

State of Misconsin 2003 - 2004 LEGISLATURE

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ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 23,

TO 2003 SENATE BILL 44

June 19, 2003 – Offered by Representative BALOW.

1	At the locations indicated, amend the bill, as shown by senate substitute
2	amendment 1, as follows:
3	${f 1.}$ Page 844, line 12: delete the material beginning with that line and ending
4	with page 846, line 6, and substitute:
5	"SECTION 2120cd. 173.40 (6) of the statutes is created to read:
6	173.40 (6) PENALTIES. (a) A person who operates without a license required
7	under sub. (2) may be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned for not more than
8	9 months or both.
9	(b) 1. Except as provided under par. (a), a person who violates this section or
10	a rule promulgated under this section may be required to forfeit not more than \$1,000
11	for the first offense and may be required to forfeit not less than \$200 nor more than
12	\$2,000 for the 2nd or any subsequent offense within 5 years.

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If a violation under subd. 1. involves the keeping of animals, each animal with respect to which the statute or rule is violated constitutes a separate violation.
 SECTION 2120ch. 174.05 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

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174.05 (2) TAX. The minimum dog license tax is \$3 \$5.50 for a neutered male
dog or spayed female dog, upon presentation of evidence that the dog is neutered or
spayed, and \$8 \$10.50 for an unneutered male dog or unspayed female dog, or
one-half of these amounts if the dog became 5 months of age after July 1 of the license
year.

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SECTION 2120cL. 174.053 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

10 174.053 (1) MULTIPLE DOG LICENSE OPTION. Any person who keeps more than one 11 dog may, instead of the license tax for each dog required by this chapter, apply to the 12collecting official for a multiple dog license for the keeping of the dogs. Such person 13shall pay for the license year a license tax of \$35 \$45.50 for 12 or fewer dogs and an 14additional \$3 \$5.50 for each dog in excess of 12. Upon payment of the required 15multiple dog license tax and upon presentation of evidence that all dogs over 5 16 months of age are currently immunized against rabies, the collecting official shall 17issue the multiple dog license and a number of tags equal to the number of dogs authorized to be kept by the person. 18

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SECTION 2120cp. 174.07 (3) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

174.07 (3) (c) *Reimbursement*. The collecting official may retain 25 <u>75</u> cents,
or a greater amount established by the county board by ordinance or resolution, for
each license issued as compensation for the service, if the collecting official is not a
full-time, salaried municipal employee. If the collecting official is a full-time,
salaried municipal employee, this compensation shall be paid into the treasury of the
town, village, or city.

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1	SECTION 2120ct. 174.09 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:
2	174.09 (1) The dog license taxes so paid to the county treasurer shall be kept
3	in a separate account and shall be known as the "dog license fund" and shall be
4	appropriated and disbursed for the purposes and in the manner following: fund."
5	Within 30 days after receipt of the same <u>dog license taxes</u> , the county treasurer shall
6	pay into the state treasury 5% of the minimum tax as provided for <u>\$2 for each license</u>
7	\underline{issued} under s. 174.05 (2) of all dog license taxes which shall have been received by
8	the county treasurer, \$10 for each multiple dog license issued under s. 174.053 (1),
9	and \$2 for each dog in excess of 12 for which a multiple dog license is issued under
10	<u>s. 174.053 (1)</u> .".
11	2. Page 1038, line 20: after that line insert:
12	"(4x) Position authorization for pet regulation. The authorized FTE
13	positions for the department of agriculture, trade and consumer protection are
14	increased by 7.0 PR positions, to be funded from the appropriation under section
15	20.115 (2) (j) of the statutes, for the purpose of regulating pet dealers, breeders,
16	kennels, and animal shelters.".
17	3. Page 1143, line 6: delete the material beginning with "(1)" and ending with
18	"(5) (a)" on line 7 and substitute "(6)".
19	(END)