



State of Wisconsin
Jim Doyle, Governor

Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection
Rod Nilsestuen, Secretary

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TO: Wisconsin Legislative Council
Rules Clearinghouse
1 East Main Street, Room 401
Madison, WI 53702

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SUBJECT: **Price Gouging During an Emergency; Hearing Draft Rule**

The Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection is referring the above rule for Rules Clearinghouse review, pursuant to s. 227.15, Stats. The Board of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection has approved this rule for public hearing, but the department will not hold any hearing until the Rules Clearinghouse completes its review. The proposed rule, plain language analysis, including small business analysis, and a fiscal estimate are attached.

If you have any questions, you may contact Kevin LeRoy, Division of Trade and Consumer Protection at (608)224-4928.

Enclosures

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