



2007 ASSEMBLY BILL 239

1 AN ACT *to create* 134.85 of the statutes; **relating to:** automated teller machine
2 charges for international accounts.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

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

3 SECTION 1. 134.85 of the statutes is created to read:

4 **134.85 Automated teller machines; international charges. (1)** In this
5 section:

6 (a) “Automated teller machine” means any electronic information processing
7 device located in this state that accepts or dispenses cash in connection with a credit,
8 deposit, or other account. “Automated teller machine” does not include a device that
9 is used solely to facilitate check guarantees or check authorizations, or that is used
10 in connection with the acceptance or dispensing of cash on a person-to-person basis.

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1 (b) “Foreign account” means an account with a financial institution located
2 outside the United States.

3 (2) An agreement to operate or share an automated teller machine may not
4 prohibit an owner or operator of the automated teller machine from imposing on an
5 individual who conducts a transaction using a foreign account an access fee or
6 surcharge that is not otherwise prohibited under federal or state law.

7 **SECTION 2. Initial applicability.**

8 (1) This act first applies to agreements entered into, modified, or renewed on
9 the effective date of this subsection.

10 **SECTION 3. Effective date.**

11 (1) This act takes effect on the first day of the 2nd month beginning after
12 publication.

13 (END)