## DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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**Representative Freese:** 

AB–11 restores the qualifications for obtaining an absentee ballot that existed prior to enactment of 1999 Wisconsin Act 182. One reason that mental disability was not referenced previously as a specific qualification for receiving an absentee ballot is that in some cases, mental disability disqualifies an individual from voting. See s. 6.03 (1) and (3), stats.

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