



2007 ASSEMBLY BILL 579

November 13, 2007 – Introduced by Representatives BALLWEG, ALBERS, BERCEAU, BIES, GOTTLIEB, GRONEMUS, GUNDERSON, GUNDRUM, HAHN, HINES, JESKEWITZ, KERKMAN, LEMAHIEU, MONTGOMERY, MOULTON, MURSAU, MUSSER, NYGREN, OWENS, PETROWSKI, VAN ROY, VOS and M. WILLIAMS, cosponsored by Senators LASSA, COWLES, GROTHMAN, OLSEN and LAZICH. Referred to Committee on Judiciary and Ethics.

1 **AN ACT to amend** 799.01 (1) (c), 799.01 (1) (d) (intro.) and 799.01 (2) of the
2 statutes; **relating to:** increasing the jurisdictional amount in small claims
3 actions.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill increases the jurisdictional limit in small claims actions from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

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

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

4 **SECTION 1.** 799.01 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:
5 799.01 (1) (c) *Replevins.* Actions for replevin under ss. 810.01 to 810.13 where
6 the value of the property claimed does not exceed ~~\$5,000~~ \$10,000.
7 **SECTION 2.** 799.01 (1) (d) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
8 799.01 (1) (d) *Other civil actions.* (intro.) Other civil actions where the amount
9 claimed is ~~\$5,000~~ \$10,000 or less, if the actions or proceedings are:

