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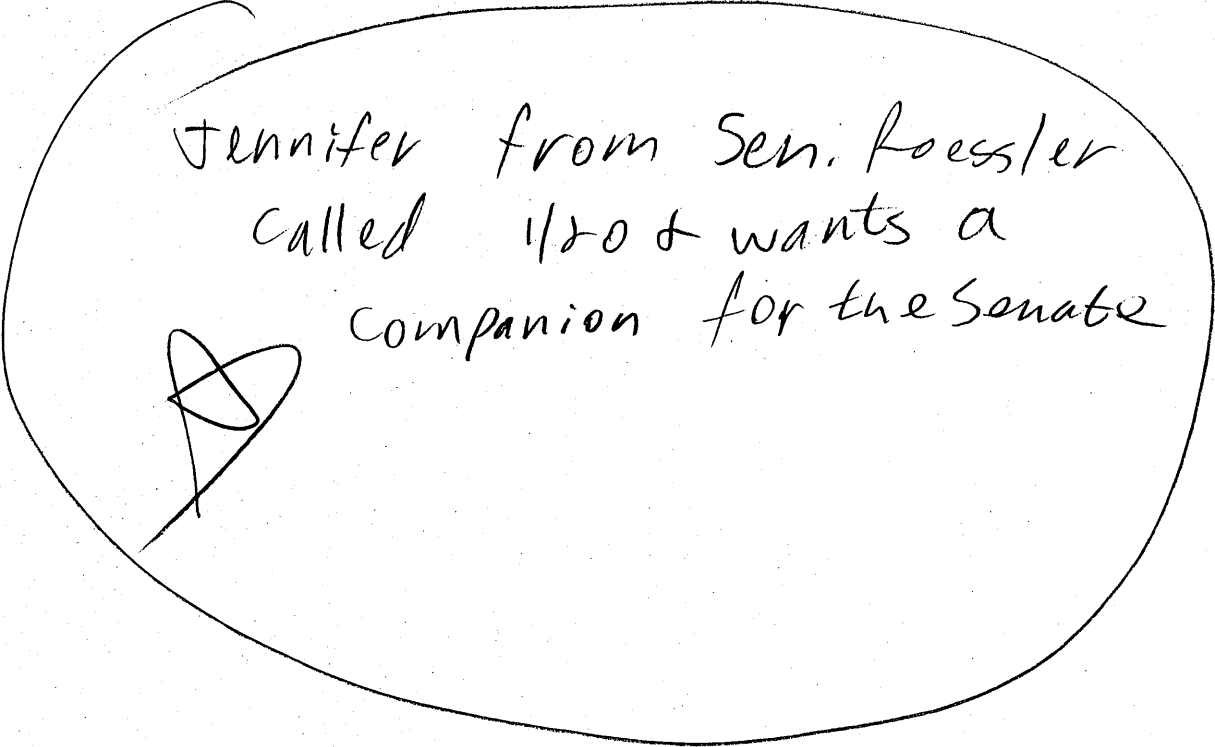
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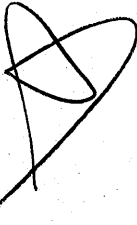
Marc:

I received a request from Michelle In Rep. Underheim's office regarding the number of deputy coroners. She wants the current cap of 6 to be repealed and the number of deputy coroners to be made unlimited as is the case with the medical examiner assistants. She gave me two statutes -- ss. 59.35 and 59.38. She said to call her with any questions. Thanks.

Rick



Jennifer from Sen. Roessler  
called 1/20 & wants a  
companion for the Senate





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1 AN ACT ...; relating to: the number of deputy coroners that may be appointed by  
2 a coroner. ✓

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau <sup>ten</sup>

\* six Under current law, within ~~10~~ days after taking office, a coroner may appoint up \*  
to ~~6~~ deputy coroners. A person appointed deputy coroner for a regular term or to fill  
a vacancy holds office at the coroner's pleasure. Under this bill, a coroner may  
appoint any number of persons deputy coroner.

For further information see the *local* 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:*

3 SECTION 1. 59.35 (1) <sup>x</sup> of the statutes is amended to read:  
4 59.35 (1) Within 10 days after entering upon the duties of the office, the coroner  
5 may appoint up to ~~6~~ <sup>✓</sup> any number of proper persons, who are residents of the county,  
6 deputy coroner. The deputies shall reside in the county for which they are appointed.  
7 The coroner may fill vacancies in the office of any such appointees, and may appoint

1 a person to take the place of any deputy who becomes incapable of executing the  
 2 duties of the office. A person appointed deputy coroner for a regular term or to fill  
 3 a vacancy or otherwise shall hold office during the pleasure of the coroner. Every  
 4 appointment of a deputy coroner and every revocation of an appointment shall be in  
 5 writing and filed and recorded in the office of the clerk of the circuit court. In case  
 6 of a vacancy in the office of coroner, the chief deputy coroner shall in all things and  
 7 with like liabilities and penalties execute the duties of the office until the vacancy  
 8 is filled as provided by law.

9 History: 1973 c. 272; 1975 c. 294, 421; 1985 a. 315; 1989 a. 31; 1991 a. 316; 1995 a. 201 s. 306; Stats. 1995 s. 59.35; 1997 a. 35; 1999 a. 56; 2001 a. 102.

**SECTION 2. Initial applicability.**

10 (1) This act first applies to a coroner who <sup>takes</sup> enters upon the duties of the office ✓  
 11 on the effective date of this subsection. ✓

12 (END)