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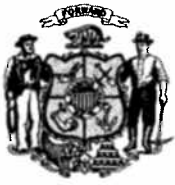
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TO 2011 ASSEMBLY BILL 232

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1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:
2 **1.** Page 2, line 1: before that line insert:
3 "SECTION 1g. 950.01 of the statutes is amended to read:
4 **950.01 Legislative intent.** In recognition of the civic and moral duty of
5 victims and witnesses of crime to fully and voluntarily cooperate with law
6 enforcement and prosecutorial agencies, and in further recognition of the continuing
7 importance of such citizen cooperation to state and local law enforcement efforts and
8 the general effectiveness and well-being of the criminal justice system of this state,
9 the legislature declares its intent, in this chapter, to ensure that all victims and
10 witnesses of crime are treated with dignity, respect, courtesy and sensitivity; and
11 that the rights extended in this chapter to victims and witnesses of crime are honored
12 and protected by law enforcement agencies, prosecutors and judges in a manner no

1 less vigorous than the protections afforded criminal defendants. Nothing in this
2 chapter shall be construed to impair the exercise of prosecutorial discretion.”

3 **2.** Page 2, line 1: delete “1” and substitute “1m”.

4 **3.** Page 2, line 4: delete “, and to be free from intimidation,” and substitute “.”.

5 **4.** Page 2, line 5: delete that line.

6 **5.** Page 2, line 7: delete the material beginning with “in a reasonable” and
7 ending with “particular case” on line 9 and substitute “reasonably and in good faith”.

8 (END)