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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2016

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RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - COUNTIES - BLACKSTONE
RIVER

Introduced By: Representatives Barros, Coughlin, Messier, Johnston, and Tobon

Date Introduced: May 06, 2016

Referred To: House Finance

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 42-3 of the General Laws entitled "Counties" is hereby amended by
2 adding thereto the following section:
3 **42-3-7. Blackstone River.** – That body of water presently known as the Seekonk River,
4 extending from the southerly terminus of the Blackstone River to the northerly terminus of that
5 part of Narragansett Bay known as the Providence River, and lying within Providence County,
6 shall henceforth be called and form a part of the Blackstone River.
7 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION
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- 1 This act would rename the Seekonk River as forming a part of the Blackstone River.
- 2 This act would take effect upon passage.

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