

2001 ASSEMBLY BILL 106

February 8, 2001 – Introduced by Representatives GROTHMAN, KRAWCZYK, POWERS, WADE, PETTIS, WILLIAMS, MUSSER, JESKEWITZ, LADWIG, J. LEHMAN, STONE, TOWNSEND and ALBERS, cosponsored by Senator ROBSON. Referred to Committee on Labor and Workforce Development.

1 **AN ACT** *to renumber and amend* 440.26 (5m) (a) 2.; *to amend* 440.26 (2) (c) 2.;

2 and *to create* 440.26 (5m) (a) 2. b. of the statutes; **relating to:** eligibility

3 requirements for private security permits and private detective licenses.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, certain individuals who are employed to perform private security activities, such as patrolling private property, must obtain a private security permit from the department of regulation and licensing (DORL). In addition, with certain exceptions, an individual may not act as a private detective, investigator, or supplier of private security personnel without a license issued by DORL. An individual is not eligible for such a permit or license if he or she has been convicted of a felony, unless he or she has been pardoned for that felony.

This bill provides that an individual who has been convicted of a felony and has not been pardoned for that felony is eligible for such a permit or license if the conduct on which the felony conviction is based is no longer punishable as a felony under state law in effect at the time that the individual applies for the permit or license. In addition, the individual must have no other felony conviction subsequent to the conviction that is no longer punishable as a felony.

For further information see the **state** 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:

