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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 3049

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 3049 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Wildlife Code is amended by adding Section
5 2.2b as follows:

6 (520 ILCS 5/2.2b new)

7 Sec. 2.2b. Imminent threat; nuisance permits.

8 (a) It shall not be illegal for an owner or tenant of land,
9 or their designated agent, to immediately take on his or her
10 property a gray wolf, Canis lupus; American black bear, Ursus
11 americanus; or cougar, Puma concolor if, at any time, the gray
12 wolf, American black bear, or cougar is stalking, causing an
13 imminent threat, or there is a reasonable expectation that it
14 causes an imminent threat of physical harm or death to a human,
15 livestock, domestic animals or harm to structures or other
16 property on the owner or tenant's land.

1 (b) The Department may grant a nuisance permit to the owner
2 or tenant of land, or their designated agent, for the taking of
3 a gray wolf, American black bear, or cougar that is causing a
4 threat to an owner or tenant of land or his or her property
5 that is not an immediate threat under subsection (a) of this
6 Section.

7 (c) The Department shall adopt rules to implement this
8 Section."