



State of Wisconsin  
2005 - 2006 LEGISLATURE

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**SENATE AMENDMENT 2,  
TO 2005 SENATE BILL 447**

January 31, 2006 – Offered by Senator GROTHMAN.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 2, line 9: after that line insert:

3 **“SECTION 3m.** 895.85 (4) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 895.85 (4) (a) The plaintiff may introduce evidence of the wealth of a defendant  
5 and may introduce evidence of the penalty that was imposed on the defendant as the  
6 result of being convicted of an offense that is relevant to the subject of the case; and

7 **SECTION 3r.** 895.85 (4r) of the statutes is created to read:

8 895.85 (4r) DISPOSITION OF PUNITIVE DAMAGES. If the court awards punitive  
9 damages, the court shall order that the plaintiff receive one-half of the amount  
10 awarded and that the remaining one-half be deposited in the school fund.”.

11 (END)