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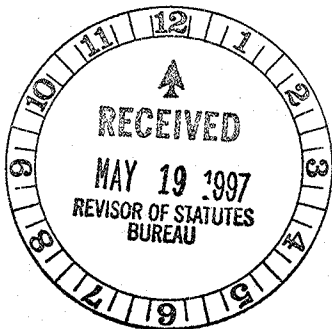
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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, George E. Meyer, 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. LE-41-96 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on March 26, 1997. 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 the Natural Resources Building in the City of Madison, this 14th day of May, 1997



George E Meyer
George E. Meyer, Secretary

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ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD
AMENDING RULES

The Wisconsin Natural Resources Board adopts an order to amend NR 10.09(1)(c)1.a. relating to the definition of a muzzleloader for the muzzleloader gun deer season

LE-41-95

Analysis Prepared by Department of Natural Resources

Statutory authority: s. 227.11(2), Stats.
Statutes interpreted: s. 29.174(1), Stats.

The Department is seeking this rule to clarify the definition of a legal muzzleloader for the purposes of hunting deer. The current definition is confusing both to the public and department employees as well. The new definition will eliminate the confusion and allow for a greater participation in the sport of muzzleloading.

SECTION 1. NR 10.09(1)(c)1.a. is amended to read:

NR 10.09(1)(c)1.a. Muzzleloaders may be used for hunting, except that any muzzleloader used in the muzzleloading season described in s. NR 10.01(3)(es) shall have ~~an exposed outside hammer~~ a solid breech plug attached with threads, be capable of being loaded only from the muzzle, use black powder or other black powder substitute, and may not include a mounted telescopic sight.

The foregoing rule was approved and adopted by the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board on March 27, 1997.

The rule shall take effect on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin administrative register as provided in s. 227.22(2)(intro.), Stats.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin

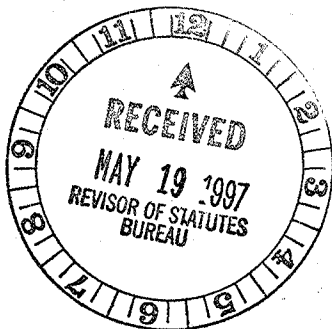
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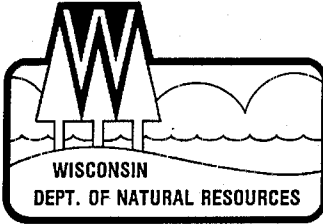
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Mr. Gary L. Poulson
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Dear Mr. Poulson:

Enclosed are two copies, including one certified copy, of State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board Order No. LE-41-95. These rules were reviewed by the Assembly Committee on Natural Resources and the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Environmental Resources pursuant to s. 227.19, Stats. Summaries of the final regulatory flexibility analysis and comments of the legislative review committees are also enclosed.

You will note that this order takes effect following publication. Kindly publish it in the Administrative Code accordingly.

Sincerely,

George E. Meyer
Secretary

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