



## 2011 ASSEMBLY BILL 383

November 16, 2011 – Introduced by Representatives STEINEKE, JACQUE, MURSAU, BROOKS, STRACHOTA, PRIDEMORE and BIES, cosponsored by Senators GROTHMAN and LASEE. Referred to Committee on Natural Resources.

1     **AN ACT** *to repeal* 287.07 (4m) (b) 2. and 287.07 (4m) (c); *to consolidate,*  
2             *renumber and amend* 287.07 (4m) (b) (intro.) and 1.; and *to create* 287.07  
3             (4m) (bm) of the statutes; **relating to:** the disposal of oil absorbent materials.

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### *Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

Current law prohibits the disposal of certain materials in solid waste disposal facilities, such as landfills. The law prohibits the disposal of oil absorbent materials that contain waste oil in a solid waste disposal facility, except that the prohibition does not apply to the disposal of less than one gallon of oil absorbent materials that contain waste oil resulting from a nonroutine spill.

This bill replaces the general prohibition on disposing of oil absorbent materials that contain waste oil in a solid waste disposal facility with a narrower prohibition. Under this bill, a person may not dispose of oil absorbent materials that contain waste oil in a solid waste disposal facility unless free-flowing oil has been drained from the materials and the materials are not hazardous waste.

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

4             **SECTION 1.** 287.07 (4m) (b) (intro.) and 1. of the statutes are consolidated,  
5             renumbered 287.07 (4m) (b) and amended to read:

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**SECTION 1**

1           287.07 **(4m)** (b) Beginning on January 1, 2011, no person may ~~do any of the~~  
2 following: ~~1. Dispose~~ dispose of a used oil filter in a solid waste disposal facility.

3           **SECTION 2.** 287.07 (4m) (b) 2. of the statutes is repealed.

4           **SECTION 3.** 287.07 (4m) (bm) of the statutes is created to read:

5           287.07 **(4m)** (bm) Beginning on the effective date of this paragraph .... [LRB  
6 inserts date], no person may dispose of oil absorbent materials containing waste oil  
7 in a solid waste disposal facility unless all of the following apply:

8           1. Free-flowing waste oil is drained or other action is taken to minimize the  
9 amount of free-flowing waste oil in the absorbent materials.

10          2. The oil absorbent materials are not hazardous waste, as defined in s. 289.01  
11 (12).

12          **SECTION 4.** 287.07 (4m) (c) of the statutes is repealed.

13                                   **(END)**