

2015 DRAFTING REQUEST

Assembly Substitute Amendment (ASA-AB434)

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Pre Topic:

No specific pre topic given

Topic:

Remove provisions eliminating back tag requirements

Instructions:

See attached

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Shea, Elisabeth

From: Gary, Timothy J - DNR <Timothy.Gary@wisconsin.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, October 28, 2015 6:33 AM
To: Shea, Elisabeth
Cc: Kowalkowski, Michael J - DNR
Subject: Re: Draft review: LRB a1093/P1

Sender Tiffany's office provided me an amendment the other day that addressed antique snowmobiles and sect of dates. I am thinking that a substitute amendment that addresses all of the issues that Senator Tiffany brought forth as well as The back tag issues we have brought forth could be placed in a substitute amendment so that there will be one clean vote by members of the committee that address is more than just back tags.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 28, 2015, at 6:12 AM, Shea, Elisabeth <Elisabeth.Shea@legis.wisconsin.gov> wrote:

The way you describe these, Mike, makes it sound like you would like a simple amendment (like a1093). However, Tim, you mentioned substitute amendments in the email below. I will assume these should be simple amendments unless I hear otherwise from you (the sooner the better).

Lis

From: Kowalkowski, Michael J - DNR [mailto:Michael.Kowalkowski@wisconsin.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, October 27, 2015 8:48 PM
To: Shea, Elisabeth <Elisabeth.Shea@legis.wisconsin.gov>
Cc: Gary, Timothy J - DNR <Timothy.Gary@wisconsin.gov>
Subject: RE: Draft review: LRB a1093/P1

Lis,

Version 1 (Back Tags eliminated from state law):

Current version of a1093 and:

- Amend Section 44 of LRB1646/2; s. 29.171(3)(a): "~~and back tag~~"
- Amend Section 45; s. 29.171(3)(b): "~~or back tag~~"
- Amend Section 46; s. 29.172(3): "~~and back tag~~" in (a), "~~or back tag~~" in (b)
- Amend Section 47; s. 29.173(3): "~~AND BACK TAG~~", "~~and a back tag~~"
- Amend Section 54; s. 29.211(3): "~~AND BACK TAG~~", "~~a back tag and~~"
- Amend Section 55; s. 29.216(3): "~~AND BACK TAG~~", "~~a back tag and~~" in (a), "~~or back tag~~" in (b)
- Amend Section 56; s. 29.217(3): "~~AND BACK TAG~~", "~~and a back tag~~" in (a), "~~or back tag~~" in (b)
- Amend Section 59; s. 29.231(4): "~~a back tag and~~"
- Amend Section 60; s. 29.235(4): "~~AND BACK TAG~~", "~~a back tag and~~"

Version 2 (Back Tags retained in state law):

Current version of a1093 and:

- Remove Section 40 from LRB1646/2; effect = 29.024(6)(am) [unchanged]
- Remove Section 41; effect = 29.024(6)(b) unchanged
- Remove Section 42; effect = 29.024(6)(d) unchanged

- Remove Section 68; effect = 29.301(3) unchanged
- Remove Section 87; effect = 29.561 unchanged
- Remove Section 93; effect = 29.563(14)(bn) unchanged
- Remove Section 95; effect = 29.563(14)(c)5. unchanged
- Remove above sections from amended Section 191m in a1093

Both versions:

Current version of a1093 and:

- To amended Section 191m add (= effective 3/1/16):
 - 23.33(2)(ir) (LRB1646 – Section 20; reasons appear in chart below)
 - 350.12(3)(a)1. (Section 155)
 - 350.12(3)(c)2. (Section 157)
 - 350.12(3)(c)3. (Section 158)
 - 350.12(3)(cm) (Section 159)
 - 350.12(3)(e) (Section 162)
 - 350.12(3h)(ar)1. (Section 170)
 - 350.12(3h)(ar)2. (Section 171)

I believe that should cover it, and I am clocking out. If you need, please give me a call. Thanks and have a good night.

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From: Gary, Timothy J - DNR
Sent: Tuesday, October 27, 2015 6:44 PM
To: Kowalkowski, Michael J - DNR; Shea, Lis - LEGIS
Subject: Re: Draft review: LRB a1093/P1

To substitute amendments have been requested for the AL I S bill. The first amendment should reflect what the bill should look like yes that tags and the requirement for their wearing by hunters is eliminated from state law. The second substitute amendment requested is to look like what the bill would say if the bill has been drafted properly with zero references to back tags being eliminated.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 27, 2015, at 4:59 PM, Kowalkowski, Michael J - DNR
 <Michael.Kowalkowski@wisconsin.gov> wrote:

Tim,

RE: Back tags

- We need Sections 40, 41, 42, 68, 87, 93, and 95 removed from the bill so that back tags are not part of this bill.

RE: Effective dates

- We need Sections 20, 155, 157, 158, 159, 162, 170, and 171 included in LRB1093 in the amended Section 191m to make them effective 3/16.

Further detail may be found in the table below. Please let me know if I can provide additional information or assistance.

Statute	Treatment in bill	Revision needed	Reason
29.024(6)(am)	repealed - Section 40	remove section	back tags
29.024(6)(b)	amended - Section 41	remove section	back tags
29.024(6)(d)	amended - Section 42	remove section	back tags
29.301(3)	repealed - Section 68	remove section	back tags
29.561(1) and (2)	repealed - Section 87	remove section	back tags
29.563(14)(bn) and ©5.	repealed - Sections 93	remove section	back tags
29.563(14)(c)5.	repealed - Section 95	remove section	back tags
23.33(2)(ir)	amended - Section 20	effective 3/16	Fees paid t remain un registratio
350.12(3)(a)1.	amended - Section 155	effective 3/16	Licensing v reflectoriz season, as to dealers expire unt
350.12(3)(c)2.	amended - Section 157	effective 3/16	"
350.12(3)(c)3.	amended - Section 158	effective 3/16	"
350.12(3)(cm)	amended - Section 159	effective 3/16	"
350.12(3)(e)	amended - Section 162	effective 3/16	"
350.12(3h)(ar)1.	repealed - Section 170	effective 3/16	Fees paid t need to re issuing reg
350.12(3h)(ar)2.	renumbered and amended - Section 171	effective 3/16	"

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From: Gary, Timothy J - DNR
Sent: Tuesday, October 27, 2015 12:11 PM
To: Kowalkowski, Michael J - DNR
Subject: FW: Draft review: LRB a1093/P1

Mike,

Take a look and let me know what you think.

Sincerely,

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For your review.

Tyler

From: LRB.Legal
Sent: Tuesday, October 27, 2015 9:29 AM
To: Sen.Tiffany <Sen.Tiffany@legis.wisconsin.gov>
Subject: Draft review: LRB a1093/P1

Following is the PDF version of draft LRB a1093/P1 and drafter's note.



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October 22, 2015 – Introduced by Representatives CZAJA and A. OTT, cosponsored by Senator TIFFANY. Referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Sporting Heritage.

S.A. ✓
Xref ✓

Regen

1 **AN ACT to repeal** 29.024 (6) (am), 29.237 (1) (b), 29.301 (3), 29.347 (1), 29.347 (3)

2 (b), 29.361 (2), 29.561, 29.563 (14) (bn), 29.563 (14) (c) 5., 29.961 (1) (a), 29.964

3 (1), 350.12 (3h) (ar) 1. and 350.12 (3j) (br); **to renumber** 23.58 and 29.237 (1)

4 (a) 1. to 5.; **to renumber and amend** 23.33 (1) (o), 23.33 (2) (ir) 1., 23.33 (2j)

5 (a), 29.506 (1), 29.961 (1) (intro.), 29.961 (2), 29.964 (intro.), 29.964 (3), 30.52

6 (1m) (ag) 1., 350.01 (22), 350.12 (3) (d), 350.12 (3h) (ar) 2., 350.12 (3j) (a) 1. and

7 350.12 (3j) (a) 2.; **to consolidate, renumber and amend** 29.237 (1) (intro.)

8 and (a) (intro.); **to amend** 20.370 (9) (hv), 20.370 (9) (hw), 23.33 (1) (jn), 23.33

9 (1m) (a) 2., 23.33 (2) (a), 23.33 (2) (dm) 3., 23.33 (2) (dm) 4., 23.33 (2) (i) (intro.),

10 23.33 (2) (i) 1., 23.33 (2) (i) 3., 23.33 (2) (ig) 1. (intro.), 23.33 (2) (ig) 1. a., 23.33

11 (2) (ig) 1. b., 23.33 (2) (ig) 2., 23.33 (2) (ir) (title), 23.33 (2j) (b), 23.33 (2j) (e), 23.33

12 (2j) (f), 23.33 (5) (b) 2., 23.45 (1) (c), 23.45 (1) (d), 23.59, 29.001 (12), 29.024 (1),

13 29.024 (6) (ag), 29.024 (6) (b), 29.024 (6) (d), 29.024 (7), 29.171 (3) (a), 29.171 (3)

14 (b), 29.172 (3), 29.173 (3), 29.179 (3) (a), 29.184 (8) (a), 29.184 (8) (b), 29.185 (4)

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1 (b), 29.185 (7) (a), 29.192 (2) (a), 29.211 (3), 29.216 (3), 29.217 (3), 29.2285 (3)
2 (b), 29.2285 (3) (c), 29.231 (4), 29.235 (4), 29.236 (2), 29.237 (2), 29.237 (3),
3 29.237 (4), 29.324 (3), 29.347 (2), 29.347 (2m) (a), 29.347 (3) (a), 29.501 (6),
4 29.506 (5) (a), 29.506 (5) (b), 29.506 (6), 29.506 (7) (b), 29.506 (7m) (d), 29.559
5 (1) (a), 29.563 (1), 29.563 (11) (intro.), 29.563 (12) (a) 2., 29.563 (14) (intro.),
6 29.563 (14) (c) 1., 29.569 (5), 29.624 (1), 29.957, 29.961 (1) (c), 29.967 (1) (intro.),
7 29.971 (2) (a), 29.971 (4), 29.971 (9), 29.971 (9m), 29.971 (11g) (a), 29.971 (11g)
8 (b), 29.971 (11m) (a), 29.971 (12), 30.50 (3), 30.50 (3b), 30.52 (1m) (a) (intro.),
9 30.52 (1m) (a) 1., 30.52 (1m) (a) 3., 30.52 (1m) (ag) 2., 30.52 (1m) (ar), 30.52 (5)
10 (a) 1., 30.52 (5) (a) 2., 30.52 (5) (a) 3., 30.52 (5) (a) 4., 30.52 (5) (b) 1., 30.52 (5)
11 (b) 2., 30.52 (5) (b) 3., 30.577 (title), 30.577 (1), 30.577 (3), 30.577 (4), 30.74 (1)
12 (a), 30.80 (1), 30.80 (3m), 350.01 (10t), 350.05 (2) (b), 350.12 (3) (a) 1., 350.12 (3)
13 (a) 3., 350.12 (3) (c) 2., 350.12 (3) (c) 3., 350.12 (3) (cm), 350.12 (3) (e), 350.12 (3h)
14 (a) (intro.), 350.12 (3h) (a) 1., 350.12 (3h) (a) 3., 350.12 (3h) (ag) 1. (intro.), 350.12
15 (3h) (ag) 1. a., 350.12 (3h) (ag) 1. b., 350.12 (3h) (ag) 2., 350.12 (3j) (bg) 3., 350.12
16 (3j) (bg) 4., 350.12 (3j) (d), 350.12 (3j) (e) 1., 350.12 (3j) (e) 2., 350.12 (3j) (e) 3.,
17 350.12 (5) (b), 350.12 (5) (c), 350.12 (5) (d), 350.12 (5) (e) and 971.19 (10); **to**
18 **repeal and recreate** 29.964 (title); and **to create** 23.33 (1) (jc), 23.33 (2) (dg),
19 23.33 (2) (im), 23.33 (2h), 23.33 (2j) (a) 2., 23.33 (5) (b) 3., 23.47, 23.58 (2), 23.90
20 (6), 29.001 (65), 29.506 (1) (am), 29.555, 29.559 (1) (bm), 29.563 (11) (c), 29.563
21 (14) (c) 8., 29.563 (14) (d), 29.569 (3) (bm) 3., 29.961 (2) (b), 29.964 (1m) (title),
22 29.964 (2m), 29.964 (3m), 30.50 (9f), 30.50 (13d), 30.52 (1m) (ag) 1. a., 30.523
23 (1) (c), 30.678 (2m), 350.01 (10b), 350.05 (2) (c), 350.12 (3) (d) 2., 350.12 (3i),
24 350.12 (3j) (a) 1. b. and 350.12 (3j) (a) 2. b. of the statutes; **relating to:** carcass
25 tags issued under fish and game laws; registration of carcasses of wild animals;

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1 methods of ^{issuing,} storing, retrieving, printing, ^{reprinting, duplicating, and exhibiting} and displaying fish and game
2 approvals; counterfeiting or illegal alteration of fish and game approvals;
3 forgery in applying for fish and game approvals or for registration of ^{an} ^{of certain recreational vehicles}
4 all-terrain vehicle, utility terrain vehicle, or snowmobile; transfers of wolf
5 harvesting licenses; the place of trial for a violation of certain fish and game
6 laws; methods of issuing, retrieving, reprinting, duplicating, and exhibiting
7 registration documents and safety certificates and proving registration for ^{certain recreational vehicles}
8 all-terrain vehicles, utility terrain vehicles, and snowmobiles; methods of
9 issuing, retrieving, reprinting, duplicating, and exhibiting certification and
10 registration documents for boats; methods of issuing, retrieving, reprinting,
11 and exhibiting proof of a trail pass for all-terrain vehicles and utility terrain
12 vehicles and of a trail use sticker for snowmobiles; suspension and revocation
13 of a certificate of number or registration for a boat; reasonable suspicion for a
14 law enforcement officer to stop an all-terrain vehicle, utility terrain vehicle, ^{certain recreational vehicles}
15 boat, or snowmobile; extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures;
16 providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures; granting
17 rule-making authority; making an appropriation; and providing penalties.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Introduction

This bill makes a number of changes to the registration and certification requirements for all-terrain vehicles (ATVs), utility terrain vehicles (UTVs), boats, and snowmobiles (collectively, recreational vehicles) and to approvals for hunting, fishing, and trapping. The bill allows the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to designate alternative forms of proof of certain registration, certification, and approval documents; authorizes DNR to issue reprints of certain approvals and recreational vehicle safety certificates; authorizes DNR to use a system for accessing information about an individual's approvals or safety certificates electronically; and allows for certain receipts to provide proof that a person holds a recreational vehicle

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registration, certification, trail pass, or trail use sticker until official documents are received.

Temporary operating receipts, conservation cards, and proof

Current law requires a person to carry or display proof that the person has been issued a hunting, fishing, or trapping approval; a recreational vehicle registration or certificate of number; a recreational vehicle trail pass or trail use sticker; or a recreational vehicle safety certificate. The required proof is typically in the form of a paper document, sticker, plate, or decal. This bill authorizes DNR to designate by rule other forms of acceptable proof and the locations and times during which those forms of proof are valid.

Under the bill, if DNR maintains a system under which DNR stores information in an electronic format that relates to individuals who have been issued hunting, fishing, or trapping approvals or recreational vehicle safety certificates, DNR may issue a conservation card to any individual who applies for the card for purposes of enabling DNR to access information about that individual in the system. The bill allows DNR to authorize an individual to carry a conservation card or another form of identification in lieu of carrying proof of an approval or safety certificate. The bill allows DNR to charge a \$3.25 fee for a conservation card, along with a 25-cent issuing fee.

Under current law, a “validated registration receipt” is a receipt issued by DNR or its agent that shows that an application and the required fees for a registration certificate or certificate of number for a recreational vehicle have been submitted to DNR or its agent. The bill changes this term to “temporary operating receipt.”

Current law requires an operator of a recreational vehicle to have proof that the vehicle is registered, or covered by a certificate of number, if applicable, while operating the vehicle. Depending on the vehicle, this requires attaching certain plates, decals, or numbers to the vehicle or possessing certain documents while operating the vehicle. Under this bill, for a recreational vehicle for which the owner has received a temporary operating receipt but has not yet received the registration certificate or certificate of number, the bill instead requires the operator to have in his or her possession, and display to a law enforcement officer on request, proof of the temporary operating receipt.

This bill also allows DNR to maintain a system under which an individual may obtain a reprint of certain approvals and recreational vehicle safety certificates. The bill requires DNR to designate by rule who may produce such a reprint, for which approvals and safety certificates a reprint may be produced, and the manner in which a reprint may be produced. The bill sets fees for reprints and establishes how much of those fees may be retained by an agent.

All-terrain vehicles and utility terrain vehicles

Generally under current law, a nonresident may not operate an unregistered ATV or UTV on a public ATV corridor unless a nonresident trail pass, issued by DNR or its agent, is permanently affixed in a highly visible location on the forward half of the vehicle. This bill allows DNR or an agent to issue a temporary trail use receipt showing that an application and the required fees for a nonresident trail pass have been submitted to DNR or an agent. The bill allows a person to operate an ATV or

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UTV on a public ATV corridor without a nonresident trail pass if the person is carrying proof of a valid temporary trail use receipt.

Under current law, every person who is an ATV or UTV manufacturer, ATV or UTV dealer, ATV or UTV distributor, or ATV or UTV renter or any combination of these is required to register with DNR, obtain a commercial ATV or UTV certificate, and attach, in a clearly visible place, a reflectorized plate issued by DNR or a similar plate or sign that is removable and temporarily but firmly mounted to any ATV or UTV that the person leases, rents, offers for sale, or otherwise allows to be used whenever the ATV or UTV is being operated. Under this bill the plate is not required to be reflectorized.

The bill prohibits a person from intentionally making a false statement on an application for an ATV or UTV registration and from altering, removing, or changing any number or character in an ATV or UTV engine serial number or in a vehicle identification number (VIN). The bill also prohibits a person from manufacturing a VIN tag the person knows to contain false information to be placed on an ATV or UTV and from placing a VIN tag the person knows to be false on an ATV or UTV.

Snowmobiles

Generally under current law, the owner of a snowmobile may not operate a snowmobile or give permission to another person to operate a snowmobile on a snowmobile corridor unless a trail use sticker, issued by DNR or its agent, is displayed on the snowmobile. This bill allows DNR or its agent to issue a temporary trail use receipt showing that an application and the required fees for a trail use sticker have been submitted to DNR or the agent. The bill allows a person to operate a snowmobile on a snowmobile corridor without a trail use sticker if the person is carrying proof of a valid temporary trail use receipt.

Under current law, every person who is a snowmobile manufacturer, snowmobile dealer, snowmobile distributor, or snowmobile renter or any combination of these is required to register with DNR, obtain a commercial snowmobile certificate, and attach a reflectorized plate in a clearly visible place to any snowmobile not registered for public use that the person leases, rents, offers for sale, or otherwise allows to be used whenever the snowmobile is being operated. Under this bill, instead of issuing three reflectorized plates with a commercial snowmobile certificate, DNR is required to issue three registration decals. Instead of requiring a reflectorized plate to be attached to a snowmobile, the bill requires only a plate and specifies that it must be removable and temporarily but firmly mounted to a snowmobile. The bill also requires a registration decal to be attached to the plate.

The bill prohibits a person from intentionally making a false statement on an application for a snowmobile registration and from altering, removing, or changing any number or character in a snowmobile VIN. The bill also prohibits a person from manufacturing a VIN tag the person knows to contain false information to be placed on a snowmobile and from placing a VIN tag the person knows to be false on a snowmobile.

Boats

Current law prohibits a person from intentionally falsifying an application for a certificate of title, a certificate of number, or a registration of a boat or intentionally

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falsifying certain official identification numbers related to boats. A person guilty of violating any of these prohibitions is guilty of a Class H felony, except for a violation of the prohibition against falsifying an application for a certificate of number or registration. This bill makes that violation a Class H felony as well.

Under current law, DNR is required to suspend or revoke a certificate of title for a boat if it finds that the certificate of title was fraudulently procured; the boat has been scrapped, dismantled, or destroyed; or the transfer of a certificate of title has been set aside by a court order or judgment. If DNR suspends or revokes a certificate of title, current law requires the owner or person in possession of the certificate of number or registration to deliver it to DNR and allows DNR to seize and impound a certificate of number or registration that is suspended or revoked. This bill adds that DNR is also required to suspend or revoke a certificate of number or registration for a boat under these circumstances.

Hunting, fishing, and trapping

Generally, under current law, no person may hunt, fish, or trap unless DNR issues the person the appropriate approval, which could be a license, permit, certificate, card, stamp, or tag. Current law generally requires a person to carry the required approval at all times while hunting, fishing, or trapping and to exhibit the approval to DNR or its wardens on demand. The bill requires a person to carry proof of an approval instead of carrying the approval.

Current law requires DNR to issue a carcass tag to each person who is issued a deer hunting license, an elk hunting license, a wolf hunting license, a bear hunting license, an archer hunting license, a crossbow hunting license, a sports license, or a conservation patron license, and a certain number of carcass tags to a person who is issued a sturgeon spearing license. Generally, a person who kills a deer, elk, bear, or wolf or who spears a sturgeon must immediately validate and attach the carcass tag to the animal. Current law also allows DNR to promulgate by rule a requirement that hunters tag each sharp-tailed grouse killed with a tag issued by DNR. This bill eliminates the requirement that a carcass tag be attached to an animal and requires only that the carcass tag be validated in the manner required by DNR. The bill also allows DNR to require hunters to validate, not to attach, a tag to each sharp-tailed grouse killed.

Under current law, no person may change or alter an approval or enter other than the correct date of issuance on an approval. Under this bill, no person may alter an approval or proof of an approval or falsely represent that the person holds an approval.

Under current law, no person may possess or control deer or elk antlers in the velvet or a deer or an elk skin in the spotted coat of a lawfully killed deer or elk unless DNR has authorized the possession. This bill eliminates this restriction.

This bill prohibits a person from possessing, buying, exhibiting, using, transferring, selling, or offering for transfer or sale an approval or proof of an approval if the person knows the approval or proof is counterfeit, if the person has illegally or erroneously obtained the approval or proof, or if the approval has been suspended or revoked. A person who violates this prohibition may be required to

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forfeit not less than \$250 and not more than \$2,000 and is subject to a natural resources restitution surcharge.

Enforcement

Under current law, after having identified himself or herself as an enforcing officer, and within certain limitations, an enforcing officer may stop a person in a public place for a reasonable period of time when the officer reasonably suspects that the person is committing, is about to commit, or has committed a violation of certain natural resource or environment-related statutes, administrative rules, or ordinances. Under the bill, an enforcing officer has reasonable suspicion to perform such a stop if an ATV or UTV does not visibly display a registration plate or decal or a nonresident trail pass, if a boat does not visibly display a registration or certification decal, or if a snowmobile does not visibly display a registration decal or trail use sticker.

Under current law, generally, a civil action resulting from a violation of certain natural resource or environment-related statutes, administrative rules, or ordinances must be tried in the county where the offense was committed. Under the bill, if the offense results from the violation of a requirement to possess an approval, a prohibition against breaking, removing, interfering with, altering, forging, or falsely representing that the person holds an approval or proof of an approval, or a prohibition against counterfeit approvals or illegally-obtained approvals, the defendant may be tried in the county where the offense was committed or Dane County.

Under current law, in an action for intentionally falsifying an application for a boat certificate of number, a registration, or a certificate of title, the defendant may be tried in the defendant's county of residence at the time that the complaint is filed, in the county where the defendant purchased the boat if purchased from a dealer, or the county where DNR received the application. This bill applies these same venue options for an action for intentionally falsifying an application for an ATV, UTV, or snowmobile registration.

Under current law, many penalties for violations of natural resource statutes include forfeitures. This bill increases many of those forfeiture amounts.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

- 1 **SECTION 1.** 20.370 (9) (hv) of the statutes is amended to read:
2 20.370 (9) (hv) *Fee amounts for statewide automated issuing system.* All
3 moneys received from the deductions made under s. ss. 23.47 (3) (e) and 29.024 (6)

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1 (ag) to be used for payments to a person contracted under s. ss. 23.47 (3) (c) and
2 29.024 (6) (a) 4. as required by the contract.

3 **SECTION 2.** 20.370 (9) (hw) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 20.370 (9) (hw) *Utility terrain vehicle fees.* All moneys received by the
5 department as provided under s. 23.33 (2) (om) for issuing and renewing utility
6 terrain vehicle registration ~~documentation~~ documents by the department under s.
7 23.33 (2) (i).

8 **SECTION 3.** 23.33 (1) (jc) of the statutes is created to read:

9 23.33 (1) (jc) "Proof," when used in reference to evidence of a registration
10 document, safety certificate, trail pass, or temporary trail use receipt, means the
11 original registration document, safety certificate, trail pass, or temporary trail use
12 receipt issued by the department or an agent appointed under sub. (2) (i) 3. or (2j)
13 (f) 1. or any alternative form of proof designated by rule under s. 23.47 (1).

14 **SECTION 4.** 23.33 (1) (jn) of the statutes is amended to read:

15 23.33 (1) (jn) "Registration ~~documentation~~ document" means an all-terrain
16 vehicle or utility terrain vehicle registration certificate, a ~~validated registration~~
17 temporary operating receipt, or a registration decal.

18 **SECTION 5.** 23.33 (1) (o) of the statutes is renumbered 23.33 (1) (jr) and amended
19 to read:

20 23.33 (1) (jr) "~~Validated registration~~ Temporary operating receipt" means a
21 receipt issued by the department or an agent under sub. (2) (ig) 1. a. that shows that
22 an application and the required fees for a registration certificate have been
23 submitted to the department or an agent appointed under sub. (2) (i) 3.

24 **SECTION 6.** 23.33 (1m) (a) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 23.33 (1m) (a) 2. “Public all-terrain vehicle corridor” has the meaning given
2 in sub. (2j) (a) 1.

3 **SECTION 7.** 23.33 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 23.33 (2) (a) *Requirement.* Except as provided in sub. (2k), no person may
5 operate and no owner may give permission for the operation of an all-terrain vehicle
6 or utility terrain vehicle within this state unless the all-terrain vehicle or utility
7 terrain vehicle is registered for public use or for private use under this subsection or
8 sub. (2g), is exempt from registration, or is operated with a reflectorized plate or a
9 sign to which a registration decal is attached in the manner and containing
10 registration decals specified under par. (dm) 3. Except as provided in sub. (2k), no
11 person may operate and no owner may give permission for the operation of an
12 all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain vehicle on an all-terrain vehicle route or an
13 all-terrain vehicle trail unless the all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain vehicle is
14 registered for public use under this subsection or sub. (2g).

15 **SECTION 8.** 23.33 (2) (dg) of the statutes is created to read:

16 23.33 (2) (dg) *Display of registration.* 1. The operator of an all-terrain vehicle
17 or utility terrain vehicle shall have in his or her possession at all times while
18 operating the vehicle proof of the registration certificate or, for an all-terrain vehicle
19 or utility terrain vehicle the owner of which has received a temporary operating
20 receipt but has not yet received the registration certificate, proof of the temporary
21 operating receipt. The operator of an all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain vehicle
22 shall display this proof upon demand for inspection by a law enforcement officer.

23 2. A person may operate an all-terrain vehicle or a utility terrain vehicle
24 without having the plate or sign attached as required under par. (c) 2. if the owner

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1 or operator has proof of a temporary operating receipt and if the operator of the
2 all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain vehicle complies with subd. 1.

3 3. This paragraph does not apply to any all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain
4 vehicle to which a plate or sign is attached as required under sub. (2) (dm) 3.

5 **SECTION 9.** 23.33 (2) (dm) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

6 23.33 (2) (dm) 3. A person who is required to obtain a commercial all-terrain
7 vehicle and utility terrain vehicle certificate under subd. 1. shall attach in a clearly
8 visible place a reflectorized plate issued by the department under s. 23.33 (2) (dm)
9 2., 2009 stats., or a similar plate or sign that is removable and temporarily but firmly
10 mounted to any all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain vehicle that the person leases,
11 rents, offers for sale, or otherwise allows to be used whenever the all-terrain vehicle
12 or utility terrain vehicle is being operated. A registration decal issued by the
13 department under subd. 2. shall be affixed attached to the plate or sign specified
14 under this subdivision.

15 **SECTION 10.** 23.33 (2) (dm) 4. of the statutes is amended to read:

16 23.33 (2) (dm) 4. Paragraphs (i), (ig), and (ir) do not apply to commercial
17 all-terrain vehicle and utility terrain vehicle certificates or registration decals
18 issued under subd. 2.

19 **SECTION 11.** 23.33 (2) (i) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

20 23.33 (2) (i) *Registration and reprints; issuers.* (intro.) For the issuance of
21 original or duplicate registration documentation documents, for the issuance of
22 reprints under s. 23.47 (3), and for the transfer or renewal of registration
23 documentation documents, the department may do any of the following:

24 **SECTION 12.** 23.33 (2) (i) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 23.33 (2) (i) 1. Directly issue, transfer, or renew the registration ~~documentation~~
2 documents with or without using the service specified in par. (ig) 1. and directly issue
3 reprints.

4 **SECTION 13.** 23.33 (2) (i) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

5 23.33 (2) (i) 3. Appoint persons who are not employees of the department as
6 agents of the department to issue, transfer, or renew the registration ~~documentation~~
7 documents using either or both of the services specified in par. (ig) 1. and to issue
8 reprints.

9 **SECTION 14.** 23.33 (2) (ig) 1. (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

10 23.33 (2) (ig) 1. (intro.) For the issuance of original or duplicate registration
11 ~~documentation documents~~ and for the transfer or renewal of registration
12 ~~documentation documents~~, the department may shall implement either or both of
13 the following procedures to be provided by the department and any agents appointed
14 under par. (i) 3.:

15 **SECTION 15.** 23.33 (2) (ig) 1. a. of the statutes is amended to read:

16 23.33 (2) (ig) 1. a. A procedure under which the department or an agent
17 appointed under par. (i) 3. accepts applications for registration ~~documentation~~
18 ~~documents~~ and ~~issue a validated registration receipt~~ temporary operating receipts
19 at the time ~~the applicant submits the application~~ applicants submit applications
20 accompanied by the required fees.

21 **SECTION 16.** 23.33 (2) (ig) 1. b. of the statutes is amended to read:

22 23.33 (2) (ig) 1. b. A procedure under which the department or agent ~~may accept~~
23 appointed under par. (i) 3. accepts applications for registration ~~documentation~~
24 documents and ~~issue~~ issues to each applicant all or some of ~~the items~~ of the

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1 registration ~~documentation~~ documents at the time the applicant submits the
2 application accompanied by the required fees.

3 **SECTION 17.** 23.33 (2) (ig) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

4 23.33 (2) (ig) 2. Under either procedure under subd. 1., the department or agent
5 shall issue to the applicant ~~shall receive any remaining items of registration~~
6 ~~documentation~~ documents directly from the department at a later date. The items
7 of Any registration documentation document issued at the time of the ~~submittal of~~
8 ~~the application under either procedure shall be~~ under subd. 1. b. is sufficient to allow
9 the vehicle for which the application is submitted to be operated in compliance with
10 the registration requirements under this subsection. ~~The items of registration~~
11 ~~documentation issued under subd. 1. b. shall include at least one registration decal.~~

12 **SECTION 18.** 23.33 (2) (im) of the statutes is created to read:

13 23.33 (2) (im) *Registration; duplicates.* If an all-terrain vehicle or utility
14 terrain vehicle registration certificate or a registration decal is lost or destroyed, the
15 person to whom it was issued may apply to the department for, and the department
16 may issue to the person, a duplicate.

17 **SECTION 19.** 23.33 (2) (ir) (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

18 23.33 (2) (ir) (title) *Registration; supplemental fees fee.*

19 **SECTION 20.** 23.33 (2) (ir) 1. of the statutes, as affected by 2011 Wisconsin Act
20 208, is renumbered 23.33 (2) (ir) and amended to read:

21 23.33 (2) (ir) In addition to the applicable fee under par. (c), (d), or (e), each
22 agent appointed under par. (i) 3. who accepts an application to issue, renew, or
23 transfer registration ~~documentation~~ documents in person and issues a validated
24 registration receipt under par. (ig) 1. a. shall collect ~~a service~~ an issuing fee of \$3 50
25 cents and a transaction fee of 50 cents each time the agent issues the renewal

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1 registration documents receipt under par. (ig) 1. a. or b. The agent shall retain the
2 entire amount of each service issuing fee and transaction fee the agent collects.

3 **SECTION 21.** 23.33 (2h) of the statutes is created to read:

4 23.33 (2h) ALTERATIONS AND FALSIFICATIONS PROHIBITED. (a) No person may
5 intentionally do any of the following:

6 1. Make a false statement on an application for a registration issued under sub.
7 (2) or (2g).

8 2. Alter, remove, or change any number or other character in an engine serial
9 number.

10 3. Alter, remove, or change any number or other character in a vehicle
11 identification number.

12 (b) No person may do any of the following:

13 1. Manufacture a vehicle identification number tag that the person knows to
14 contain false information to be placed on an all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain
15 vehicle that is manufactured on or after the effective date of this subdivision [LRB
16 inserts date].

17 2. Place a vehicle identification number tag that the person knows to be false
18 on an all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain vehicle.

19 **SECTION 22.** 23.33 (2j) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 23.33 (2j) (a) (intro.)
20 and amended to read:

21 23.33 (2j) (a) (intro.) In this subsection, “~~public~~”

22 1. “Public all-terrain vehicle corridor” means an all-terrain vehicle trail or
23 other established all-terrain vehicle corridor that is open to the public but does not
24 include an all-terrain vehicle route.

25 **SECTION 23.** 23.33 (2j) (a) 2. of the statutes is created to read:

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1 23.33 (2j) (a) 2. “Temporary trail use receipt” means a receipt issued by the
2 department or an agent under this subsection that shows that an application and the
3 required fees for a nonresident trail pass have been submitted to the department or
4 an agent appointed under sub. (2j) (f) 1.

5 **SECTION 24.** 23.33 (2j) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

6 23.33 (2j) (b) Except as provided in par. (e) and sub. (2k), no person may operate
7 an all-terrain vehicle or a utility terrain vehicle on a public all-terrain vehicle
8 corridor in this state unless a nonresident trail pass issued under this subsection is
9 permanently affixed in a highly visible location on the forward half of the vehicle or
10 the person is carrying proof of a valid temporary trail use receipt.

11 **SECTION 25.** 23.33 (2j) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

12 23.33 (2j) (e) An all-terrain vehicle or a utility terrain vehicle that is registered
13 under sub. (2) (a) or an all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain vehicle that is exempt
14 from registration under sub. (2) (b) 1., 3., 3m., or 4. is exempt from having a
15 nonresident trail pass or temporary trail use receipt displayed as required under par.
16 (b). The department may promulgate a rule to exempt all-terrain vehicles and
17 utility terrain vehicles that are exempt from registration under sub. (2) (b) 5. from
18 having nonresident trail passes or temporary trail use receipts displayed as required
19 under par. (b) or may promulgate a rule to exempt owners of such vehicles from
20 having to pay any applicable nonresident trail pass fee.

21 **SECTION 26.** 23.33 (2j) (f) of the statutes is amended to read:

22 23.33 (2j) (f) 1. The department may appoint any person who is not an employee
23 of the department as the department’s agent to issue ~~nonresident trail passes~~
24 temporary trail use receipts and collect the fees for these passes.

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1 2. Any person, including the department, who issues a nonresident trail pass
2 or a temporary trail use receipt shall collect in addition to the fee under par. (c) an
3 issuing fee of 75 cents. An agent appointed under subd. 1. may retain 50 cents of the
4 issuing fee to compensate the agent for the agent's services in issuing the pass
5 temporary trail use receipt.

6 3. The department shall establish, by rule, procedures for issuing nonresident
7 trail passes and temporary trail use receipts, and the department may promulgate
8 rules regulating the activities of persons who are appointed to be agents under this
9 paragraph.

10 **SECTION 27.** 23.33 (5) (b) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

11 23.33 (5) (b) 2. Any person who is required to hold an all-terrain vehicle or
12 utility terrain vehicle safety certificate while operating an all-terrain vehicle or
13 utility terrain vehicle shall carry ~~the certificate on the all-terrain vehicle or utility~~
14 ~~terrain vehicle~~ proof that the person holds a valid safety certificate and shall display
15 ~~the certificate~~ this proof to a law enforcement officer on request. ~~Persons enrolled~~
16 ~~in a safety certification program approved by the department may operate an~~
17 ~~all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain vehicle in an area designated by the instructor.~~

18 **SECTION 28.** 23.33 (5) (b) 3. of the statutes is created to read:

19 23.33 (5) (b) 3. Persons enrolled in a safety certification program approved by
20 the department may operate an all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain vehicle in an
21 area designated by the instructor.

22 **SECTION 29.** 23.45 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

23 23.45 (1) (c) "Personal identifier" means a name, social security number,
24 telephone number, street address, post-office box number ~~or~~ 9-digit extended zip
25 code, or electronic mail address.

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1 **SECTION 30.** 23.45 (1) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

2 23.45 (1) (d) “Registration” means any registration ~~documentation~~ document,
3 as defined in s. 23.33 (1) (jn) or s. 350.01 (10t), or any certification or registration
4 ~~documentation~~ document, as defined in s. 30.50 (3b), that is issued by the
5 department or its agents.

6 **SECTION 31.** 23.47 of the statutes is created to read:

7 **23.47 Forms of proof; electronic retrieval of information; reprints. (1)**

8 FORMS OF PROOF. The department may designate, by rule, forms of acceptable proof
9 of the following items and the locations at and times during which those forms of
10 proof are valid:

11 (a) A registration document, safety certificate, trail pass, or temporary trail use
12 receipt under s. 23.33.

13 (b) An approval under ch. 29.

14 (c) A certification or registration document or safety certificate under subch.
15 V of ch. 30.

16 (d) A registration document, safety certificate, trail use sticker, or temporary
17 trail use receipt under ch. 350.

18 **(2) ELECTRONIC RETRIEVAL OF INFORMATION.** If the department maintains a
19 system under which the department stores information in an electronic format that
20 relates to individuals who have been issued approvals under ch. 29 or safety
21 certificates under s. 23.33, 30.74, or 350.055, the department may issue a
22 conservation card to any individual who applies for the card for purposes of enabling
23 the department to access information about that individual in the system. The
24 department may authorize an individual to carry a conservation card or another

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1 form of identification, determined by the department, in lieu of carrying proof under
2 sub. (1).

3 (3) REPRINTS. (a) *Reprints of approvals and safety certificates.* The department
4 may maintain a system under which an individual may obtain a reprint of certain
5 approvals under ch. 29 and safety certificates under s. 23.33 and chs. 29, 30, and 350.

6 The department shall designate, by rule, all of the following:

7 1. Who may produce a reprint for approvals and safety certificates.

8 2. For which approvals and safety certificates a reprint may be produced.

9 3. The manner in which a reprint of an approval or safety certificate may be
10 produced.

11 (b) *Reprints; fees.* 1. No fee may be charged for a reprint produced by a
12 customer.

13 2. Except as provided under ss. 29.555, 29.563 (14) (c) 1., and 29.566 (1m), no
14 fee may be charged for a reprint of an approval under ch. 29.

15 3. The department may and an agent appointed under s. 23.33 (2) (i) 3., 30.52
16 (1m) (a) 3., or 350.12 (3h) (a) 3. shall collect a reprint fee of \$1.25 and an issuing fee
17 of 75 cents for each reprint issued of a safety certificate under s. 23.33 or ch. 30 or
18 350. An agent appointed under s. 23.33 (2) (i) 3., 30.52 (1m) (a) 3., or 350.12 (3h) (a)
19 3. may retain 50 cents of each issuing fee for each document reprinted to compensate
20 for services in issuing the reprint.

21 (c) *Reprints; issuance.* If the department contracts with persons to operate a
22 statewide automated system for issuing approvals under ch. 29, the department may
23 also issue reprints of approvals and safety certificates through that system.

24 (d) *Safety certificate reprints; transaction fee.* The department shall establish
25 a system under which the department pays each agent appointed under s. 23.33 (2)

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1 (i) 3., 30.52 (1m) (a) 3., or 350.12 (3h) (a) 3. a payment of 50 cents for each time that
2 the agent processes a transaction through the statewide automated system under
3 par. (c). This payment is in addition to any issuing fee, processing fee, or handling
4 fee retained by the agent. The department shall make these payments by allowing
5 the agent to retain an amount equal to the payments from the amounts that are
6 collected by the agent and that would otherwise be remitted to the department.

7 (e) *Safety certificate reprints; deduction.* Under a contract under par. (c), the
8 department may deduct a portion of each fee collected for a reprint issued pursuant
9 to the statewide automated system. The department shall credit all of the amounts
10 deducted to the appropriation account under s. 20.370 (9) (hv).

11 (4) **EMERGENCY RULE.** Using the procedure under s. 227.24, the department may
12 promulgate emergency rules related to forms of proof, the electronic retrieval of
13 information, the issuance of conservation cards, and the issuance of reprints under
14 this section. Notwithstanding s. 227.24 (1) (a) and (3), the department is not required
15 to provide evidence that promulgating a rule under this subsection as an emergency
16 rule is necessary for the preservation of public peace, health, safety, or welfare and
17 is not required to provide a finding of emergency for a rule promulgated under this
18 subsection. Notwithstanding s. 227.24 (1) (c) and (2), an emergency rule
19 promulgated under this subsection remains in effect until whichever of the following
20 occurs first:

21 (a) The first day of the 25th month beginning after the effective date of the
22 emergency rule.

23 (b) The effective date of the repeal of the emergency rule.

24 (c) The date on which any corresponding permanent rule takes effect.

25 **SECTION 32.** 23.58 of the statutes is renumbered 23.58 (1).

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1 **SECTION 33.** 23.58 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

2 23.58 (2) An enforcing officer has reasonable suspicion to perform a stop under
3 sub. (1) if an all-terrain vehicle, utility terrain vehicle, boat, or snowmobile does not
4 visibly display a registration plate or decal under s. 23.33 (2), a nonresident trail pass
5 under s. 23.33 (2j), a registration or certification decal under s. 30.523 (2), or a
6 registration decal or trail use sticker under s. 350.12 (5).

7 **SECTION 34.** 23.59 of the statutes is amended to read:

8 **23.59 Search during temporary questioning.** When an enforcing officer
9 has stopped a person for temporary questioning pursuant to s. 23.58 (1) and
10 reasonably suspects that he or she or another is in danger of physical injury, the
11 officer may search such person for weapons or any instrument or article or substance
12 readily capable of causing physical injury and of a sort not ordinarily carried in public
13 places by law abiding persons. If the officer finds such a weapon or instrument, or
14 any other property possession of which he or she reasonably believes may constitute
15 the commission of a violation of those statutes enumerated in s. 23.50 (1) or which
16 may constitute a threat to his or her safety, the officer may take it and keep it until
17 the completion of the questioning, at which time he or she shall either return it, if
18 lawfully possessed, or arrest the person so questioned for possession of the weapon,
19 instrument, article or substance, if he or she has the authority to do so, or detain the
20 person until a proper arrest can be made by appropriate authorities. Searches
21 during temporary questioning as provided under this section shall only be conducted
22 by those enforcing officers who have the authority to make arrests for crimes.

23 **SECTION 35.** 23.90 (6) of the statutes is created to read:

24 23.90 (6) If an offense results from the violation of a requirement to possess an
25 approval issued under ch. 29, a prohibition against breaking, removing, interfering

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1 with, altering, forging, or misrepresenting an approval or proof of an approval issued
2 under ch. 29, or a prohibition under ch. 29 against counterfeit approvals or
3 illegally-obtained approvals, the defendant may be tried in the county where the
4 offense was committed or Dane County.

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5 **SECTION 36.** 29.001 (12) of the statutes is amended to read:

6 29.001 (12) "Approval" means any type of approval, privilege, or authorization
7 issued or conferred by the department under this chapter including any license,
8 permit, certificate, card, stamp, preference point, or tag ~~unless the context requires~~
9 ~~a different meaning.~~ "Approval" does not include a conservation card issued under
10 s. 23.47 (2).

11 **SECTION 37.** 29.001 (65) of the statutes is created to read:

12 29.001 (65) "Proof," when used in reference to evidence of an approval, means
13 the original approval document issued by the department or an agent appointed
14 under s. 29.024 (6) (a) or any alternative form of proof designated by rule under s.
15 23.47 (1).

16 **SECTION 38.** 29.024 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 29.024 (1) APPROVALS REQUIRED. Except as specifically provided in this chapter,
18 ch. 169, or s. 95.55 (5), no person may hunt or trap in this state, fish in the waters
19 of this state or engage in any of the activities regulated under this chapter unless the
20 appropriate approval is issued to the person. A person shall carry proof of the
21 required approval with him or her at all times while hunting, trapping, or fishing or
22 engaged in regulated activities unless otherwise required by this chapter or unless
23 otherwise authorized or required by the department. A person shall exhibit ~~the~~
24 ~~approval~~ this proof to the department or its wardens on demand.

25 **SECTION 39.** 29.024 (6) (ag) of the statutes is amended to read:

1 29.024 (6) (ag) Under a contract issued under par. (a) 4., the department may
2 deduct a portion of each fee collected for a license issued pursuant to the statewide
3 automated system and a portion of each reprint fee or issuing fee collected for a
4 reprint issued pursuant to the statewide automated system. The department shall
5 credit all of the amounts deducted to the appropriation account under s. 20.370 (9)
6 (hv).

7 **SECTION 40.** 29.024 (6) (am) of the statutes is repealed.

8 **SECTION 41.** 29.024 (6) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

9 29.024 (6) (b) The clerk of each county appointed under par. (a) 2. ~~or (am) 2.~~ may
10 accept the appointment.

11 **SECTION 42.** 29.024 (6) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

12 29.024 (6) (d) The department may promulgate rules regulating the activities
13 of persons appointed under ~~pars. par. (a) 2., 3., and 4. and (am) 2. and 3.~~

14 **SECTION 43.** 29.024 (7) of the statutes is amended to read:

15 29.024 (7) **DUPLICATES.** If any license, permit, certificate, or card is lost, the
16 person to whom the license, permit, certificate, or card was issued may apply to the
17 department for a duplicate by submitting an affidavit proving loss. The department
18 may accept information in a form other than an affidavit. The department shall
19 make an inquiry and investigation as it considers necessary. If the department is
20 satisfied that the loss has been proven, the department may issue a duplicate license,
21 permit, certificate, or card to the applicant. Back tags and other tags issued with a
22 license, permit, certificate, or card are parts of the license, permit, certificate, or card
23 and loss of any part is considered to be loss of the entire license, permit, certificate,
24 or card. Upon applying for a duplicate license, permit, certificate, or card, the
25 original is no longer valid and the applicant shall surrender all parts of the original

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1 remaining in his or her possession to the department. No person may possess any
2 original license, permit, certificate, or card for which a duplicate has been issued.

3 No duplicate stamp may be issued and, if a stamp is lost, the person to whom it was
4 issued is required to apply for and pay the regular fee in order to receive a new stamp.

5 **SECTION 44.** 29.171 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

6 29.171 (3) (a) Except as provided under par. (b), the department shall issue to
7 each person who is issued a resident archer hunting license a deer carcass tag and
8 a back tag.

9 **SECTION 45.** 29.171 (3) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

10 29.171 (3) (b) The department may not issue a deer carcass tag or back tag to
11 a person who is issued a resident archer hunting license at the reduced fee under s.
12 29.563 (2g).

13 **SECTION 46.** 29.172 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

14 29.172 (3) (a) Except as provided under par. (b), the department shall issue to
15 each person who is issued a resident crossbow hunting license a deer carcass tag and
16 a back tag.

17 (b) The department may not issue a deer carcass tag or back tag to a person who
18 is issued a resident crossbow hunting license at the reduced fee under s. 29.563 (2g).

19 **SECTION 47.** 29.173 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

20 29.173 (3) **DEER CARCASS TAG AND BACK TAG.** The department shall issue to each
21 person who is issued a resident deer hunting license a deer carcass tag and a back
22 tag.

23 **SECTION 48.** 29.179 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

24 29.179 (3) (a) If the holder of an approval is ~~a resident and the holder~~ applies
25 to transfer the approval ~~to a nonresident~~ and if there is a fee for the issuance of the

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1 approval, the holder transferee shall pay, at the time of application, any difference
2 between the fee for issuing the approval to a resident and the fee for the approval to
3 a nonresident the fee for the approval.

4 **SECTION 49.** 29.184 (8) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

5 29.184 (8) (a) The department shall issue a bear carcass tag to each person who
6 is issued a Class A bear license. Except as provided under par. (b) and s. 29.349 (2),
7 a person who kills a bear shall immediately validate ~~and attach~~ the carcass tag to
8 ~~the bear.~~ No person may possess, control, store, or transport a bear carcass
9 unless the carcass tag shall be attached and has been validated according to rules
10 promulgated in the manner required by the department.

11 **SECTION 50.** 29.184 (8) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

12 29.184 (8) (b) A person who kills a bear under sub. (3) (br) 4. shall ensure that
13 the person for whom the bear is killed ~~attaches a current validated~~ validates the bear
14 carcass tag in the manner ~~provided under par. (a)~~ required by the department.

15 **SECTION 51.** 29.185 (4) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

16 29.185 (4) (b) If the holder of the wolf harvesting license is ~~a resident and the~~
17 ~~holder~~ applies to transfer the license to a nonresident, the holder transferee shall
18 pay, at the time of application, any difference between the fee for issuing the license
19 ~~to a resident and the fee for issuing the license to a nonresident~~ the fee for the license.

20 **SECTION 52.** 29.185 (7) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

21 29.185 (7) (a) The department shall issue one wolf carcass tag to each person
22 who is issued a wolf harvesting license under sub. (3). Each holder of a wolf
23 harvesting license who kills a wolf shall immediately validate ~~and attach~~ the carcass
24 tag ~~to the wolf.~~ No person may possess, control, store, or transport a wolf carcass
25 unless it is tagged as required under this paragraph. ~~The carcass tag shall be~~

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1 ~~attached and the carcass tag has been~~ validated in the manner required by the
2 department. A person who kills a wolf shall register the carcass with the department
3 on a telephone registration system or through an electronic notification system
4 established by the department, except as provided in par. (am). ~~The carcass tag may~~
5 ~~not be removed before registration. The removal of a carcass tag from a wolf before~~
6 ~~registration results in the wolf being untagged.~~

7 **SECTION 53.** 29.192 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 29.192 (2) (a) Requiring hunters to validate a carcass tag in the manner
9 required by the department for each sharp-tailed grouse killed with a tag issued by
10 the department.

11 **SECTION 54.** 29.211 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

12 29.211 (3) DEER CARCASS TAG AND BACK TAG. The department shall issue to each
13 person who is issued a nonresident deer hunting license ~~a deer tag and a back tag~~
14 and the appropriate number of deer carcass tags.

15 **SECTION 55.** 29.216 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

16 29.216 (3) DEER CARCASS TAG AND BACK TAG. (a) Except as provided in par. (b),
17 the department shall issue to each person who is issued a nonresident archer
18 hunting license ~~a deer tag and a back tag and the appropriate number of deer carcass~~
19 tags.

20 (b) The department may not issue a deer carcass tag or back tag to a person who
21 is issued a nonresident archer hunting license if the department issues the
22 nonresident archer hunting license at the reduced fee under s. 29.563 (2g).

23 **SECTION 56.** 29.217 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 29.217 (3) DEER CARCASS TAG AND BACK TAG. (a) The department shall issue to
2 each person who is issued a nonresident crossbow hunting license a deer carcass tag
3 and a back tag.

4 (b) The department may not issue a deer carcass tag or back tag to a person who
5 is issued a nonresident crossbow hunting license at the reduced fee under s. 29.563
6 (2g).

7 **SECTION 57.** 29.2285 (3) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 29.2285 (3) (b) *Issuance*. The department shall issue sturgeon hook and line
9 tags to each person holding or applying for a fishing license or a sports license if the
10 person intends to possess a lake sturgeon taken by hook and line in the waters of the
11 state. Each sturgeon hook and line tag shall contain a unique number that is linked
12 to the fishing license being issued.

13 **SECTION 58.** 29.2285 (3) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

14 29.2285 (3) (c) *Tagging requirement*. Any person having taken a lake sturgeon
15 by means of a hook and line shall immediately ~~attach a current, validated~~ validate
16 the sturgeon hook and line tag issued to that person to the tail of the sturgeon. No
17 person may possess, control, store, or transport a lake sturgeon carcass unless it is
18 tagged as a hook and line tag has been validated in the manner required under this
19 paragraph by the department.

20 **SECTION 59.** 29.231 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

21 29.231 (4) The department shall issue to each person who is issued a sports
22 license a ~~deer tag and back tag~~ and the appropriate number of deer carcass tags.

23 **SECTION 60.** 29.235 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 29.235 (4) DEER CARCASS TAG AND BACK TAG. The department shall issue to each
2 person who is issued a conservation patron license a ~~deer tag and back tag~~ and the
3 appropriate number of deer carcass tags.

4 **SECTION 61.** 29.236 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

5 29.236 (2) An annual disabled veteran recreation card entitles the holder to
6 exercise all of the combined rights and privileges conferred by a resident small game
7 hunting license and a resident fishing license, subject to all duties, conditions,
8 limitations, and restrictions of the licenses. A person may operate any motor vehicle,
9 except a motor bus, as defined in s. 340.01 (31), subject to the admission
10 requirements under s. 27.01 (7) in any vehicle admission area under s. 27.01 (7)
11 without having an admission receipt affixed to the vehicle or otherwise displayed
12 and without paying a fee if the vehicle has as an occupant a card holder who can
13 ~~present~~ exhibit the card upon demand in the vehicle admission area. The card
14 permits a card holder to enter Heritage Hill state park or a state trail without paying
15 an admission fee.

16 **SECTION 62.** 29.237 (1) (intro.) and (a) (intro.) of the statutes are consolidated,
17 renumbered 29.237 (1b) (intro.) and amended to read:

18 29.237 (1b) (intro.) In this section: ~~(a)~~, “Lake Winnebago and upper Fox and
19 Wolf rivers system” means Buttes des Morts Lake, Winneconne Lake, Poygan Lake,
20 Winnebago Lake, and all of the following:

21 **SECTION 63.** 29.237 (1) (a) 1. to 5. of the statutes are renumbered 29.237 (1b)
22 (a) to (e).

23 **SECTION 64.** 29.237 (1) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

24 **SECTION 65.** 29.237 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

1 29.237 (2) ~~The Each sturgeon spearing license issued under this section shall~~
2 be accompanied by sturgeon carcass tags in the quantity to correspond with the
3 season bag limit for spearing lake sturgeon established by the department. ~~The~~
4 ~~serial numbers of these tags shall be entered on the license by the person issuing the~~
5 ~~license or by the department.~~ Each carcass tag shall contain a unique number that
6 is assigned to the sturgeon spearing license being issued.

7 **SECTION 66.** 29.237 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 29.237 (3) A sturgeon spearing license authorizes the spearing of lake sturgeon
9 subject to any limit imposed under s. 29.192 (3) and only during the open season for
10 spearing these sturgeon established by the department. No person may fish for
11 sturgeon by means of a spear unless the person is issued a sturgeon spearing license.
12 The Proof of the sturgeon spearing license shall be carried on the person of the
13 licensee at all times while fishing for sturgeon by means of a spear.

14 **SECTION 67.** 29.237 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

15 29.237 (4) Any person having taken a lake sturgeon by means of a spear shall
16 immediately ~~attach a current, validated~~ validate the sturgeon carcass tag issued to
17 that person ~~to the tail of the sturgeon.~~ No person may possess, control, store, or
18 transport a lake sturgeon carcass unless ~~it is tagged as a sturgeon carcass tag has~~
19 been validated in the manner required under this section by the department.

20 **SECTION 68.** 29.301 (3) of the statutes is repealed.

21 **SECTION 69.** 29.324 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

22 29.324 (3) A person who kills a deer under sub. (2) shall ensure that a member
23 of his or her group deer hunting party without delay ~~attaches a current validated~~
24 validates a deer carcass tag to the deer in the manner specified under s. 29.347 (2).

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1 ~~The person who kills the deer may not leave the deer unattended until after it is~~
2 ~~tagged.~~

3 **SECTION 70.** 29.347 (1) of the statutes is repealed.

4 **SECTION 71.** 29.347 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

5 29.347 (2) DEER OR ELK CARCASS TAGS. Except as provided under ss. 29.324 (3)
6 and 29.349 (2), any person who kills a deer shall immediately ~~attach to the ear or~~
7 ~~antler of the deer a current validated~~ validate a deer carcass tag ~~which that~~ is
8 authorized for ~~use on~~ the type of deer killed. Any person who kills an elk shall
9 immediately ~~attach to the ear or antler of the elk a current validated~~ validate an elk
10 carcass tag. Except as provided under sub. (2m) or s. 29.89 (6), no person may
11 possess, control, store, ~~or transport, transfer, or dispose of~~ a deer carcass unless it is
12 ~~tagged as a deer carcass tag has been validated in the manner~~ required under this
13 ~~subsection by the department.~~ Except as provided under sub. (2m), no person may
14 possess, control, store, ~~or transport, transfer, or dispose of~~ an elk carcass unless it is
15 ~~tagged as an elk carcass tag has been validated in the manner~~ required under this
16 ~~subsection by the department.~~ A person who kills a deer or an elk shall register the
17 deer or elk in the manner required by the department. ~~A No person who kills a deer~~
18 ~~or an elk shall~~ may possess, control, store, ~~or transport the, transfer, or dispose of a~~
19 deer or elk carcass unless in compliance with rules promulgated by the department
20 under s. 29.063 (3). ~~The carcass tag may not be removed before registration. The~~
21 ~~removal of a carcass tag from a deer or an elk before registration renders the deer~~
22 ~~or elk untagged.~~

23 **SECTION 72.** 29.347 (2m) (a) of the statutes, as affected by 2015 Wisconsin Act
24 55, is amended to read:

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1 29.347 (2m) (a) ~~A~~ The person who killed or obtained an animal shall ensure
2 that the validated carcass tag attached under sub. (2) and a registration tag attached
3 or confirmation number issued by the department may be removed from a gutted
4 carcass at accompany the carcass until the time of butchering, but the. After
5 butchering, the person who killed or obtained the animal shall retain all tags and the
6 confirmation number until the meat is consumed.

7 **SECTION 73.** 29.347 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 29.347 (3) (a) Except as provided in ~~par. (b) and~~ sub. (6), the control or
9 possession of the head or skin of any deer or elk lawfully killed, when severed from
10 the rest of the carcass, are not subject to this chapter.

11 **SECTION 74.** 29.347 (3) (b) of the statutes, as affected by 2015 Wisconsin Act 55,
12 is repealed.

13 **SECTION 75.** 29.361 (2) of the statutes is repealed.

14 **SECTION 76.** 29.501 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:

15 29.501 (6) Each resident fur dealer, Class A; resident fur dealer, Class B; fur
16 dresser or dyer; itinerant fur dealer or fur auctioneer license shall bear upon its face
17 the date of issuance. The license shall be ~~shown~~ exhibited to the department upon
18 request.

19 **SECTION 77.** 29.506 (1) of the statutes is renumbered 29.506 (1) (intro.) and
20 amended to read:

21 29.506 (1) ~~DEFINITION~~ DEFINITIONS. (intro.) In this section, ~~“taxidermist”~~:

22 (b) “Taxidermist” means a person who mounts or preserves the carcass of any
23 wild animal for consideration.

24 **SECTION 78.** 29.506 (1) (am) of the statutes is created to read:

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1 29.506 (1) (am) “Identification numbers” include numbers that appear on
2 identification tags under sub. (5) (b), registration numbers, and carcass tag numbers.

3 **SECTION 79.** 29.506 (5) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 29.506 (5) (a) *Commingling.* No person may commingle, store, possess or
5 transport carcasses of wild animals received in connection with his or her business
6 with carcasses of wild animals received for any other purpose. This paragraph does
7 not require separate refrigeration units for carcasses of wild animals received in
8 connection with a person’s business, if properly identified and recorded under ~~par.~~
9 pars. (b) and (c), and carcasses of wild animals received for any other purpose.

10 **SECTION 80.** 29.506 (5) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

11 29.506 (5) (b) *Carcass identification; owner information.* A person who receives
12 the carcass of any wild animal in connection with his or her business as a taxidermist
13 shall attach an identification tag to the carcass and record information concerning
14 the owner of the carcass. The identification tag shall remain with the carcass while
15 it is in the possession or under the control of the taxidermist. Each identification tag
16 shall have an identification number ~~which~~ that corresponds with the information
17 record ~~of prepared by or for the owner of the carcass as specified under par. (c).~~

18 (c) Owner information. The information record ~~of prepared by or for the owner~~
19 shall include the owner’s name, address, and signature,; a description of the carcass
20 ~~and; the date on which~~ the carcass is received by the taxidermist. ~~This paragraph~~
21 ~~does; and all identification numbers that are related to the carcass.~~

22 (d) Salvage and spare parts. Paragraphs (b) and (c) do not apply to salvage or
23 spare parts of any carcass owned by a taxidermist that are used for repair or
24 replacement purposes.

25 **SECTION 81.** 29.506 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 29.506 (6) RECORDS. A taxidermist shall maintain records on sales forms, in
2 triplicate, as required by the department. These records shall include information
3 records of prepared by or for the owner as required under sub. (5) ~~(b)~~ (c), records of
4 all other wild animal carcasses received in his or her place of business and records
5 of deliveries and shipments of wild animal carcasses. Records related to the effective
6 period of a taxidermist permit shall be maintained for 2 years following the end of
7 that effective period. This subsection does not apply to salvage or spare parts of any
8 carcass owned by a taxidermist that are used for repair or replacement purposes.

9 **SECTION 82.** 29.506 (7) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

10 29.506 (7) (b) *Items subject to inspection.* All records required under subs. (5)
11 (b) and (c) and (6) or related to the taxidermist's business are subject to departmental
12 inspection as provided under par. (a). A taxidermist or an employee or agent of the
13 taxidermist shall cooperate with and exhibit items subject to inspection to a warden
14 or any other agent of the department.

15 **SECTION 83.** 29.506 (7m) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

16 29.506 (7m) (d) For the species of fish specified in par. (b), a holder of a
17 taxidermy school permit issued under this subsection shall comply with the tagging
18 and information requirements under sub. (5) (b) and (c) and the recording
19 requirements under sub. (6) and shall allow inspections as authorized under sub. (7).

20 **SECTION 84.** 29.555 of the statutes is created to read:

21 **29.555 Reprint fee.** The department may and an agent appointed under s.
22 29.024 (6) (a) 2. or 3. who issues a reprint of an approval shall collect a fee for the
23 reprint.

24 **SECTION 85.** 29.559 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

1 29.559 (1) (a) Any person, including the department, who issues any license or
2 stamp under this chapter or a conservation card under s. 23.47 (2) shall collect, in
3 addition to the statutory license ~~or~~, stamp, or conservation card fee, an issuing fee
4 for each license ~~and~~, each stamp, and each conservation card the person issued.
5 Except as provided in ~~par.~~ pars. (b), and (bm), a person appointed under s. 29.024 (6)
6 (a) 2., 3., or 4. may retain 50 cents of each issuing fee for each license and for each
7 reprint and 15 cents ~~for~~ of each issuing fee ~~of~~ for each stamp to compensate for
8 services in issuing the license or stamp.

9 **SECTION 86.** 29.559 (1) (bm) of the statutes is created to read:

10 29.559 (1) (bm) A person appointed under s. 29.024 (6) (a) 2., 3., or 4. may retain
11 15 cents of each issuing fee for each conservation card.

12 **SECTION 87.** 29.561 of the statutes is repealed.

13 **SECTION 88.** 29.563 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

14 29.563 (1) **GENERAL.** Unless specifically provided otherwise in this chapter, a
15 person ~~who applies for an approval~~ shall pay the applicable fees specified in subs. (2)
16 to (14).

17 **SECTION 89.** 29.563 (11) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

18 29.563 (11) **MISCELLANEOUS PERMITS AND FEES.** (intro.) The fees for other
19 ~~approvals~~ permits, programs, and cards are as follows:

20 **SECTION 90.** 29.563 (11) (c) of the statutes is created to read:

21 29.563 (11) (c) *Conservation card.* Conservation card: \$3.25.

22 **SECTION 91.** 29.563 (12) (a) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

23 29.563 (12) (a) 2. Archer, crossbow, sports, or conservation patron, except as
24 provided in subd. 2m: \$14.25 if deer carcass tags are included; \$11.25 after open
25 season and deer carcass tags are not included.

1 **SECTION 92.** 29.563 (14) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

2 29.563 (14) PROCESSING, HANDLING, RESERVATION AND ISSUING FEES. (intro.) The
3 fees for processing, handling, reserving, and issuing approvals fees are as follows:

4 **SECTION 93.** 29.563 (14) (bn) of the statutes is repealed.

5 **SECTION 94.** 29.563 (14) (c) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

6 29.563 (14) (c) 1. Each license issued under subs. (2) to (10), (12), and (12m) and
7 each reprint of an approval issued by the department or an agent: 75 cents.

8 **SECTION 95.** 29.563 (14) (c) 5. of the statutes is repealed.

9 **SECTION 96.** 29.563 (14) (c) 8. of the statutes is created to read:

10 29.563 (14) (c) 8. Each conservation card: 25 cents.

11 **SECTION 97.** 29.563 (14) (d) of the statutes is created to read:

12 29.563 (14) (d) *Reprint fee.* The reprint fee as authorized under s. 29.555: \$1.25.

13 **SECTION 98.** 29.569 (3) (bm) 3. of the statutes is created to read:

14 29.569 (3) (bm) 3. A person selected to receive a sturgeon spearing permit
15 under s. 29.192 (4) (b).

16 **SECTION 99.** 29.569 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 29.569 (5) ~~DUPLICATES REPRINTS; DUPLICATES.~~ A reprint or duplicate of an
18 approval is valid from the date of issuance until the expiration of the original
19 approval.

20 **SECTION 100.** 29.624 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

21 29.624 (1) A senior citizen recreation card entitles the holder to exercise all of
22 the combined rights and privileges conferred by a resident small game hunting
23 license, a wild turkey hunting license, a wild turkey hunting stamp and a resident
24 fishing license, subject to all duties, conditions, limitations, and restrictions of the
25 licenses and stamp. A person may operate any motor vehicle, except a motor bus, as

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1 defined in s. 340.01 (31), subject to the admission requirements under s. 27.01 (7) in
2 any vehicle admission area under s. 27.01 (7) without having an admission receipt
3 affixed to the vehicle or otherwise displayed and without paying a fee if the vehicle
4 has as an occupant a card holder who can present exhibit the card upon demand in
5 the vehicle admission area. The card permits a card holder to enter Heritage Hill
6 state park or a state trail without paying an admission fee.

7 **SECTION 101.** 29.957 of the statutes is amended to read:

8 **29.957 Breaking seals of department.** ~~Any person who breaks, removes or~~
9 ~~interferes~~ No person may break, remove, or interfere with any seal or tag attached
10 ~~to any animal, carcass or object issued by the department, or who interferes. No~~
11 ~~person may interfere~~ with any animal, carcass, or object with a seal or tag attached,
12 ~~or who counterfeits a seal or tag, attached or unattached, or for which a tag has been~~
13 ~~validated. Any person who violates this section shall be fined~~ forfeit not less than
14 \$250 and not more than \$500 or imprisoned for not more than 90 days or both \$2,000.

15 This section applies to seals and tags required by the department under this chapter
16 or ch. 169.

17 **SECTION 102.** 29.961 (1) (intro.) of the statutes is renumbered 29.961 (1) (b) and
18 amended to read:

19 29.961 (1) (b) ~~Any~~ No person who provides may provide incorrect information
20 ~~and thereby obtains~~ in order to obtain an approval issued under this chapter to which
21 the person is not entitled;.

22 **SECTION 103.** 29.961 (1) (a) of the statutes is repealed.

23 **SECTION 104.** 29.961 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

24 29.961 (1) (c) ~~Shall~~ Any person who violates par. (b) shall forfeit not more than
25 \$200 and shall pay a natural resources restitution surcharge equal to the amount of

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1 the statutory fee for the approval ~~which~~ that was required and should have been
2 obtained.

3 **SECTION 105.** 29.961 (2) of the statutes is renumbered 29.961 (2) (a) (intro.) and
4 amended to read:

5 29.961 (2) (a) (intro.) ~~Any No person who fails to keep~~ may do any of the
6 following:

7 1. Fail to keep records as required under this chapter, ~~fails.~~

8 2. Fail to keep accurate records under this chapter, ~~or provides.~~

9 3. Provide incorrect information to the department under this chapter, ~~other~~
10 ~~than information to obtain an approval as provided under sub. (1), shall forfeit not~~
11 ~~more than \$100.~~

12 **SECTION 106.** 29.961 (2) (b) of the statutes is created to read:

13 29.961 (2) (b) Any person who violates par. (a) shall forfeit not less than \$100
14 and not more than \$1,000.

15 **SECTION 107.** 29.964 (title) of the statutes is repealed and recreated to read:

16 **29.964 (title) Falsification or illegal possession of approvals.**

17 **SECTION 108.** 29.964 (intro.) of the statutes is renumbered 29.964 (1m) (a) and
18 amended to read:

19 29.964 (1m) (a) ~~Any No person who changes or alters,~~ may alter an approval
20 or proof of an approval in any manner, or enters other than the correct date of
21 issuance on any approval; or falsely represent that the person holds an approval.

22 **SECTION 109.** 29.964 (1) of the statutes is repealed.

23 **SECTION 110.** 29.964 (1m) (title) of the statutes is created to read:

24 29.964 (1m) (title) ALTERATION OF APPROVALS.

25 **SECTION 111.** 29.964 (2m) of the statutes is created to read:

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1 29.964 **(2m)** FORGERY. (a) No person may forge another person's signature to
2 obtain an approval or on an approval.

3 (b) Any person who violates par. (a) shall forfeit not less than \$100 and not more
4 than \$1,000.

5 **SECTION 112.** 29.964 (3) of the statutes is renumbered 29.964 (1m) (b) and
6 amended to read:

7 29.964 **(1m)** (b) ~~Shall~~ Any person who violates par. (a) shall forfeit not less than
8 \$100 and not more than \$1,000 and shall pay a natural resources restitution
9 surcharge equal to the statutory fee for the approval ~~which~~ that was required and
10 should have been obtained.

11 **SECTION 113.** 29.964 (3m) of the statutes is created to read:

12 29.964 **(3m)** COUNTERFEIT AND ILLEGALLY OBTAINED APPROVALS. (a) For purposes
13 of this subsection, "counterfeit" means produced without the consent or
14 authorization of the department.

15 (b) No person may possess, buy, exhibit, use, transfer, sell, or offer for transfer
16 or sale an approval or proof of an approval if any of the following apply:

- 17 1. The person knows that the approval or proof is counterfeit.
18 2. The person has illegally or erroneously obtained the approval or proof.
19 3. The approval has been suspended or revoked.

20 (c) Any person who violates par. (b) shall forfeit not less than \$250 and not more
21 than \$2,000 and shall pay a natural resources restitution surcharge equal to the
22 amount of the statutory fee for the approval that was required and that should have
23 been obtained.

24 **SECTION 114.** 29.967 (1) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 29.967 (1) (intro.) Any person who has had an approval or a privilege under this
2 chapter revoked or suspended by a court and who engages in the activity authorized
3 by the approval or in the privilege during the period of revocation or suspension is
4 subject to the following penalties, in addition to any other penalty imposed for failure
5 to have an approval:

6 **SECTION 115.** 29.971 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

7 29.971 (2) (a) By a forfeiture of not more than \$100 \$1,000; and

8 **SECTION 116.** 29.971 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

9 29.971 (4) For any violation of this chapter or any department order for which
10 no other penalty is prescribed, by a forfeiture of not more than \$100 \$1,000.

11 **SECTION 117.** 29.971 (9) of the statutes is amended to read:

12 29.971 (9) For the violation of any statute or any department rule or order
13 relating to the registration of any wild animal, by a forfeiture of not more than \$100
14 \$1,000.

15 **SECTION 118.** 29.971 (9m) of the statutes is amended to read:

16 29.971 (9m) For the improper use or validation of any carcass tag, by a
17 forfeiture of not more than \$500 \$1,000.

18 **SECTION 119.** 29.971 (11g) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

19 29.971 (11g) (a) For hunting elk without a valid elk hunting license, for
20 possessing an elk that does not have an a validated elk carcass tag attached, for
21 possessing an elk during the closed season, by a fine of not less than \$1,000 nor more
22 than \$15,000 or by imprisonment for not more than 6 months or both for the first
23 violation, or by a fine of not more than \$20,000 or imprisonment for not more than
24 one year or both for any subsequent violation. In addition, the court shall revoke all
25 hunting and trapping approvals issued to the person under this chapter and shall

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1 prohibit the issuance of any new hunting and trapping approvals under this chapter
2 to the person for 5 years.

3 **SECTION 120.** 29.971 (11g) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 29.971 (11g) (b) Except as provided under par. (a), for the violation of any
5 provision of this chapter or rules promulgated under this chapter relating to elk
6 hunting or to the violation validation of an elk carcass tag or registration of an elk,
7 by a forfeiture of not more than \$5,000.

8 **SECTION 121.** 29.971 (11m) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

9 29.971 (11m) (a) For shooting, shooting at, killing, taking, catching, or
10 possessing a bear without a valid Class A bear license, or for possessing a bear ~~which~~
11 that does not have a validated carcass tag ~~attached~~ or possessing a bear during the
12 closed season, by a fine of not less than \$1,000 nor more than \$2,000 or by
13 imprisonment for not more than 6 months or both for the first violation, or by a fine
14 of not more than \$10,000 or imprisonment for not more than 9 months or both for any
15 subsequent violation, and, in addition, the court shall revoke all hunting approvals
16 issued to the person under this chapter and shall prohibit the issuance of any new
17 hunting approval under this chapter to the person for 3 years. This paragraph does
18 not apply to a person who shoots at or kills a bear as authorized under s. 29.184 (3)
19 (br) 4.

20 **SECTION 122.** 29.971 (12) of the statutes is amended to read:

21 29.971 (12) In addition to any other penalty for violation of this chapter or any
22 department order made under this chapter, the court may revoke ~~or suspend~~ any or
23 all ~~privileges and~~ approvals granted under this chapter for a period of up to 3 years.
24 If a person is convicted of reckless or highly negligent conduct in the operation or
25 handling of a firearm or bow and arrow in violation of s. 940.08, 940.24 or 941.20 and

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1 either death or bodily harm to another results from that violation, the court shall
2 revoke every approval issued to that person under this chapter and shall provide a
3 fixed period during which no new approval may be issued to the person. If no death
4 or bodily harm to another results from the violation, the court may revoke any
5 approval issued to that person under this chapter and may provide a fixed period
6 during which no new approval may be issued to the person.

7 **SECTION 123.** 30.50 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 30.50 (3) “Certificate of number” means the ~~certificate of number certificate,~~
9 certificate of number card, certification decal, and identification number issued by
10 the department under the federally approved numbering system unless the context
11 clearly indicates otherwise.

12 **SECTION 124.** 30.50 (3b) of the statutes is amended to read:

13 30.50 (3b) “Certification or registration ~~documentation document~~” means a
14 ~~certificate of number certificate,~~ certificate of number card, certification decal,
15 registration certificate, registration card, temporary operating receipt, or
16 registration decal.

17 **SECTION 125.** 30.50 (9f) of the statutes is created to read:

18 30.50 (9f) “Proof,” when used in reference to evidence of a certification or
19 registration document or safety certificate, means the original certification or
20 registration document or safety certificate issued by the department or an agent
21 appointed under s. 30.52 (1m) (a) 3. or any alternative form of proof designated by
22 rule under s. 23.47 (1).

23 **SECTION 126.** 30.50 (13d) of the statutes is created to read:

24 30.50 (13d) “Temporary operating receipt” means a receipt issued by the
25 department or an agent under s. 30.52 (1m) (ag) 1. a. that shows that an application

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1 and the required fees for a certificate of number or registration have been submitted
2 to the department or an agent appointed under s. 30.52 (1m) (a) 3.

3 **SECTION 127.** 30.52 (1m) (a) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 30.52 (1m) (a) *Issuers.* (intro.) For the issuance of original or duplicate
5 certification or registration ~~documentation~~ documents, for the issuance of reprints
6 under s. 23.47, and for the transfer or renewal of certification or registration
7 ~~documentation~~ documents, the department may do any of the following:

8 **SECTION 128.** 30.52 (1m) (a) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

9 30.52 (1m) (a) 1. Directly issue, transfer, or renew ~~the~~ certification or
10 registration ~~documentation~~ documents with or without using the expedited service
11 under par. (ag) 1. and directly issue reprints.

12 **SECTION 129.** 30.52 (1m) (a) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

13 30.52 (1m) (a) 3. Appoint persons who are not employees of the department as
14 agents of the department to issue, transfer, or renew ~~the~~ certification or registration
15 ~~documentation~~ documents using the service under par. (ag) 1. and to issue reprints.

16 **SECTION 130.** 30.52 (1m) (ag) 1. of the statutes is renumbered 30.52 (1m) (ag)
17 1. (intro.) and amended to read:

18 30.52 (1m) (ag) 1. (intro.) For the issuance of original or duplicate certification
19 or registration ~~documentation~~ documents and for the transfer or renewal of
20 certification or registration ~~documentation~~ documents, the department ~~may~~ shall
21 ~~implement~~ –a– either or both of the following procedures to be provided by the
22 department and any agents appointed under par. (a) 3.:

23 b. A procedure under which the department or an agent appointed under par.
24 (a) 3. accepts applications for certification or registration ~~documentation~~ documents
25 and issues to each applicant all or some of the items of the certification or registration

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1 ~~documentation documents~~ at the time the applicant submits the application
2 accompanied by the required fees.

3 **SECTION 131.** 30.52 (1m) (ag) 1. a. of the statutes is created to read:

4 30.52 (1m) (ag) 1. a. A procedure under which the department or an agent
5 appointed under par. (a) 3. accepts applications for certification or registration
6 documents and issues temporary operating receipts at the time applicants submit
7 applications accompanied by the required fees.

8 **SECTION 132.** 30.52 (1m) (ag) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

9 30.52 (1m) (ag) 2. Under ~~the either~~ procedure under subd. 1., the applicant
10 shall ~~receive be issued~~ any remaining ~~items~~ of certification or registration
11 ~~documentation documents~~ directly from the department at a later date. ~~The items~~
12 of Any certification or registration documentation document issued at the time of the
13 ~~submittal of the application under subd. 1. b.~~ shall be sufficient to allow the boat for
14 which the application is submitted to be operated in compliance with the registration
15 requirements under this section and ss. 30.51 and 30.523.

16 **SECTION 133.** 30.52 (1m) (ar) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 30.52 (1m) (ar) *Supplemental fees.* In addition to the applicable fee under sub.
18 (3), ~~the department or the each~~ agent appointed under par. (a) 3. who accepts an
19 application to renew certification or registration documents in person shall collect
20 an ~~expedited service issuing~~ fee of \$5 50 cents and a transaction fee of 50 cents each
21 time ~~the expedited service under par. (ag) is provided~~ the agent issues renewal
22 certification or registration documents or a renewal temporary operating receipt
23 under par. (ag) 1. or 2. The agent shall ~~remit to the department \$1 of each expedited~~
24 service retain the entire amount of each issuance and transaction fee the agent
25 collects.