SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1, TO 1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 174

March 28, 2000 - Offered by Committee on Judiciary and Consumer Affairs.

1	AN ACT <i>to repeal</i> 167.31 (4) (a) 1.; and <i>to create</i> 167.31 (1) (em) and 167.31 (4)
2	(am) of the statutes; relating to: an exception for peace officers to prohibitions
3	relating to the transportation of firearms in motor vehicles.

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

- **SECTION 1.** 167.31 (1) (em) of the statutes is created to read:
- 5 167.31 **(1)** (em) "Peace officer" has the meaning given in s. 939.22 (22).
- 6 **Section 2.** 167.31 (4) (a) 1. of the statutes is repealed.

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- **SECTION 3.** 167.31 (4) (am) of the statutes is created to read:
 - 167.31 **(4)** (am) 1. Subsections (2) (a), (c) and (d) and (3) (a) and (b) do not apply to a peace officer who, in the line of duty, loads or discharges a firearm in, on or from a vehicle, motorboat or aircraft or discharges a firearm from or across a highway or within 50 feet of the center of a roadway.

2. Subsection (2) (b) does not apply to a peace officer who places, possesses or	
transports a firearm in or on a vehicle, motorboat or aircraft while in the line of duty.	
3. Subsection (2) (b) does not apply to a person employed as a peace officer who	
places, possesses or transports a firearm in or on a vehicle while traveling in the	
vehicle from his or her residence to his or her place of employment as a peace officer.	
SECTION 4. Initial applicability.	
(1) This act first applies to the placement, possession or transportation of a	
firearm that occurs on the effective date of this subsection.	

(END)