

**NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 451 of 1994**

\*\*\*\*\* 324.32713 THIS SECTION IS AMENDED EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 7, 2008: See 324.32713.amended  
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**324.32713 Civil action.**

Sec. 32713. The department may request the attorney general to commence a civil action for appropriate relief, including a permanent or temporary injunction, for a violation of this part or a rule promulgated under this part. An action under this section shall be brought in the circuit court for the county of Ingham or for the county in which the defendant is located, resides, or is doing business. The court has jurisdiction to restrain the violation and to require compliance. In addition to any other relief granted, the court may impose a civil fine of not more than \$1,000.00. However, a person who knowingly violates section 32721 or 32723 or the terms of a permit issued under section 32723 is responsible for the payment of a civil fine of not more than \$5,000.00 per day of violation. In addition to a fine, the attorney general may file a suit in a court of competent jurisdiction to recover the full value of the costs of surveillance and enforcement by the state resulting from the violation.

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