



## 1995 ASSEMBLY BILL 101

February 6, 1995 - Introduced by Representatives KREIBICH, GOETSCH, WILDER, LEHMAN, OWENS, KAUFERT, BRANDEMUEHL, HUBER, DOBYNS, HANDRICK, WALKER, OLSEN, NASS, ZUKOWSKI, LADWIG, ZIEGELBAUER, SILBAUGH, HAHN, SCHNEIDERS, MEYER, AINSWORTH, GUNDERSON, ALBERS, SERATTI, FREESE, MUSSER, OTT, KLUSMAN and VRAKAS, cosponsored by Senators HUELSMAN, FARROW, BUETTNER, PANZER and FITZGERALD. Referred to Committee on Criminal Justice and Corrections.

1     **AN ACT to amend** 973.06 (2); and **to create** 973.06 (1) (am) of the statutes;  
2           **relating to:** reimbursing a law enforcement agency for certain expenses in  
3           drug violation investigations.

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### *Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

Current law places limits on the costs that a court may assess against a criminal defendant. One of those limits allows the court to assess the defendant for law enforcement disbursements and fees incurred in connection with the arrest, preliminary examination and trial of the defendant. This bill specifically requires the court to assess the defendant for moneys spent by a law enforcement agency, in connection with its investigation, to buy a dangerous drug that was illegally distributed.

For further information see the *state and local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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***The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:***

4           **SECTION 1.** 973.06 (1) (am) of the statutes is created to read:  
5           973.06 (1) (am) Moneys expended by a law enforcement agency under all of the  
6           following conditions:  
7           1. The agency expended the moneys to purchase a controlled substance that  
8           was distributed in violation of ch. 161.

