



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

2009 Assembly Bill 114

**Assembly
Amendment 1**

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Assembly Bill 114, among other things, authorizes the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and town, city, village or county law enforcement officers to issue citations for violations of the law regulating the illegal open burning of solid waste and to use the DNR citation form for such violations.

Assembly Amendment 1 authorizes state forest rangers, town chairpersons and DNR conservation wardens to enforce the prohibition on illegal open burning of solid waste under their authority in ch. 26, Stats., regarding protection of forest lands and forest productivity.

Legislative History

Assembly Amendment 1 was offered by Representative Molepske, Jr. on March 16, 2009. On March 18, 2009, the Assembly Committee on Natural Resources recommended adoption of Assembly Amendment 1 on a vote of Ayes, 9; Noes, 5, and recommended passage of the bill, as amended, on a vote of Ayes, 9; Noes, 5.

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