

1969 Assembly Bill 86

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**CHAPTER 395, LAWS OF 1969**

AN ACT to repeal 895.45 and to create 134.71 of the statutes, relating to liability of the recipient of an unsolicited credit card.

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

SECTION 1. 134.71 of the statutes is created to read:

134.71 LIABILITY OF THE RECIPIENT OF AN UNSOLICITED CREDIT CARD. When after the effective date of this section a credit card, as defined under s. 943.41 (2), except a credit card issued by a telephone company as defined under s. 76.38 (1) (b), and a credit card issued as a renewal, replacement or substitute for a previously held credit card of the same issuer, is issued to a person without a written application unless the previous holder had legally used the card on 1 or more occasions in the

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previous 12 months, he shall not be liable for any charges until he has accepted the card by using it or personally authorizing its use.

SECTION 2. 895.45 of the statutes is repealed.

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