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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Carroll D. Besadny, 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. ER-23-84 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on August 22, 1984. 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 hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Department at General Executive Facility #2 in the City of Madison, this had day of January, 1985.

Carroll D. Besadny Secretary

(SEAL)

ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD CREATING RULES

IN THE MATTER of creating ss. NR 27.03(2)(g). 4m., 7m., 8m., 9m., 22m., 30m., 40h., and 40q. and NR 27.03(3)(g) 2m., 3m., 4e., 4j., 4o., 4t., 5m., 13m., 15h., 15q.., 17m., and 29m., of the Wisconsin Administrative Code pertaining to Endangered and Threatened plants.

ER-23-84

Analysis Prepared by Department of Natural Resources

The Wisconsin endangered species law (s. 29.415, Stats.) requires periodic updating of our endangered and threatened species lists. The most recent review resulted in the revised endangered and threatened bird, amphibian, reptile and fish lists that went into effect December 1, 1982. Since then the DNR Bureau of Endangered Resources and knowledgeable scientists have reviewed the status of "watch list" plants and recommend the addition of 8 plant species as endangered and 12 plant species as threatened.

The 20 species being added to the lists were determined by such factors as rate of population decline, threats to remaining populations, population status as a native Wisconsin species, and status throughout its range.

Pursuant to the authority vested in the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board by ss. 29.415 and 227.014(2)(a), Stats., the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board hereby creates rules interpreting s. 29.415, Stats., as follows:

SECTION 1. NR 27.03(2)(g)4m., 7m., 8m., 9m., 22m., 30m., 40h. and 40q. are created to read:

NR 27.03(2)(g)4m. <u>Asclepias purpurascens</u> - Purple Milkweed (Asclepiadaceae: Milkweed Family)

7m. <u>Astragalus neglectus</u> - Coppers Milk Vetch (Fabaceae: Bean Family)

8m. <u>Botrychium mormo</u> - Goblin Fern (Ophioglossaceae: Adder's-tongue Family)



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Carroll D. Besadny Secretary

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January 10, 1985

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Mr. Orlan L. Prestegard Revisor of Statutes 411 West C A P I T O L

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Dear Mr. Prestegard:

Enclosed are two copies, including one certified copy, of State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board Order No. ER-23-84. These rules were reviewed by the Assembly Committee on Environmental Resources and the Senate Committee on Energy and Environmental Resources pursuant to s. 227.018, Stats. Summaries 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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