



## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

**2003 Assembly Bill 831**

**Assembly Amendment 1**

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### **2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 831**

2003 Assembly Bill 831 changes the penalty for persons who violate operating restrictions under a probationary license or an instruction permit. Under the bill, a person holding a probationary license or instruction permit who violates these operating restrictions must forfeit \$50 for a first offense and not less than \$50 nor more than \$100 for each subsequent offense. In addition, the Department of Transportation (DOT) must provide notice of the conviction to any adult sponsor of the person. DOT **may not assess demerit points** for a restriction violation.

### **ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1**

Assembly Amendment 1:

1. **Deletes** the provision in the bill indicating that DOT may not assess demerit points for a restriction violation.
2. Creates a **delayed effective date** for the bill, specifying that if the bill is enacted into law, the new law takes effect on the **4th month** beginning after publication of the new law.

### **LEGISLATIVE HISTORY**

On February 18, 2004, the Assembly Committee on Highway Safety voted to recommend passage of the bill, as amended by Assembly Amendment 1 (which was adopted on a vote of Ayes, 7; Noes, 0), on a vote of Ayes, 7; Noes, 0.

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