



2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 380

June 5, 2003 – Introduced by Representatives OLSEN, FREESE, GRONEMUS, HINES, M. LEHMAN, OTT, PLOUFF, SERATTI, SINICKI, TOWNSEND, VAN ROY and VRAKAS, cosponsored by Senators HANSEN and ROBSON. Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

1 **AN ACT** *to amend* 94.645 (2) (a) and 94.645 (3) of the statutes; **relating to:** the
2 applicability of rules concerning the storage of bulk fertilizer and bulk
3 pesticides.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law requires the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection to promulgate rules for the storage of bulk fertilizer and bulk pesticides to protect the waters of the state from contamination. Bulk fertilizer is fertilizer distributed in nonpackaged form. Bulk pesticides are liquid pesticides in containers larger than 55 gallons and solid pesticides in undivided quantities greater than 100 pounds. Under current law, the rules apply to any person who manufactures or sells bulk fertilizer or bulk pesticides. This bill provides that the rules for the storage of bulk fertilizer and bulk pesticides also apply to persons who store those substances.

For further information see the *state* 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:

4 **SECTION 1.** 94.645 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

