AN ACT to create 227.111 of the statutes; relating to: the rule-making authority of certain agencies.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

The bill prohibits a commission or board, including a credentialing board, that has not taken any action with respect to the promulgation of a rule in ten years or more from taking any such action in the future unless a subsequent law specifically authorizes it to do so.

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

SECTION 1. 227.111 of the statutes is created to read:

227.111 Rule-making authority of certain agencies. (1) In this section, “restricted agency” means an affiliated credentialing board, as defined in s. 15.01 (1g), a board, as defined in s. 15.01 (1r), a commission, as defined in s. 15.01 (2), or an examining board, as defined in s. 15.01 (7), that has not taken any action under this subchapter with respect to the promulgation of a rule in 10 years or more.
(2) Notwithstanding ss. 227.10 and 227.11 and any other provision authorizing or requiring a restricted agency to promulgate rules, a restricted agency may not take any action with respect to the promulgation of a rule unless a subsequent law specifically authorizes such action.

(END)