2001 ASSEMBLY BILL 263

March 30, 2001 – Introduced by Representatives Johnsrud, Wade, Suder, Musser, Freese, Krawczyk, Townsend, Ott, Sykora and M. Lehman, cosponsored by Senators Schultz and Roessler. Referred to Committee on Urban and Local Affairs.

AN ACT *to create* 254.47 (2r) of the statutes; **relating to:** special event campground permits issued by the department of health and family services and granting rule–making authority.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, the department of health and family services (DHFS), or a local health department acting as an agent of DHFS, issues permits to and regulates campgrounds and camping resorts and recreational and educational camps.

Under this bill, a campground permit for a special event that is issued by DHFS or by a local health department is not valid unless all town or county permits that are required for the special event are obtained and all conditions for the town or county permit are met. Under the bill, "special event" is defined by DHFS by rule.

For further information see the *state and local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

- **SECTION 1.** 254.47 (2r) of the statutes is created to read:
- 5 254.47 (2r) A campground permit issued by the department under this
- 6 subsection, or issued by a local health department under s. 254.69 (2), for a special

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event, as defined by the department by rule, to be held on town territory is not valid if a town or county permit that is required for the special event is not obtained or if a condition of the required town or county permit is not met. A permit issued under this subsection or s. 254.69 (2) shall indicate that the validity of the permit is conditioned on obtaining and meeting the conditions of any town or county permit that is required for the special event.

7 (END)