



2019 ASSEMBLY BILL 19

February 8, 2019 - Introduced by Representatives MEYERS, HORLACHER, MILROY, VRUWINK, BOWEN and ZAMARRIPA, cosponsored by Senators BEWLEY, MARKLEIN, SMITH and CRAIG. Referred to Committee on Sporting Heritage.

1 **AN ACT** *to amend* 1.10 (4); and *to create* 1.10 (3) (w) of the statutes; **relating**
2 **to:** designating the ruffed grouse as the state small game bird.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law designates a variety of state symbols and requires the *Wisconsin Blue Book* to include information about them. This bill designates the ruffed grouse as the state small game bird and requires the *Wisconsin Blue Book* to include that information.

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

3 **SECTION 1.** 1.10 (3) (w) of the statutes is created to read:
4 1.10 (3) (w) The ruffed grouse (*bonasa umbellus*) is the state small game bird.
5 **SECTION 2.** 1.10 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:
6 1.10 (4) The Wisconsin Blue Book shall include the information contained in
7 this section concerning the state song, ballad, waltz, dance, beverage, tree, grain,
8 flower, bird, fish, animal, domestic animal, wildlife animal, dog, insect, fossil,

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SECTION 2

1 mineral, rock, soil, fruit, tartan, pastry, dairy product, ~~and herb,~~ and small game
2 bird.

3 (END)