The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Jacob K. Wilson.

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Present law provides for taking of bait shrimp in the closed season with certain gear and prohibits the use of butterfly nets, paupiers, skimmer nets, trawls, night trawls, or beam trawls to take bait shrimp in the closed season, except as provided in statute.

Present law authorizes the La. Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to adopt rules and regulations to provide for a special bait dealers permit.

Proposed law retains present law and specifies that the commission may provide for the use of butterfly nets, paupiers, skimmer nets, trawls, night trawls, or beam trawls under its bait dealers permitting authority.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Amends R.S. 56:497(B)(2))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Natural Resources to the original bill

1. Makes technical amendment to correct name of commission.