

2007 SENATE BILL 525

February 22, 2008 – Introduced by Senators DECKER, BRESKE, DARLING, ROESSLER and SCHULTZ, cosponsored by Representatives PETROWSKI, SEIDEL, TAUCHEN, YOUNG, SINICKI, NERISON, GRONEMUS, LEMAHIEU, MUSSER, HAHN, BALLWEG, A. OTT and ALBERS. Referred to Committee on Commerce, Utilities and Rail.

1 **AN ACT** *to create* 101.14 (1) (am) of the statutes; **relating to:** requirements for
2 automatic fire suppression systems and exhaust hoods in mobile kitchens.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law requires the Department of Commerce (Commerce) to make reasonable orders for the repair or removal of any building or structure that is especially liable to fire and which is so situated as to endanger other buildings or property. It also requires Commerce to make reasonable orders for the repair or removal of any explosive material or inflammable conditions that are dangerous to the safety of any building or its occupants. This bill provides that the rules may not require the owner or operator of a mobile kitchen to install or maintain an automatic fire suppression system or an exhaust hood in, or as part of, the mobile kitchen if the mobile kitchen is less than 365 square feet in size and is used on fewer than 12 days a year for the purpose of cooking.

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

3 **SECTION 1.** 101.14 (1) (am) of the statutes is created to read:
4 101.14 (1) (am) Notwithstanding par. (a), the department may not require the
5 owner or operator of a mobile kitchen to install or maintain an automatic fire

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1 suppression system or an exhaust hood in, or as part of, the mobile kitchen if all of
2 the following apply:

- 3 1. The mobile kitchen is less than 365 square feet in size.
4 2. The mobile kitchen is used on fewer than 12 days a year for the purpose of
5 cooking.

6 (END)