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# 2013 SENATE BILL 285

September 5, 2013 – Introduced by Senators TIFFANY, FARROW, GROTHMAN, LAZICH, MOULTON and SCHULTZ, cosponsored by Representatives SPIROS, BORN, BROOKS, CRAIG, JAGLER, KLEEFISCH, KNUDSON, T. LARSON, MURPHY, NASS, A. OTT, PRIDEMORE, SANFELIPPO, THIESFELDT, TITTL and PETRYK. Referred to Committee on Transportation, Public Safety, and Veterans and Military Affairs.

AN ACT ***to amend*** 175.30 of the statutes; **relating to:** purchases or transfers of rifles or shotguns in other states.

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***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

Current law allows a resident of Wisconsin or an entity maintaining a place of business in Wisconsin to obtain a rifle or shotgun in a state that is contiguous to Wisconsin if the transfer complies with federal law and the laws of both states. This bill eliminates the requirement that the state be a contiguous state.

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

**SECTION 1.** 175.30 of the statutes is amended to read:

**175.30 Purchase of firearms in ~~contiguous~~ other states permitted.** ~~It is lawful for a~~ A resident of this state or a corporation or other business entity maintaining a place of business in this state ~~to~~ may purchase or otherwise obtain a rifle or shotgun in a state ~~contiguous to~~ other than this state if the transfer complies with federal law and the laws of both states.

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