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## 2007 ASSEMBLY BILL 505

September 13, 2007 - Introduced by Representatives Gunderson, Mursau, Zepnick, Ballweg, Lemahieu, Townsend, A. Williams and Wood, cosponsored by Senator Plale. Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

AN ACT to amend 125.07 (3) (a) 3.; and to create 125.32 (3m) (h) of the statutes; relating to: the issuance of retail alcohol beverage licenses for premises on which another business is conducted and the prohibition against underage persons entering or being on any premises operating under a retail alcohol beverage license.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law prohibits, with certain exceptions including hotels, restaurants, and bowling centers, the issuance of a Class "B" license or permit for any premises where another business is conducted. However, this prohibition does not apply if the other business and the Class "B" premises are connected by a "secondary doorway" — a safety exit that is not the primary entrance to the Class "B" premises. A Class "B" license authorizes the retail sale of beer for consumption on or off the premises. This bill creates an exception to this prohibition for a beauty salon or health spa.

Under current law, a person who is under 21 years of age and not accompanied by his or her parent, guardian, or spouse who is at least 21 years of age (unaccompanied underage person) may not enter or be on any premises for which a license or permit for the retail sale of alcohol beverages has been issued (licensed premises). Current law also provides for various exceptions to this prohibition. Among the exceptions, an unaccompanied underage person may enter or be in a bowling center, a billiard center meeting certain requirements, an indoor golf simulator facility, an outdoor volleyball court contiguous to a licensed premises, or

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an indoor volleyball court of a certain size on a licensed premises. This bill creates an additional exception allowing an unaccompanied underage person to enter or be in a beauty salon or health spa on a licensed premises.

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

**Section 1.** 125.07 (3) (a) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

125.07 (3) (a) 3. Hotels, drug stores, grocery stores, beauty salons, health spas, bowling centers, billiards centers having on the premises 12 or more billiards tables that are not designed for coin operation and that are 8 feet or longer in length, indoor golf simulator facilities, service stations, vessels, cars operated by any railroad, regularly established athletic fields, outdoor volleyball courts that are contiguous to a licensed premises, stadiums, public facilities as defined in s. 125.51 (5) (b) 1. d. which are owned by a county or municipality, or centers for the visual or performing arts.

**SECTION 2.** 125.32 (3m) (h) of the statutes is created to read:

125.32 (3m) (h) A beauty salon or health spa.

12 (END)