



**WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
AMENDMENT MEMO**

2017 Assembly Bill 99	Assembly Amendment 2
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2017 ASSEMBLY BILL 99

Under current law, if a person is convicted of a fifth or sixth operating while intoxicated (OWI) offense, the person is guilty of a Class G felony and must be fined not less than \$600 and imprisoned for not less than six months. 2017 Assembly Bill 99 (the bill) increases the mandatory minimum term of confinement in a prison to one year and six months.

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 2

Assembly Amendment 2 (AA 2) to the bill repeals the current six-month mandatory minimum term of imprisonment. This clarifies that, under the bill, the mandatory minimum term of confinement in a prison for a fifth or sixth OWI offense is one year and six months.

BILL HISTORY

AA 2 was introduced on April 6, 2017 by Representative Ott. Also on April 6, 2017, the Assembly Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety voted to recommend adoption of AA 2 by a vote of Ayes, 12; Noes, 0; and voted to recommend passage of the bill, as amended, by a vote of Ayes, 7; Noes, 5.

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