**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO 2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 623**

February 9, 2004 – Offered by Representative PETTIS.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 3, line 25: after that line insert:

3 “(3m) (a) In this subsection, “live well” means a container that is used to hold
4 live fish and that meets standards established by the department by rule.

5 (b) Notwithstanding s. 29.055, a participant in a bass fishing tournament that
6 meets conditions specified by the department by rule may take largemouth bass in
7 excess of the daily bag limit if all of the following apply:

8 1. Each boat in the tournament is equipped with a live well.

9 2. The participant either immediately releases the bass into the water from
10 which it was taken or holds the bass in a live well.

11 3. The bass held in a live well by the participant at any one time does not exceed
12 the daily bag limit.

