

1969 Assembly Bill 605

Date published:
August 26, 1969

CHAPTER 147, LAWS OF 1969

AN ACT to amend 943.13 (1) (b) and (c) and (2); and to create 943.13 (4) of the statutes, relating to criminal trespass to land.

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

SECTION 1. 943.13 (1) (b) and (c) and (2) of the statutes are amended to read:

943.13 (1) (b) Enters or remains on any land of another ~~with intent to catch or kill any birds, animals or fish on such land or gather any product of the soil after having been notified by the owner or occupant not to engage in any of these activities enter or remain on said premises; or~~

(c) Hunts ~~or, shoots on the premises of another, fishes or gathers any product of the soil on the premises of another, or enters said premises with intent to do any of the foregoing after having been notified by the owner or occupant not to do so.~~

(2) A person has received notice from the owner or occupant within the meaning of this section if he has been notified personally, either orally or in writing, or if the land is posted. For land to be posted, a sign at least 11 inches square must be placed in at least ~~two~~ 2 conspicuous places for every 40 acres to be protected. The sign must carry an appropriate notice and the name of the person giving the notice followed by the word "owner" if the person giving the notice is the holder of legal title to the

land and by the word "occupant" if the person giving the notice is not the holder of legal title but is a lawful occupant of the land. *Proof that appropriate signs as herein provided were erected or in existence upon the premises to be protected within 6 months prior to the event complained of shall be prima facie proof that the premises to be protected were posted as herein provided.*

SECTION 1a. 943.13 (4) of the statutes is created to read:

943.13 (4) Nothing in this section shall prohibit a representative of a labor union from conferring with any employe provided such conference is conducted, in the living quarters of the employe and with the consent of the employe occupants.

Approved August 19, 1969.
