

**SB 1228**

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**Comments:**

Please support this bill. Commercial fishermen have been transferring their slip leases for many years. Now the DLNR tells us we can not sell our businesses or change our board of directors and pass on our leases to the new owners. The DLNR says our boats have to leave the harbors. Most of the commercial fishing businesses were incorporated for the sole purpose of transferring the leases at a later date. If the DLNR's decision stands, it is going to cause a large hardship on a lot of people throughout the state.

Thanks

Rich