1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 728

February 8, 2000 – Introduced by Representative Brandemuehl, cosponsored by Senators Breske and Schultz. Referred to Committee on Transportation.

AN ACT relating to: tourist-oriented directional signs for Wisconsin Badger

Camp, Inc., in Grant County.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, the department of transportation (DOT) erects tourist-oriented directional signs to assist motorists traveling along highways. Tourist-oriented directional signs provide identification of and directional information for tourist-related businesses, services or activities, which derive the majority of their income or visitors during the normal business season from motorists not residing in the immediate area where the business, service or activity is located.

This bill requires DOT, upon receiving an application and applicable fees, to erect two tourist-oriented directional signs along USH 18 in Grant County, for Wisconsin Badger Camp, Inc., a nonprofit corporation that provides educational and recreational opportunities in a summer-camp setting for individuals with developmental disabilities.

For further information see the **state** fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

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(1) Tourist-oriented directional signs for Wisconsin Badger Camp, Inc., in Grant County. Notwithstanding the eligibility criteria established under section 86.196 of the statutes, upon application and payment of fees ordinarily required for the erection of tourist-oriented directional signs, the department of transportation shall erect two signs meeting the specifications under section 86.196 of the statutes, and rules promulgated under that section, for Wisconsin Badger Camp, Inc., located in Grant County. The signs shall be erected along USH 18 at the intersection of USH 18 and Military Ridge Road, approximately one mile east of the USH 18 and STH 35 interchange in Grant County.

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