

SB 6158-S - DIGEST

(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Clarifies the public disclosure of sensitive fish and wildlife data.

Provides that sensitive fish and wildlife data may be released to the following entities and their agents for fish, wildlife, land management purposes, or scientific research needs: Government agencies, public utilities, and accredited colleges and universities. Sensitive wildlife data may also be released to the owner, lessee, or right of way or easement holder of the private land to which the data pertains. The release of sensitive fish and wildlife data may be subject to a confidentiality agreement.