

1989 Senate Bill 274

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# 1989 WISCONSIN ACT 213

AN ACT to amend 27.01 (7) (c) 2 of the statutes, relating to: vehicle admission stickers for state parks and recreation areas (suggested as remedial legislation by the department of natural resources).

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

LAW REVISION COMMITTEE PREFATORY NOTE: This bill is a remedial legislation proposal, requested by the department of natural resources and introduced by the law revision committee under s. 13.83 (1) (c) 4., stats. After careful consideration of the various provisions of this bill, the law revision committee has determined that this bill makes minor substantive changes in the statutes, and that these changes are desirable as a matter of public policy.

**SECTION 1.** 27.01 (7) (c) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

27.01 (7) (c) 2. Any vehicle ~~owned by the state, the United States or a local unit of government, or any~~ vehicle operated by employees, agents an employe, agent

or ~~officers~~ officer of the state, the United States or of a local unit of government while in the performance of ~~their~~ official duties;

NOTE: This bill authorizes the waiver of a vehicle admission sticker for entry by a government vehicle into a state park or recreation area only if the driver is on official duty. The present text of s. 27.01 (7) (c) 2. is ambiguous. The present section appears to allow entry for government-owned vehicles without an admission sticker whether or not the driver is entering on government business. However, the section permits privately owned vehicles to enter without an admission sticker only when the driver is entering on government business. The amendment clarifies that the admission sticker for state parks and recreational areas is waived for any privately owned or government-owned vehicle only if the driver is on government business.