

 <b>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill</b>	<b>Blue   CW 39</b>						
	<b>Referred to Committee: House 4</b>						
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<b>School:</b> St. Margaret Mary							
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1 An act to ensure the safety of boat docks and marinas by establishing minimum electrical standards,  
2 warning alarms, and penalties for violations.  
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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**  
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6 SECTION 1. Kentucky Revised Statutes (KRS), Chapter 235, is amended to add an additional  
7 subchapter as KRS 235.231:  
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9 235.231. Title."Boat Dock and Marina Safety Law".  
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11 235.231 (a). Warning Device.  
12 (1) Every dock or marina owner or operator shall install an approved in-water electrical monitor that  
13 produces a visual and audible alarm when electrical voltage is detected in the areas adjacent to the  
14 Boat Dock or Marina.  
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16 235.231 (b). Implementation  
17 (1) Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources (DFW) shall develop an inspection program and  
18 Inspections for electrical safety shall be done every 2 years by the DFW, and the DFW shall have the  
19 right to charge a fee as determined by the agency, and shall furnish an inspection sticker indicating  
20 compliance with this statute.  
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22 235.231 (d) Penalty.  
23 (1)(A) For a first offense, a person shall be issued a warning citation.  
24 (2)(A) For a second or subsequent offense a person is guilty of a violation and shall be fined fifty  
25 dollars (\$500.00).  
26 (b) A person who pleads guilty or is found guilty of a violation of KRS 235.231, that results in the  
27 injury of a person, is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.  
28 (c) A person who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to or is found guilty of a violation of I KRS  
29 235.231, that results in the death of a person, is guilty of a Class D Felony.