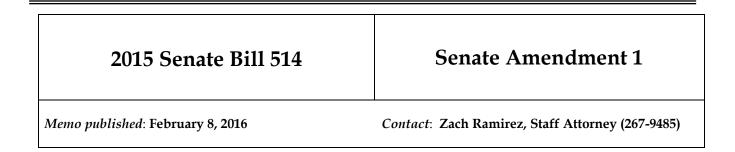


WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO



2015 SENATE BILL 514

Current law includes statutory requirements for manufacturers and distributors of commercial feed and feed products for animals and birds, violations of which are punishable by a fine of up to \$200 or imprisonment for up to six months, or both. This bill provides that a person who violates these requirements is subject to a civil forfeiture of between \$100 and \$500 for the first violation, and between \$200 and \$1,000 for any additional violation within five years of the first violation. A person who **knowingly** violates these requirements may be fined up to \$1,000 or imprisoned for up to 30 days, or both. A **manufacturer or distributor** who **knowingly** violates these requirements may be fined up to \$5,000 or imprisoned for up to one year, or both.

SENATE AMENDMENT 1

Assembly Amendment 1 specifies that the imprisonment of a manufacturer or distributor for the last type of violation described above is to be in a county jail, which clarifies that this type of violation is not punishable as a felony.

BILL HISTORY

Senate Amendment 1 was introduced by Senator Mouton on January 20, 2016. On the same day, the Senate voted to adopt the amendment and pass the bill, as amended, on voice votes.

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