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#### **MEMORANDUM**

**To:** Members of the Senate Judiciary and Consumer Affairs Committee

From: Ray Dall'Osto, State Bar of Wisconsin Criminal Law Section Chair

Date: February 22, 2000

**Re:** AB562—Crime Abatement Taskforce

The Criminal Law Section strongly **supports AB562**—which would establish a crime abatement taskforce for Southeast Wisconsin.

The Criminal Law Section is comprised of judges, prosecutors, and defense attorneys who work collectively to address problems in the Criminal Justice system. Therefore, the Section feels that any effort that can be made to address the problems of crime and seek to diminish its influence is a step in the right direction.

The Criminal Law Section is **seeking an Amendment** that would place someone from the State Bar of Wisconsin Criminal Law Section on the taskforce. Because of the Section's diversity and the attention it pays to the Criminal Justice system both in practice and in monitoring legislative proposals, the Section feels that it has a perspective that would contribute to the goals of the Crime Abatement Taskforce.

The Criminal Law Section also believes that a position on the taskforce should be made available to the local Bar Associations who live in the affected area enumerated in the bill. Their local perspective on how the Criminal Justice system works in their specific counties could prove to be invaluable as the taskforce deliberates.

The Criminal Law Section looks forward to working with the Committee in its consideration of this bill, and hopes the Committee members will consider both our support and proposed amendment to AB562.

If you have any questions or concerns for our membership (which includes prosecutors, judges, and defense attorneys) feel free to contact Cory Mason, Government Relations Coordinator at the State Bar of Wisconsin at 1/800-444-9404 x6128, email at 'cmason@wisbar.org'; or Attorney Ray Dall'Osto, Chair of the Criminal Law Section at 414/271-1440, email at 'dallosto@execpc.com.'

AB562

# State of Wisconsin



#### GARY R. GEORGE **SENATOR**

TO:

Staff to Members, Senate Committee on Judiciary and Consumer Affairs

FROM:

Dan Rossmiller, Clerk

Senate Committee on Judiciary and Consumer Affairs

RE:

Proposed Amendments to Bills That Have Previously Received a Public Hearing

in the Senate Committee on Judiciary and Consumer Affairs and May Receive

Executive Action Next Week

DATE:

February 25, 2000

Attached please find a list of the of proposed amendments and proposed substitute amendments to bills that have previously received a public hearing that I would like to discuss with you on February 28, 2000.

AB562

# Bills for Possible Executive Action That Have Already Had a Public Hearing

#### **Assembly Bill 111**

Relating to: committing theft against certain persons and providing a penalty. By Representatives Suder, Albers, Ainsworth, Freese, Handrick, Hoven, Huebsch, Kelso, Ladwig, F. Lasee, Montgomery, Musser, Nass, Olsen, Plale, Powers, Turner and

Vrakas; cosponsored by Senators Darling, Fitzgerald, Lazich, Roessler, Welch and Zien.

Substitute Amendment Pending: At the request of DOJ and its Elder Law Advocate a substitute amendment (LRBs0307/1) was prepared to broaden the bill to address all forms of financial crimes against the elderly. The substitute amendment:

- 1. Covers all financial crimes
- (e.g., attempted theft, theft, misappropriation of personal identifying information or documents, forgery, fraudulent writings, fraudulent destruction of certain writings.)
- 2. Protects all elderly people, regardless of capacity, place of residence or participation in programs.
- 3. Makes definition of "vulnerable adult" identical to the definition of that term used elsewhere in the statutes (e.g., Chapters 55, 813 and 940).
- 4. Includes all Powers of Attorney, whether durable or non-durable.

#### Assembly Bill 562

Relating to: creating a southeast Wisconsin crime abatement task force. By the Committee on Criminal Justice.

#### **Two Amendments Pending:**

One amendment (LRBa1434/1), at the request of Reps. Krug and Riley adds the Chief of Police of the City of Millwaukee as a member of the task force.

The other amendment (LRBa1427/1) at the request of the State Bar of Wisconsin adds to the task force a member of the State Bar's Criminal Law Section who lives in the affected area, as well as a member of a local bar association for every county enumerated as part of the task force in the bill (i.e., Milwaukee, Kenosha, Racine, Rock and Waukesha).

#### Senate Bill 395

Relating to: policies concerning treatment and conduct of persons detained during a sexually violent person commitment proceeding and person committed for treatment after being found to be a sexually violent person.

By Senator George; cosponsored by Representative Huebsch. By Request of the Department of Health and Family Services.

Agreed Upon Substitute Amendment Pending: (LRB s0315/1) As substantiated by testimony at the 2-22-2000 hearing, the substitute addresses the concerns of both DHFS and DOJ.

rB 562

# February 22, 2000 Judiciary Committee Hearing

#### Special Testimony Requests

#### Elected Officials

- Sen. Baumgart and his DA (Robert Wells/Sheboygan Co.) want to testify first about
- Rep. Ladwig wants to testify next about her bill AB 72.
- Rep. Goetsch wants to testify next about his bills AB 562 and AB 84.

#### Others

Sen. Clausing's office contacted us to let us know that Johnnie Smith from the DEA will be testifying on AB 318. He has some time constraints and has to leave by 10:00 am. They wanted to know if you could make arrangements so that he can get his testimony in before he has to leave?

#### Bills On the Hearing Agenda

Here is the order of bills, the likely witnesses and a brief comment about amendments I

# AB 614 (Your bill on piracy and bootlegging of recorded material)

Don Valdez V.P. Anti-piracy Legislation RIAA will probably testify with a multimedia show-and-tell presentation.

I am not aware of any amendments although Sen. Risser is apparently concerned about how the new penalties under the bill will mesh with Truth-In-Sentencing given the fact that we haven't adopted the code reclassification yet.

# SB 395 (The DHFS bill on sexually violent persons commitment rules)

Dr. Thomalla (PhD.) is likely to testify for DHFS. I don't know whether Sec. Leean will testify or not. I don't know

There is a substitute amendment (LRB s0315/1) that has been prepared to reflect the agreement between the DHFS and the DOJ. It is ready to be introduced.

# AB 174 (Rep. Kreuser's bill to allow of-duty peace officers to carry concealed weapons)

Rep. Kreuser will testify. He may have a local law enforcement official testify on behalf of his drug or gang task force folks.

I am not aware of any amendments.

# AB 562 (Rep. Goetsch's committee bill to establish a Southeast Wisconsin crime abatement task force)

Rep. Goetsch will testify. (See note above)

There are two amendments.

- 1) Reps. Riley and Krug asked us to add the City of Milwaukee Chief of Police as a member of the Task Force. The first amendment (LRB 1379/1) does this.
- 2) The State Bar Criminal Law Section asked us to add to the task force a member of the State Bar of Wisconsin's Criminal Law Section who lives in the affected area, as well as a member of a local bar association for every county enumerated as part of the task force in the bill (i.e., Milwaukee, Kenosha, Racine, Rock and Waukesha). This second amendment has been requested but has not yet been received at the time of this writing.

# SB 533 (The Leg. Council bill on Restorative Justice and faith-based approaches to crime reduction.)

I would expect there will be testimony from several sources. The Interfaith Conference has, for example, expressed support for the restorative justice provisions.

I am not aware of any proposed amendments.

# SB 214 (Sen Burke's bill re: When a victim must be given notice of the right to make a statement at sentencing.)

Jon Reddin, Deputy DA for Milwaukee County and Mike Nieskes, Deputy DA for Racine County will be testifying on SB 214.

I am not aware of any proposed amendments.

# AB 318 (Sen. Clausing's bill on Methamphetatmine penalties.)

Johnnie Smith from the DEA will be testifying on AB 318. I am not sure whether DOJ will have anybody testify or not. I expect Sen. Clausing may testify.

I am not aware of any proposed amendments.

# AB 391 (Garnishment technical correction)

Rep. Gunderson's staffer will probably testify.

I am not aware of any proposed amendments.

### SB 213 (Sen. Baumgart's bill on inducing or causing self-mutilation by a child.)

Sen. Baumgart and his DA (Robert Wells/Sheboygan Co.) will testify. (See note above)

I am not aware of any proposed amendments.

# AB 72 (Rep. Ladwig's bill on disclosure of juvenile records by a juvenile or municipal court).

Rep. Ladwig will testify. (See note above.)

The State Bar Children and the Law Section recommends an amendment to Sect. 5 of the bill to specify that a GAL and the attorney of record can view the juvenile's record in cases where a juvenile or municipal court asks another juvenile or municipal court for records for purposes of any other proceeding.

# AB 84 (Rep. Goetsch's bill on factors to be considered when sentencing a person convicted of committing a crime.)

Rep. Goetsch will testify. (See note above.)

In response to a request from the Judicial Conference an amendment has been drafted to delete the material in Assembly Substitute Amendment 1 to AB 84 at page 2, line 14. This would delete the factor "(j) The length of pretrial detention of the person, if applicable." I don't know whether this is advisable or not. I always assumed that judges considered time served when sentencing.

# Bills From Previous Hearings On Which We Can Take Executive Action

# AB 45 (Rep. Kelso's bill to create a Dangerous Weapons in Schools Hotline)

In response to a request from the Atty. Gen./Department of Justice we have drafted an amendment (LRB a1436/1) that basically adds threats to harm persons or damage school property to the list of items that may be reported. Rep. Kelso is o.k. with the bill with the change and so is DOJ.

# AB 111 (Rep. Suder's bill on Embezzlement from Vulnerable (elderly) Adults)

In response to a request from the Elder Advocate in the Department of Justice we have drafted a substitute amendment (LRB s0307/1) that expands the bill to cover <u>all</u> financial crimes (e.g., attempted theft, theft, misappropriation of personal identifying information or documents, forgery, fraudulent writings, fraudulent destruction of certain writings.) against all elderly people regardless of capacity, place of residence or

participation in programs. It also makes the definition of "vulnerable adult" identical to the definition of that term used elsewhere in the statutes (e.g., Chapters 55, 813 and 940) and includes all Powers of Attorney, whether durable or non-durable.

Rep. Suder the author of the bill doesn't object to the substance of the substitute amendment but argues that adopting the amendment will kill the bill procedurally. He thinks the bill won't be able to go through both houses before the end of March.

#### SB 106 (Sen. Wirch's CASA bill)

Sen. Wirch's office has worked with Legal Aid of Milwuakee to craft a compromise that everybody seems to be happy with. A substitute amendment (LRB s270/3) reflects the compromise.)

#### SB 110 (Sen. Moen's bill on Prisoner's Throwing Bodily Substances)

There are two simple amendments.

The first one (LRB a1180/1) is at the request of the State Hygiene Lab and expands the list of bodily substances covered by the bill.

The second one (LRB a1298/1) reduces the maximum penalty under the bill from 5 years to 2 years, consecutive to the current sentence.

#### SB 284 (Your court reporter's bill)

No amendments as far as I know. We had voted on this at the last exec. session but haven't yet reported the bill out of committee.

In deference to you as chair, Sen. Huelsman will let the bill come out of committee and maybe try to amend it on the floor.

I hope this is helpful.

#### Rossmiller, Dan

From: Corv

Sent:

Cory Mason [CMason@wisbar.org] Monday, February 21, 2000 8:00 AM

To:

Dan.Rossmiller@legis.state.wi.us

Subject:

Language Crim Law Section would like to see in AB562 and other matters



Dan,

Sorry about all the phone tag.

Perhaps we can catch up this afternoon.

Below is the language that you wanted from the Section on AB 562

Support with amendment-add language to add a member of the task force who is on the State Bar of Wisconsin's Criminal Law Section who lives in the affected area, as well as a member of a local bar association for every county enumerated as part of the task force in the bill.

AB 562 SOUTHEAST WISCONSIN CRIME ABATEMENT - (By Committee on Criminal Justice) - To create a southeast Wisconsin crime abatement task force, attached to the department of administration for administrative purposes only. Members generally to be appointed by specified government officials. To list conditions of membership. Task force to make recommendations that are applicable to Milwaukee, Kenosha, Racine, Rock and Waukesha counties and concern: rehabilitation of criminal offenders within a community setting; establishment of drug-diversion and teen courts, and community-based alternatives to incarceration for offenders who violate community supervision; methods to retain community corrections agents; communications among courts and criminal justice and rehabilitation agencies; and judicial and prosecutorial confidence in effectiveness of community corrections. Task force to report to legislature and governor by January 24, 2001.

In terms of SB213, the Section will recommend opposing it, but did not feel very strongly about it. Someone also raised the issue of First Amendment problems since some religions allow for bloodletting as part of their practice. Mostly though, the Section was uncomfortable about passing another crime bill without having completed Truth in Sentencing.

We also looked at AB355 as you requested. The Section still supports the bill with an amendment to make the sentence in line with the truth in sentencing changes. The Section did reiterate its support for the bill, however.

Call me anytime after 2 p.m. if you have the time today. 608/347-9615

Sincerely,

Cory Mason

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Cory Mason Government Relations Coordinator State Bar of Wisconsin