

1981 Senate Bill 699

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## CHAPTER 343 , Laws of 1981

AN ACT to renumber and amend 27.01 (2r) (d); and to create 27.01 (2v) (e) of the statutes, relating to campground reservation.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. 27.01 (2r) (d) of the statutes is renumbered 27.01 (2v) and amended to read:

27.01 (2v) (title) CAMPGROUND RESERVATION SYSTEM. (a) (title) *Authorization.* The department may establish a campground reservation system at any of the state parks or state forest campgrounds and may participate with owners of private campgrounds in a cooperative reservation system.

(b) (title) *Exclusion of 25% of sites.* Twenty-five percent of the total number of sites at every campground under a reservation system shall be excluded from reservation, for the benefit of the traveling public.

(c) (title) *Reservation fee.* A reservation fee sufficient to equal the estimated cost of administering the system shall be charged.

(d) (title) *Reservation applications.* The department may accept reservation applications and give reservations from residents for each year beginning on January 1 of each that year. The department may accept reservation applications from nonresidents for each year beginning on February 1 of that year. All ~~reservations~~ reservation applications received by the department which are postmarked prior to the earliest date upon which reservations may be accepted are invalid and shall be returned, or otherwise disregarded. ~~Reservations~~ Reservation applications may be made in person.

SECTION 2. 27.01 (2v) (e) of the statutes is created to read:

27.01 (2v) (e) *Priorities.* The department shall give reservations for each year beginning on January 1 in the order in which valid reservation applications are received until the available reservation sites in a campground for a given date are exhausted.