1987 Assembly Bill 558

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1987 Wisconsin Act 300

AN ACT to create 125.045 of the statutes, relating to preparation and distribution of a booklet explaining alcohol beverages laws.

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

SECTION 1. 125.045 of the statutes is created to read:

125.045 Booklet for licensees and permittees. (1) The department shall prepare a booklet explaining the state statutes and rules relating to the retail sale of alcohol beverages, written concisely in language which is clearly understood by those required to utilize it.

- (2) The department shall provide a copy of the booklet under sub. (1) free of charge to each person issued a permit, including a renewal, under s. 125.27 or 125.51 (5). The department shall provide the booklet for a charge not to exceed cost, as provided under s. 20.908, to municipalities.
- (3) A municipality shall provide a copy of the booklet under sub. (1) to each person issued a license, including a renewal, under s. 125.17, 125.18, 125.25, 125.26, 125.51 (1) or (4m) or 125.57 by the municipal-

ity unless the municipality requires the person to complete an instructional program which includes the subject matter of the booklet. This section does not preclude a municipality from charging a fee for such a program. A municipality may charge for the booklet in an amount not to exceed the amount charged by the department under sub. (2).

SECTION 2. Nonstatutory provisions; preparation of booklet. The department of revenue shall make available the booklet required under section 125.045 (1) of the statutes, as created by this act, on or before the first day of the 8th month beginning after the effective date of this SECTION.

SECTION 3. Effective dates. This act takes effect on the day after publication, except as follows:

(1) The treatment of section 125.045 (2) and (3) of the statutes takes effect on the first day of the 10th month beginning after publication.