1989 Senate Bill 147

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## 1989 WISCONSIN ACT 289

AN ACT to renumber 144.426; and to create 144.426 (2) of the statutes, relating to: providing penalties for violations of air pollution laws.

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

**SECTION 1.** 144.426 of the statutes is renumbered 144.426 (1).

**SECTION 2.** 144.426 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

144.426 (2) (a) Except as provided in par. (b), any person who intentionally commits an act that violates, or fails to perform an act required by, ss. 144.30 to 144.426 or any rule promulgated, any permit issued or any special

order issued under those sections shall be fined not more than \$25,000 per day of violation or imprisoned for not more than 6 months or both.

(b) If the conviction under par. (a) is for a violation committed after another conviction under par. (a), the person shall be fined not more than \$50,000 per day of violation or imprisoned for not more than 2 years or both.

**SECTION 3. Initial applicability.** This act applies to offenses committed on or after the effective date of this SECTION, but does not preclude the counting of other offenses as prior offenses for sentencing a person.