

Department of Planning and Budget

2016 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB349

House of Origin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/>	In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Enrolled

2. Patron: Deeds

3. Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Natural Resources

4. Title: Free fishing days.

5. Summary: This bill removes the prohibition against fishing without a license in waters stocked with trout by the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries or other public body on days designated by the department as free fishing days.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary.

8. Fiscal Implications: It is anticipated that this bill will not result in a fiscal impact to the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries. Currently, anglers fishing in designated stocked trout waters are still required to have a license on Free Fishing Days. This bill removes this requirement and clarifies that no license is required on Free Fishing Days on any inland waters of the Commonwealth.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Game and Inland Fisheries.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.