

ASSEMBLY BILL 376 (LRB -2930)

An Act to create 973.20 (15) of the statutes; relating to: restitution for misappropriation from a cemetery of certain objects that relate to a veteran.

2009

08-18. A. Introduced by Representatives **Turner, Davis, Brooks, Berceau, Shilling, Mason, Hilgenberg, Pope-Roberts, Nass, Kaufert, Gundrum, Zepnick, Lothian, Townsend, Gunderson, Murtha, Steinbrink, Hintz, Hebl, A. Ott, Zigmunt, Nerison, Vruwink, Schneider, Petrowski, Spanbauer and Van Akkeren**; cosponsored by Senators **Lehman, Kedzie, Lassa, Darling, Erpenbach, Wirch, Schultz, Olsen, Coggs and Taylor**.

08-18. A. Read first time and referred to committee on Corrections and the Courts 350

09-23. A. Public hearing held.

10-20. A. Executive action taken.

10-27. A. Report passage recommended by committee on Corrections and the Courts, Ayes 12, Noes 0 456

10-27. A. Referred to committee on Rules 456

10-27. A. Placed on calendar 10-29-2009 by committee on Rules.

10-29. A. Read a second time 476

10-29. A. Ordered to a third reading 476

10-29. A. Rules suspended 476

10-29. A. Read a third time and **passed** 476

10-29. A. Ordered immediately messaged 476

10-29. S. Received from Assembly 393

11-03. S. Read first time and referred to committee on Judiciary, Corrections, Insurance, Campaign Finance Reform, and Housing 399

11-10. S. Public hearing held.

12-01. S. Executive action taken.

12-02. S. Report concurrence recommended by committee on Judiciary, Corrections, Insurance, Campaign Finance Reform, and Housing, Ayes 5, Noes 0 434

12-02. S. Available for scheduling.

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01-14. S. Placed on calendar 1-19-2010 by committee on Senate Organization 483

01-19. S. Senator Vinehout added as a cosponsor.

01-19. S. Read a second time.

01-19. S. Ordered to a third reading.

01-19. S. Rules suspended.

01-19. S. Read a third time and **concurred in**.

01-19. S. Ordered immediately messaged.

01-19. A. Received from Senate concurred in.

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ADOPTED DOCUMENTS:

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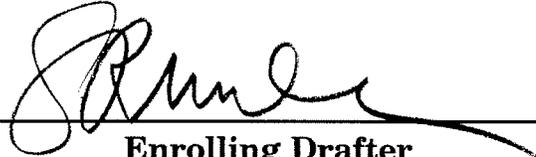
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Amendments to above (if none, write "NONE"): None

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August 18, 2009 – Introduced by Representatives TURNER, DAVIS, BROOKS, BERCEAU, SHILLING, MASON, HILGENBERG, POPE-ROBERTS, NASS, KAUFERT, GUNDRUM, ZEPNICK, LOTHIAN, TOWNSEND, GUNDERSON, MURTHA, STEINBRINK, HINTZ, HEBL, A. OTT, ZIGMUNT, NERISON, VRUWINK, SCHNEIDER, PETROWSKI, SPANBAUER and VAN AKKEREN, cosponsored by Senators LEHMAN, KEDZIE, LASSA, DARLING, ERPENBACH, WIRCH, SCHULTZ, OLSEN, COGGS and TAYLOR. Referred to Committee on Corrections and the Courts.

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2 misappropriation from a cemetery of certain objects that relate to a veteran.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a court generally must order a person who is convicted of a crime to pay restitution to any victim of the crime unless the court finds substantial reason not to order restitution. This bill specifies that a court must require a person who is convicted of misappropriating, from a cemetery, an object that indicates that a deceased was a veteran, to reimburse the cost of replacing the object.

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

3 **SECTION 1.** 973.20 (15) of the statutes is created to read:
4 973.20 (15) If misappropriation, from a cemetery, of an object that indicates
5 that a deceased was a veteran, as described in s. 45.001, is a crime considered at
6 sentencing, the restitution order shall require that the defendant reimburse an
7 individual, organization, or governmental entity for the cost of replacing the object.
8 **SECTION 2. Initial applicability.**

