

CHAPTER 34

AN ACT to amend 85.01 (1b) (e) of the statutes, relating to prefix of letters on license plates.

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

85.01 (1b) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

85.01 (1b) (e) Beginning January 1, 1952, each automobile license plate, in addition to carrying the name "Wisconsin" or the abbreviation "Wis." as required by sub. (6) in the upper left-hand portion of the plate and the words "America's Dairyland" as required in sub. (6) across the lower portion of the plate, shall carry a 3-letter abbreviation for the month of registration and the year of registration in the upper right-hand portion of the plate in symbols not less than three-fourths inch high. For each registration made under this section there shall be allocated an identifying letter-number symbol consisting of a prefix of \* \* \* *a letter or letters* and a suffix of numbers, each of which shall be not less than 3 inches in height, of clearly distinguishable design and located prominently in the center of the plate. There shall be 2 slots in the plate, one near each end or side of the year designation, which will admit the insertion of a tag showing a succeeding annual registration; such tags to be provided by the department and used only in the event of a national emergency determined by the emergency board which would cause shortage of metal or other suitable material for the annual replacement of plates.

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