## **1999 SENATE BILL 434**

March 3, 2000 – Introduced by Senators Chvala and Erpenbach, cosponsored by Representative Miller. Referred to Committee on Insurance, Tourism, Transportation and Corrections.

AN ACT *to create* 125.07 (3) (a) 13. of the statutes; **relating to:** the prohibition against underage persons entering or being on any premises operating under an alcohol beverage license.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a person who has not reached the legal drinking age (21 years of age), and who is not accompanied by his or her parent, guardian or spouse who has attained the legal drinking age, may not enter or be on any premises for which a license or permit for the retail sale of alcohol beverages has been issued. Current law also provides for various exceptions to this prohibition. One such exception is that a person who has not reached the legal drinking age may enter or be in a bowling center, regularly established athletic field or stadium at which alcohol beverages are sold or on an outdoor volleyball court immediately adjacent to premises licensed to sell alcohol beverages.

This bill allows a person who has not reached the legal drinking age to enter and remain at the Park Ponderosa Ballroom in the village of McFarland in Dane County, a premises licensed to sell alcohol beverages to be consumed on or off the premises, if less than 50% of its monthly gross receipts come from the sale of alcohol beverages and the establishment meets other criteria.

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

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125.07 **(3)** (a) 13. The Park Ponderosa Ballroom in the village of McFarland in Dane County, if that establishment has been an active member of the National Ballroom and Entertainment Association since 1970 and if, during the month prior to the date on which the underage person entered or attempted to enter the premises, less than 50% of that establishment's gross receipts came from the sale of alcohol beverages.

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