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MEMORANDUM

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TO: Senate Committee on Insurance, Tourism and Transportation
FR: Senator Roger Breske, Chair
RE: Proposed Clearinghouse Rule 02-086; *relating to calculation of fees for special events, security, traffic enforcement and escort services.*

Clearinghouse Rule 02-086 was recently referred to the Senate Committee on Insurance, Tourism and Transportation. For your reference, I have attached the analysis by the Department of Transportation. If you would like to request a hearing on this proposed rule, please contact Beth in my office before *Friday, September 13th, 2002.*

Analysis by the Department of Transportation

The revision of ch. Trans 320 will enable the Division of State Patrol to implement changes that were included in 2001 Wis. Act 16 section 2339, related to the assessment of charges for security and traffic law enforcement services. Previously, the authority of the state patrol to assess charges for services provided at public events for which an admission fee is charged was limited to those public events that were sponsored by a private agency. 2001 Wis. Act 16 expanded this authority to assess charges for security and traffic enforcement services to include public events that are sponsored by public agencies, assuming that an admission fee is charged.

In addition, 2001 Wis. Act 16 section 2340 provides the Division of State Patrol with the authority to charge fees for security and traffic law enforcement services provided during the installation, inspection, removal, relocation or repair of a utility facility located on a highway.