This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature’s Web site at: [http://www.legis.wisconsin.gov](http://www.legis.wisconsin.gov).

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**2015 Wisconsin Act 5**

2015 Wisconsin Act 5 requires the Department of Justice (DOJ) to design a poster, or obtain a predesigned poster, that provides information regarding a human trafficking resource center hotline. The poster must inform individuals what human trafficking is and provide a phone number that a victim or someone who knows a victim can call or text for help and services. The Act requires the DOJ to make the poster available to print from its Internet site and encourage that the poster be displayed at the following locations:

- Gas stations with signs visible from an interstate or state highway that offer amenities to commercial vehicles.
- Hotels.
- Adult entertainment establishments.
- Salons at which hair or nail services are provided.
- Places at which employers engage some employees to perform agricultural labor.
- Hospitals or other medical centers.
- Places at which athletic or sporting events occur.
- Establishments that operate as a massage parlor or spa, alternative health clinic, or similar entity.
- Expositions conducted by a county or agricultural society.
- Courthouses.
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- Rest areas maintained by the Department of Transportation.
- Public and private transit stations.

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