2007 ASSEMBLY BILL 323

May 14, 2007 – Introduced by Representatives Vruwink, Zepnick, Boyle, Sinicki, Sheridan, Turner, Berceau, Hraychuck and Jorgensen, cosponsored by Senator Lassa. Referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

- 1 AN ACT *to create* 23.09 (25) of the statutes; **relating to:** voting by persons with
- 2 disabilities on issues before the conservation congress.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, the Conservation Congress is a statewide independent organization of citizens that serves the Natural Resources Board in an advisory capacity on all matters under the jurisdiction of the board, such as those concerning conservation and the environment.

This bill requires the Department of Natural Resources, in conjunction with the Conservation Congress, to provide a method by which persons with disabilities may vote from home on issues being considered by the Conservation Congress.

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

- **SECTION 1.** 23.09 (25) of the statutes is created to read:
- 4 23.09 (25) Conservation congress voting. The department, in conjunction
- 5 with the conservation congress, shall provide a method by which persons with

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- disabilities may vote from home on issues being considered by the conservation
- 2 congress.
- 3 (END)