



State of Wisconsin
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2025 SENATE BILL 883

January 23, 2026 - Introduced by Senator JACQUE, cosponsored by Representatives KREIBICH, ARMSTRONG, KAUFERT, KNODL, MURPHY, O'CONNOR, PENTERMAN, WICHGERS, BEHNKE and DUCHOW. Referred to Committee on Government Operations, Labor and Economic Development.

1 **AN ACT to create** 103.66 (1) (c) of the statutes; **relating to:** allowing
2 employment of minors in the operation of a pizza-dough roller.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law allows the Department of Workforce Development to set minimum ages for hazardous employment for minors. Under that authority, DWD has, by rule, prohibited all minors from being employed in certain duties related to the operation of power-driven bakery machines. This bill requires DWD to allow minors 16 years of age or older to operate a pizza-dough roller in the course of employment if certain safety standards are met and the minor does not set up, adjust, repair, oil, or clean the pizza-dough roller.

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:

3 **SECTION 1.** 103.66 (1) (c) of the statutes is created to read:
4 103.66 (1) (c) Permit the employment of a minor 16 years of age or over to

SENATE BILL 883**SECTION 1**

1 operate a pizza-dough roller in the course of employment if the safeguards described
2 in 29 CFR 570.62 (b) (2) are met and the following conditions apply:

3 1. The design of the pizza-dough roller prevents fingers, hands, and clothing
4 from being caught in the pizza-dough rollers.

5 2. The gears of the pizza-dough roller are completely enclosed.

6 3. The machine has microswitches that disengage the machinery if the backs
7 or sides of the pizza-dough rollers are removed.

8 4. All safeguards described in subds. 1. to 3. are present on the machine and
9 operational and have not been overridden.

10 5. The minor does not set up, adjust, repair, oil, or clean the pizza-dough
11 roller.

12 (END)