

1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 765

February 17, 2000 – Introduced by Representatives GOETSCH, HUBER, GUNDERSON, HAHN, FREESE, MUSSER, LADWIG, ALBERS, OWENS, VRAKAS, KELSO, PETROWSKI, BALOW and SPILLNER, cosponsored by Senators DRZEWIECKI, ROESSLER, HUELSMAN and SCHULTZ. Referred to Committee on Criminal Justice.

1 **AN ACT** *to create* 943.203 of the statutes; **relating to:** theft of anhydrous
2 ammonia and providing a penalty.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Current law prohibits the theft of another person's property generally. The misappropriation of certain types of property is also specifically prohibited under current law.

This bill prohibits the theft of anhydrous ammonia with intent to use it in the manufacture of a controlled substance or a controlled substance analog. A person who violates this prohibition may be fined not more than \$10,000, imprisoned for not more than two years or both.

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

3 **SECTION 1.** 943.203 of the statutes is created to read:

4 **943.203 Theft of anhydrous ammonia. (1)** In this section, "controlled
5 substance", "controlled substance analog" and "manufacture" have the meanings
6 given in s. 961.01.

