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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Bruce B. Braun, Deputy 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. PR-4-87 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on August 27, 1987. 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 here-
unto set my hand and affixed the
official seal of the Department at
the Natural Resources Building
the City of Madison, this 20th
day of October, 1987.

Bruce B. Braun
Bruce B. Braun, Deputy Secretary

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ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD
REPEALING, RENUMBERING, RENUMBERING AND AMENDING,
AMENDING, REPEALING AND RECREATING, AND CREATING RULES

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IN THE MATTER OF REPEALING ss. NR 45.10(4) .
(b)3.g., 45.11(7)(i), 45.12(1)(b)2.e. and 6.m., .
and (1)(f)1.; renumbering s. NR 45.11(4)(r); .
renumbering and amending NR 45.11(4)(f); amending .
ss. NR 45.04(2)(a)(intro.), (2)(c), 45.06(1), .
45.09(4) and (5)(intro.), 45.10(1)(a), (2)(b), .
(2)(d), (2)(e), (3)(a)(intro.), (3)(a)4. and . PR-4-87
(4)(a)2., 45.12(1)(b)5.d. and 6.e., (2)(b), .
(2)(c)1., (2)(d)3.a. to f., (2)(d)4.a. to d., .
(2)(e)3., (2)(e)5., (3)(c)1. to 4. and .
45.13(17)(o); repealing and recreating .
NR 45.12(2)(a)1. to 3. and (2)(d)1. and 2.; .
and creating NR 45.04(3)(k), 45.10(4)(b)4.k. to .
m., 45.12(1)(c)24. and (d)34., (2)(a)4., .
(2)(d)3.g., (2)(e)1.c., and (2)(e)2.q. and r. .
pertaining to state park and forest fee increases .
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Analysis Prepared by the Department of Natural Resources

The rules are promulgated under the authority of ss. 23.09(2), 27.01(2)(j), (10) and (11), and 227.11(2)(a) and (d), Stats., and interpret ss. 23.09(2) and 27.01(2)(i), (7), (10) and (11) Stats.

The proposed rule changes to Chapter NR 45 consist primarily of fee increases for indoor and outdoor group camping, and the trail fee for bicycles. The proposal would also establish a three type camping fee structure, ban pets at the Paradise Springs area in the southern unit Kettle Moraine state forest and at Havenwoods, waive closing hours for special events, restrict deer hunting in state parks when hunting is by permit to the permittee only, prohibits target shooting on state trails (abandoned railroad grades), extends the family reservation period, adds Bong, Amnicon Falls, Rocky Arbor and Newport to the family camping reservation system, adds Interstate and Perrot state parks to the outdoor group camping section, adds two cross-country ski trails in the Flambeau River state forest to the vehicle sticker requirement, and includes the McMiller Sports Center and shelters at Buckhorn and Lake Kegonsa under the reservation requirement.

SECTION 1. NR 45.04(2)(a)(intro.) is amended:

NR 45.04(2)(a)(intro.) No person may enter or be within the boundaries of any state park, forest campground, picnic area, beach, headquarter sites,

amphitheatre, ice age center, Olympic ice rink, posted parking area, or the Bong state recreation area or Point Beach state forest between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and the following 6:00 a.m. except:

SECTION 2. NR 45.04(2)(c) is amended:

NR 45.04(2)(c) This section does not apply to those projects or parts of projects where the department has posted other opening and closing hours or where the department has waived these hours and established different hours for special events and programs.

SECTION 3. NR 45.04(3)(k) is created:

NR 45.04(3)(k) Ski trails. No person may hike or snowshoe on designated cross-country ski trails when the trails are snow covered.

SECTION 4. NR 45.06(1) is amended:

NR 45.06(1) No person may allow a dog, cat or other pet in any building or on any bathing beach, picnic area, playground or, fish hatchery ground, or Paradise Springs area southern unit Kettle Moraine state forest. Dogs, cats and other pets shall be kept on a leash not more than 8 feet long and under control at all times in all other state park areas, headquarters areas, ranger stations, campgrounds, on posted trails in state forests and the intensive use zone within the Bong state recreation area. No person may allow his or her dog, cat or other pet to interfere in any manner with the enjoyment of the area by others.

SECTION 5. NR 45.09(4) is amended:

NR 45.09(4) Nothing in this section shall prohibit the hunting of deer as provided in s. 29.57(4), Stats., in accordance with the open seasons established by s. NR 10.27, except that for those projects listed in s. NR 10.27(1) and (2) hunting is limited to persons holding a permit for the project issued pursuant to s. 29.107, Stats.

SECTION 6. NR 45.09(5)(intro.) is amended:

NR 45.09(5)(intro.) No person may possess any loaded or uncased firearm or air gun while within the exterior boundary of state-owned lands posted with department signs in Dane, Dodge, Fond du Lac, Jefferson, Kenosha, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Sheboygan, Walworth, Washington and Waukesha counties or on state forest lands in the Kettle Moraine or Point Beach state forests ~~or on~~, the Bong recreation area or on state trails established on abandoned railroad grades, except as follows:

SECTION 7. NR 45.10(1)(a) is amended:

NR 45.10(1)(a) Camping is prohibited except in designated camping areas. No person may camp in designated camping areas without a permit and the payment of the prescribed fees, except when traveling by watercraft and camping for one night only at designated canoe campsites in the American Legion, Black River, Brule River, Flambeau River and Northern Highland state forests and on designated state-owned islands outside state forest boundaries. Camping at designated canoe campsites is restricted to persons and their equipment arriving by watercraft only.

SECTION 8. NR 45.10(2)(b) is amended:

NR 45.10(2)(b) No person may camp and no camping unit shall remain for a period greater than 21 days in any 4-week period in the property of registration from ~~June 1~~ May 1 to Labor Day. After 21 days the camping unit and camping party shall be removed from the property for at least 7 days before being eligible to return except in the Northern Highland, American Legion, Flambeau River, Brule River, Black River and Governor Knowles state forests where this subsection applies only to the campground of registration.

SECTION 9. NR 45.10(2)(d) is amended:

NR 45.10(2)(d) No person may park any motor vehicle outside the parking area designated at each campsite. No person may park more than 2 motor vehicles in the parking area of any campsite, except that as many as 5 motorcycles are permitted for members of a camping party registered as an unorganized group. When a motor home, as defined in s. 340.01 (33m), Stats., is the camping unit, 2 other motor vehicles may be parked in the parking area designated at each campsite.

SECTION 10. NR 45.10(2)(e) is amended:

NR 45.10(2)(e) During the period from May ~~25~~ 1 through Labor Day a campsite shall be occupied by a camping unit on the first night of the permit period and no campsite may be left unoccupied by the camping party for more than 48 hours.

SECTION 11. NR 45.10(3)(a)(intro.) is amended:

NR 45.10(3)(a)(intro.) The department may grant reservations for campsites at family campgrounds at the Bong state recreation area, Amnicon Falls, Big Bay, Big Foot Beach, Blue Mound, Copper Falls, Council Grounds, Devil's Lake, Governor Dodge, Hartman Creek, High Cliff, Interstate, Lake Wissota, Merrick, Mirror Lake, Nelson Dewey, Newport, Pattison, Peninsula, Perrot, Potawatomi, Rib Mountain, Rock Island, Rocky Arbor, Terry Andrae, Wildcat Mountain, Willow River, Wyalusing and Yellowstone Lake state parks and Point Beach, northern and southern units of the Kettle Moraine state forest and Clear Lake campground in the American Legion state forest and Crystal - Muskie and Firefly campgrounds in the Northern Highland state forest. Reservations for campsites at family campgrounds may be granted under the following conditions:

SECTION 12. NR 45.10(3)(a)4. is amended:

NR 45.10(3)(a)4. Reservations shall may be accepted beginning the first working day after January 1 for the period ~~commencing~~ beginning May 1 and ~~terminating~~ terminating September-30. ~~Reservations for Peninsula state park shall be accepted through~~ the last weekend of October each year.

SECTION 13. NR 45.10(4)(a)2. is amended:

NR 45.10(4)(a)2. Reservation applications for indoor group camp ~~facilities at Devil's Lake, Wyalusing and Big Bay state parks and the northern unit Kettle Moraine state forest~~ shall arrive at the park or forest office no more than one year in advance of the date the camp is to be occupied.

SECTION 14. NR 45.10(4)(b)3.g. is repealed.

SECTION 15. NR 45.10(4)(b)4.k. to m. are created:

NR 45.10(4)(b)4.k. Devil's Lake state park

l. Interstate state park

m. Perrot state park

SECTION 16. NR 45.11(4)(f) is renumbered s. NR 45.11(6)(cm) and as renumbered is amended to read:

NR 45.11(6)(cm) All waters in Browntown-public-hunting-grounds the Browntown-Cadiz Springs recreation area, Green county.

SECTION 17. NR 45.11(4)(r) is renumbered 45.11(6)(f).

SECTION 18. NR 45.11(7)(i) is repealed.

SECTION 19. NR 45.12(1)(b)2.e. is repealed.

SECTION 20. NR 45.12(1)(b)5.d. and 6.e are amended:

NR 45.12(1)(b)5.d. New Prospect horsemen's-campground bridle trail camp area

6.e. Horsemen's Palmyra bridle trail camp area

SECTION 21. NR 45.12(1)(b)6.m. is repealed.

SECTION 22. NR 45.12(1)(c)24. and (d)34. are created:

NR 45.12(1)(c)24. Oxbow and Flambeau Hills cross-country ski trails -
Flambeau River state forest (April 1 through November 30)

(d)34. The following areas in the Flambeau River state forest:

- a. Oxbow cross-country ski trail
- b. Flambeau Hills cross-country ski trail

SECTION 23. NR 45.12(1)(f)1. is repealed.

SECTION 24. NR 45.12(2)(a)1. to 3. are repealed and recreated:

NR 45.12(2)(a) 1. Type "A" campgrounds

- a. Devil's Lake
- b. Governor Dodge
- c. Hartman Creek
- d. Mirror Lake
- e. Newport
- f. Peninsula
- g. Terry Andrae
- h. Willow River

2. Type "B" campgrounds

- a. Council Grounds
- b. High Cliff
- c. Interstate
- d. Lake Wissota
- e. Merrick

- f. Pattison
- g. Perrot
- h. Pike Lake
- i. Potawatomi
- j. Rocky Arbor
- k. Wyalusing
- l. Yellowstone Lake
- m. Long Lake and Mauthe Lake - northern unit Kettle Moraine state forest
- n. Ottawa Lake - southern unit Kettle Moraine state forest
- o. Point Beach state forest
- p. Bong state recreation area

3. Type "C" campgrounds are all other family campgrounds not listed in subds. 1. and 2. and backpacking campsites in the Kettle Moraine, American Legion and Northern Highland state forests and Copper Falls state park except for those campgrounds listed in subd. 4.

SECTION 25. NR 45.12(2)(a)4. is created:

NR 45.12(2)(a)4. Kinnickinnic sand delta - overnight boat mooring \$6.00 per boat per day.

SECTION 26. NR 45.12(2)(b) is amended:

NR 45.12(2)(b) When flush toilet facilities are closed for the winter season, camping fees in-type-"A"-campgrounds will be at the type "B" "C" rate.

SECTION 27. NR 45.12(2)(c)1. is amended:

NR 45.12(2)(c) 1. Electricity ~~\$1.50~~ \$1.75 per unit per day

SECTION 28. NR 45.12(2)(d)1. and 2. are repealed and recreated:

NR 45.12(2)(d) 1. Outdoor group camping

- a. Juvenile (under 18) \$.75 per person per day
- b. Adult (18 and over) \$ 2.00 per person per day
- c. Children (under 7) No fee
- d. Minimum per group per day \$ 10.00
- e. Maximum per group per day \$300.00

2. Mirror Lake - Blue Water Bay camp area

- a. Outdoor group camping - same as subd. 1.
- b. Family camping - \$6.00 per day per family

SECTION 29. NR 45.12(2)(d)3.a. to f. are amended.

NR 45.12(2)(d)3.a. Devil's Lake state park ~~\$1.00~~ \$2.00 per person per day ~~\$25.00~~ \$50.00 minimum per group per day

b. Point Beach state forest ~~\$.50~~ \$1.00 per person per day ~~\$10.00~~ \$20.00 minimum per group per day

c. Wyalusing group camp ~~\$3.00~~ \$4.00 per person per day ~~\$100~~ \$125.00 minimum per group per day

d. Big Bay group camp ~~\$.50~~ \$1.00 per person per day ~~\$10.00~~ \$20.00 minimum per group per day

e. Kettle Moraine state forest-northern unit group camp ~~\$3.00~~ \$4.00 per person per day ~~\$100~~ \$125.00 minimum per group per day

f. MacKenzie Environmental Center ~~\$3.00~~ \$4.00 per person per day, ~~\$50.00~~
\$75.00 minimum per group per day

SECTION 30. NR 45.12(2)(d)3.g. is created:

NR 45.12(2)(d)3.g. Black River state forest \$1.00 per person per day,
\$20.00 minimum per group per day.

SECTION 31. NR 45.12(2)(d)4.a. to d. are amended:

NR 45.12(2)(d)4.a. Devil's Lake North Shore Northern Lights campground
~~\$484.00~~ \$720.00 per group per day

b. Devil's Lake North Shore ~~Quartzite~~ Ice Age campground ~~\$400.00~~
\$1,164.00 per group per day

c. Governor Dodge Cox Hollow North campground ~~\$276.00~~ \$414.00 per group
per day

d. Governor Dodge Cox Hollow South campground ~~\$188.00~~ \$282.00 per group
per day

SECTION 32. NR 45.12(2)(e)1.c. is created:

NR 45.12(2)(e)1.c. McMiller Sports Center - southern unit Kettle
Moraine. The fee will be \$100.00 per group per day during the period when the
vehicle admission sticker is not required.

SECTION 33. NR 45.12(2)(e)2.q. and r. are created:

NR 45.12(2)(e)2.q. Buckhorn - north picnic shelter

r. Lake Kegonsa - upper picnic shelter

SECTION 34. NR 45.12(2)(e)3. is amended:

NR 45.12(2)(e)3. Picnic area, ~~\$30~~ \$50.00 per group per day.

SECTION 35. NR 45.12(2)(e)5. is amended:

NR 45.12(2)(e)5. Reservations for facilities under this paragraph may be made ~~beginning-the-first-working-day-after-January-1-each-year~~ no more than one year in advance of the date the facility is to be occupied.

SECTION 36. NR 45.12(3)(c)1. to 4. are amended:

NR 45.12(3)(c)1. Resident season fee ~~\$2.50~~ \$5.00

2. Resident daily fee ~~\$.75~~ \$1.50

3. Nonresident season fee ~~\$3.50~~ \$7.00

4. Nonresident daily fee ~~\$1.00~~ \$2.00

SECTION 37. NR 45.13(17)(o) is amended:

NR 45.13(17)(o) The possession or consumption of malt, fermented or alcoholic beverages is prohibited within the center during the hours the shooting range is open to the public. These hours are posted at the center.

SECTION 38. Terminology Changes. Wherever the term "Sportsmen" appears in the following sections of the code, the term "Sports" is substituted:

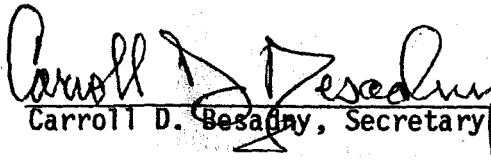
NR 45.12(1)(b)6.c., (c)3. and (4)(b), 45.13(17)(intro.).

The foregoing rules were approved and adopted by the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board on August 27, 1987.

The rules contained herein shall take effect as provided for in s.
227.22(2)(intro.), Stats.

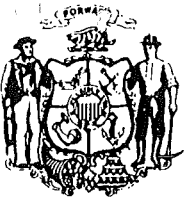
Dated at Madison, Wisconsin this 20th day of October, 1987.

STATE OF WISCONSIN
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By Carroll D. Besa, Secretary

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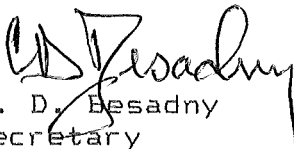
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Dear Mr. Prestegard:

Enclosed are two copies, including one certified copy, of State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board Order No. PR-4-87. These rules were reviewed by the Assembly Committee on Natural Resources and the Senate Committee on Transportation, Tourism and Conservation pursuant to s. 227.19, Stats. A summary 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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