

**2017 DRAFTING REQUEST**

**Bill**

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**Pre Topic:**

No specific pre topic given

**Topic:**

DNR rules relating to lights on bicycles on trails

**Instructions:**

NR 45.05(3)(f) of the administrative code is created to read: During hours of darkness (defined 340.01 (23)) bicyclists and operators of motor bicycles shall operate with a lamp emitting a white light visible from a distance of at least 500 feet from the front of the bicycle or motor bicycle and with a lamp emitting a steady or flashing red light visible from a distance of at least 500 feet from the rear of the bicycle or motor bicycle while operating on trails listed in s. 51.73(1), Wis. Admin. Code.

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## 2017 BILL

1 **AN ACT relating to:** modifying rules related to lighting requirements for bicycles  
2 and motor bicycles operating on certain trails designated by the Department of  
3 Natural Resources.

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

This bill makes a change to rules promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources relating to the operation of vehicles on DNR properties. Under the bill, no person may operate a bicycle or motor bicycle during hours of darkness on certain state trails designated by DNR unless the person or the bicycle or motor bicycle is equipped with a lamp emitting a white light visible from a distance of at least 500 feet to the front and a lamp emitting a red light visible from a distance of 500 feet to the rear.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** NR 45.05 (3) (fm) of the administrative code is created to read:  
5 NR 45.05 (3) (fm) *Lighting requirements.* No person may operate a bicycle or  
6 motor bicycle during hours of darkness as defined in s. 340.01 (23), Stats., on a trail  
7 designated under s. NR 51.73 (1) unless the person or the bicycle or motor bicycle is

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1 equipped with a lamp emitting a white light visible from a distance of at least 500  
2 feet to the front of the person or the bicycle or motor bicycle and a lamp emitting a  
3 steady or flashing red light visible from a distance of 500 feet to the rear of the person  
4 or the bicycle or motor bicycle.

5 (END)

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Thank you!  
-Evan