

1989 Assembly Bill 363

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AN ACT to amend 343.05 (1) (b) and (c), 343.07 (1) (intro.) and 343.07 (4) (title), (a) and (b) (intro.); and to create 343.07 (4) (c) of the statutes, relating to: operation of mopeds, motor bicycles and Type 1 motorcycles and granting rule-making authority.

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

SECTION 1. 343.05 (1) (b) and (c) of the statutes are amended to read:

343.05 (1) (b) Except as provided in sub. (2), no person may operate a Type 1 motorcycle unless the person possesses a valid operator's license which has been specifically endorsed for motorcycle operation or an operator's license ~~restricted to~~ for operation of a Type 1 motorcycle.

(c) Except as provided in sub. (2), no person may operate a moped or motor bicycle unless the person possesses a valid operator's license ~~or, an operator's license for operation of a Type 1 motorcycle,~~ a special restricted operator's license issued under s. 343.135 or a restricted license issued under s. 343.08.

SECTION 2. 343.07 (1) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

343.07 (1) ISSUANCE, RESTRICTIONS. (intro.) Upon application therefor by a person at least 15 years and 6 months of age who, except for age or lack of training in the operation of a motor vehicle, is qualified to obtain a license, the department may issue an instruction permit.

The permit entitles the permittee to operate a motor vehicle, except a Type 1 motorcycle, ~~a motor bicycle or a moped~~, upon the highways, subject to the following restrictions:

SECTION 3. 343.07 (4) (title), (a) and (b) (intro.) of the statutes are amended to read:

343.07 (4) (title) INSTRUCTION PERMITS; TYPE 1 MOTORCYCLE, MOTOR BICYCLE AND MOPED. (a) Upon application by a person who qualifies for issuance of a license under s. 343.06 (3) and who wishes to qualify for the operation of a Type 1 motorcycle, ~~a motor bicycle or a moped~~, the department may issue a special instruction permit for motorcycle, ~~motor bicycle or moped~~ operation.

(b) (intro.) The permit for Type 1 motorcycle operation shall be valid for 6 months and entitles the permittee to operate a Type 1 motorcycle subject to the following restrictions:

SECTION 4. 343.07 (4) (c) of the statutes is created to read:

343.07 (4) (c) The permit for moped and motor bicycle operation shall be valid for 6 months and entitles the permittee to operate a moped or motor bicycle subject to restrictions specified by the department by rule.