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97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 577, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the crime of unlawful placement of sediment, with a penalty provision.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 577, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new  
2 section, to be known as section 577.074, to read as follows:

**577.074. 1. A person commits the offense of unlawful placement  
2 of sediment if such person purposefully discharges, displaces,  
3 remobilizes, or causes to erode any sediment into the waters of this  
4 state.**

**5 2. This section shall not restrict the return of sediment into  
6 waters of this state deposited onto land within the previous five years,  
7 or the movement of sediment covered by waters of this state during  
8 nine of the previous twelve months.**

**9 3. For purposes of this section, "waters of the state" shall have  
10 the same meaning as provided under section 644.016.**

**11 4. The offense of unlawful placement of sediment is a class B  
12 misdemeanor.**

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