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# Minnows

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# Minnows

## Private Acts of 1951 Chapter 673

**SECTION 1.** That it shall be unlawful in Trousdale or Macon Counties for any person to catch from the streams of Trousdale or Macon Counties minnows for the purpose of sale.

As amended by: Private Acts of 1957, Chapter 275

**SECTION 2.** That it shall be unlawful in Trousdale or Macon Counties for any person to possess more than one-hundred and fifty (150) minnows. Provided, however, that this Act shall not apply to any boat dock operator, fish hatchery operator or other person who possesses or sells minnows not caught in the streams of Trousdale or Macon Counties.

As amended by: Private Acts of 1957, Chapter 275

**SECTION 3.** That violation of this Act shall be a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not to exceed Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00).

**SECTION 4.** That this Act shall take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it.

Passed: March 16, 1951.

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