

## 1999 SENATE BILL 206

July 6, 1999 – Introduced by Senators MOEN, HUELSMAN and DARLING, cosponsored by Representatives MUSSER, LA FAVE, WALKER, BRANDEMUEHL, PLOUFF, SYKORA, KLUSMAN, GRONEMUS and UNDERHEIM. Referred to Committee on Judiciary and Consumer Affairs.

1     **AN ACT** *to repeal and recreate* 98.21 of the statutes; **relating to:** the sale of  
2           bread.

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### ***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

Under current law, the weight of a loaf of bread manufactured, offered for sale or sold for consumption in this state generally must be a multiple of four ounces and must be at least one-half pound. These requirements do not apply to rolls and similar items that weigh less than four ounces each, to stale bread that is identified as such or to bread manufactured and sold for persons requiring special breads because of medical conditions.

This bill eliminates the limitations on the weight of bread loaves. This bill prohibits a person from manufacturing for sale in this state, offering for sale and sale of bread unless the bread is sold by weight. This prohibition does not apply to stale bread that is identified as such.

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

3           **SECTION 1.** 98.21 of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:  
4           **98.21 Sale of bread.** (1) Except as provided in sub. (2), no person may  
5           manufacture for sale in this state, offer to sell or sell bread unless the bread is sold  
6           by weight.

