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| 2009 Wisconsin Act 243 [2009 Senate Bill 487] | Motor Vehicle Occupational Licenses |
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Under **current law**, with certain exceptions and limitations, a person may apply to the Department of Transportation (DOT) for an occupational license if the person's operating privilege is revoked or suspended for various specified offenses and the person is engaged in an occupation or trade, including study or homemaking, making it essential that he or she operate a motor vehicle. However, DOT may not issue an occupational license authorizing the operation of a commercial motor vehicle.

2009 Wisconsin Act 243 clarifies current law by repealing a provision indicating that the holder of an occupational license may apply for authorization to operate commercial motor vehicles.

Effective date: 2009 Wisconsin Act 243 takes effect on May 20, 2010.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <http://www.legis.state.wi.us/>.