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ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 25, TO ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1, TO 2011 ASSEMBLY BILL 40

June 14, 2011 - Offered by Representative Krusick.

At the locations indicated, amend the substitute amendment as follows:

- **1.** Page 54, line 20: delete lines 20 to 22 and substitute:
- "(b) "Grant" means a payment, including a loan or tax benefit, made to an entity, including a public utility as defined in s. 196.01 (5) or a sewerage system operator as defined in s. 196.04 (4) (a).".
- **2.** Page 55, line 5: delete "has the meaning given in s. 20.001 (1)" and substitute "means an office, department, independent agency, institution of higher education, association, society, or other body in state government created or authorized to be created by the constitution or any law, which is entitled to expend moneys appropriated by law, including the legislature and the courts and including an authority created in subch. II of ch. 114 or subch. III of ch. 149 or in ch. 52, 231,

- 232, 233, 234, 235, 237, 238, or 279. "State agency" includes a county or municipality".
 - **3.** Page 56, line 10: after that line insert:
 - "6. An accounting by job classification of the compensation, including benefits and bonuses or other incentive pay, that the grant recipient paid to each of its employees in the immediately preceding fiscal year; and an accounting of the percentage and dollar amount of increase in compensation, including benefits and bonuses or other incentive pay, for each employee in the immediately preceding fiscal year relative to the fiscal year prior to that year.
 - 7. A verified statement describing the recipient's expenditure of the grant from the state agency, signed by both an independent certified public accountant and the director or principal officer of the recipient to attest to the accuracy of the verified statement.".
 - **4.** Page 56, line 17: after that line insert:
 - "(c) Each state agency shall be responsible for, and shall develop policies and procedures for, the detection and investigation of misuse of grants from the state agency, including fraud. If a state agency detects any misuse of a state grant or fraud, the state agency shall, in addition to any penalty under par. (d), report that misuse or fraud to the department of justice for investigation, including criminal investigation.
 - (d) If, after investigation and an opportunity for hearing, a state agency determines that a recipient of a state grant has misused the grant or committed fraud, the state agency may do all of the following:
 - a. Recoup payments made to the recipient.

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- b. Withhold payments to be made to the recipient.
- c. Impose a forfeiture on the recipient.".

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