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State of Misconsin 2009 - 2010 LEGISLATURE

2009 ASSEMBLY BILL 133

March 9, 2009 – Introduced by Representatives Schneider and Pope-Roberts. Referred to Committee on Transportation.

- 1 AN ACT to create 86.035 of the statutes; relating to: spraying water onto
- 2 highways and providing a penalty.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill prohibits a person who owns or occupies land adjoining a highway from causing water to spray more than two feet onto the roadway of the highway. A person who violates this prohibition must forfeit \$10 for the first offense, \$100 for the second offense, and \$1,000 for the third and each subsequent offense.

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

- **SECTION 1.** 86.035 of the statutes is created to read:
- 4 **86.035 Water overspray onto highway. (1)** In this section:
- 5 (a) "Highway" has the meaning given in s. 340.01 (22).
- 6 (b) "Roadway" has the meaning given in s. 340.01 (54).
 - (2) No person owning or occupying land adjoining any highway may cause
- 8 water to spray from this land onto the roadway of the highway to a distance exceeding
- 9 2 feet from the edge of the roadway nearest the person's land.

(3) Any person who violates sub. (2) shall forfeit \$10 for the first offense, \$100
for the second offense, and \$1,000 for the third and each subsequent offense.

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