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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Carroll D. Besadny, Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources and custodian of the official records of said Department, do hereby certify that the annexed copy of Natural Resources Board Order No. G-2-85 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on June 4, 1985. I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this Department and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Department at General Executive Facility #2 in the City of Madison, this 10th day of July, 1985.

Carroll D. Besadny
Carroll D. Besadny, Secretary

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ORDER OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD
AMENDING AND CREATING RULES

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 IN THE MATTER of amending s. NR 10.01 :
 (3)(g), Wisconsin Administrative Code, : G-2-85
 pertaining to black bear hunting :
 regulations. :

Analysis Prepared by Department of Natural Resources

The black bear harvest has exceeded biological capabilities in recent years. To restore the bear population to a fall, prehunt level of 5,500, the annual bear kill must be limited to 500 or less for the next 3 or 4 years. Because the agency lacks Legislative authority to establish harvest quotas or limit hunter participation and a limited (2-day) season may produce kill levels in excess of 500, a closed season is the only reasonable alternative.

Pursuant to the authority vested in the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board by ss. 29.085, 29.174(1) and 227.014(2)(a), Stats., the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board hereby amends rules interpreting s. 29.174(1), Stats., as follows:

SECTION 1. NR 10.01(3)(g) is amended to read:

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
<u>(g) Bear</u>		
1. 'Firearm season - In all counties of the state	Beginning on the 3rd Saturday in September and continuing for 16 consecutive days <u>None</u>	<u>None</u>
2. 'Bow and arrow season' - In all counties of the state	Beginning on the 3rd Saturday in September and continuing through the Sunday immediately prior to the opening of the gun deer season <u>None</u>	<u>One adult bear per season with bow and arrow or firearm</u> <u>None</u>

The foregoing rules were adopted by the Natural Resources Board on June 4, 1985.

The rules contained herein shall take effect as provided in s. 227.026(1)(intro.), Stats.

Dated in Madison Wisconsin

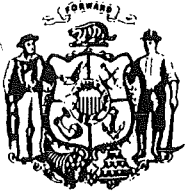
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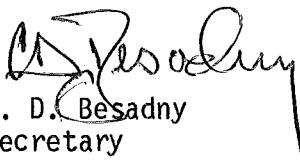
Mr. Orlan L. Prestegard
Revisor of Statutes
411 West
C A P I T O L

Dear Mr. Prestegard:

Enclosed are two copies, including one certified copy, of State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board Order No. G-2-85. These rules were reviewed by the Assembly Committee on Tourism, Recreation and Forest Productivity and the Senate Committee on Energy and Environmental Resources pursuant to s. 227.018, Stats. Summaries of the final regulatory flexibility analysis and comments of the legislative review committees is also enclosed.

You will note that this order takes effect following publication. Kindly publish it in the Administrative Code accordingly.

Sincerely,


C. D. Besadny
Secretary

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