

**SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1,
TO 1999 SENATE BILL 171**

December 22, 1999 – Offered by Senators ROBSON and GROBSCHMIDT.

1 **AN ACT relating to:** a Wisconsin state ballad competition and making an
2 appropriation.

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

3 **SECTION 1. Nonstatutory provisions.**

4 (1) WISCONSIN STATE BALLAD COMPETITION. From the appropriation under section
5 20.215 (1) (a) of the statutes, the arts board shall allocate \$2,000 to conduct a
6 statewide competition for the purpose of selecting a song to recommend to the
7 legislature for designation as the Wisconsin state ballad. The arts board shall
8 convene an advisory committee, consisting of not less than 5 members, a majority of
9 whom shall be songwriters, musicians or music educators, for the purpose of
10 reviewing the songs entered in the competition and recommending the top 5 of those
11 songs for consideration and final selection by the arts board. The arts board shall
12 organize at least one concert that can be heard or viewed statewide at which those

1 top 5 songs shall be performed. After reviewing the recommendations of the advisory
2 committee, the arts board shall make the final selection of the song to be
3 recommended to the legislature for designation as the Wisconsin state ballad and
4 shall report its selection to the appropriate standing committees of the legislature
5 in the manner provided in section 13.172 (3) of the statutes.

6 **SECTION 2. Appropriation changes.**

7 (1) WISCONSIN STATE BALLAD COMPETITION. In the schedule under section 20.005
8 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the arts board under section 20.215 (1) (a)
9 of the statutes, as affected by the acts of 1999, the dollar amount is increased by
10 \$1,000 for fiscal year 1999–00 and the dollar amount is increased by \$1,000 for fiscal
11 year 2000–01 to provide for the administrative and performance costs associated
12 with the Wisconsin state ballad competition under SECTION 1 (1) of this act.

13 (END)