



January 27, 2016

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## SENATE BILL No. 28

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DIGEST OF SB 28 (Updated January 25, 2016 12:32 pm - DI 106)

**Citations Affected:** IC 32-26.

**Synopsis:** Maximum height of certain fences. Raises the maximum height for certain nuisance fences from six feet to eight feet.

**Effective:** July 1, 2016.

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January 5, 2016, read first time and referred to Committee on Civil Law.  
January 26, 2016, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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SB 28—LS 6178/DI 124





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Second Regular Session 119th General Assembly (2016)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2015 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1 SECTION 1. IC 32-26-10-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016]: Sec. 1. A structure in the  
3 nature of a fence unnecessarily exceeding ~~six (6)~~ **eight (8)** feet in  
4 height, maliciously:  
5 (1) erected; or  
6 (2) maintained;  
7 for the purpose of annoying the owners or occupants of adjoining  
8 property, is considered a nuisance.

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Civil Law, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 28, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill DO PASS.

(Reference is to SB 28 as introduced.)

BRAY, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0

