

**ASSEMBLY BILL 306 (LRB -0619)**

An Act to amend 943.24 (1) and 943.24 (2) of the statutes; relating to: writing bad checks and providing a penalty. (FE)  
**2003**

09-25.	A.	Introduced by Representatives <b>Suder, Albers, Bies, Gunderson, Hahn, Ladwig, LeMahieu, Musser, Olsen, Owens, Seratti, Townsend, Van Roy, Weber and Ziegelbauer</b> ; cosponsored by Senators <b>Welch, Kanavas, Reynolds, Roessler, Schultz and Stepp.</b>	
05-01.	A.	Read first time and referred to committee on Criminal Justice .....	178
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07-16.	A.	Public hearing held.	
09-17.	A.	Executive action taken.	
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09-25.	A.	Referred to committee on Rules .....	380
10-29.	A.	Placed on calendar 11-4-2003 by committee on Rules.	
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11-06.	S.	Received from Assembly .....	471
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**2004**

01-08.	S.	Public hearing held.	
01-08.	S.	Executive action taken.	
01-12.	S.	Report concurrence recommended by committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy, Ayes 3, Noes 2 ....	535
01-12.	S.	Available for scheduling.	
03-09.	S.	Placed on calendar 3-10-2004 by committee on Senate Organization.	
03-11.	S.	Placed on calendar 3-11-2004 by committee on Senate Organization.	
03-11.	S.	Read a second time.	
03-11.	S.	Senate amendment 1 offered by Senators Robson and Moore ( <b>LRB a2824</b> ).	
03-11.	S.	Senate amendment 1 rejected.	
03-11.	S.	Ordered to a third reading.	
03-11.	S.	Rules suspended.	
03-11.	S.	Read a third time and <b>concurred in</b> .	
03-11.	S.	Ordered immediately messaged.	
03-15.	A.	Received from Senate concurred in.	

**2003**  
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**ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1,  
TO 2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 306**

September 17, 2003 – Offered by COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE.

1 **AN ACT to amend 943.24 (2) of the statutes; relating to: writing bad checks.**

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***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

Current law prohibits a person from issuing a check if he or she intends that the check not be paid. In general, if a person violates this prohibition and the check is for \$2,500 or less, the person is guilty of a misdemeanor and may be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned in the county jail for not more than nine months or both. But, if he or she issues more than one worthless check within a 15-day period and the checks are for more than \$2,500 in the aggregate, the person is guilty of a felony and may be fined not more than \$10,000 or sentenced or to a term of imprisonment (consisting of a term of confinement in state prison followed by a term of extended supervision) of up to three and one-half years or both. This substitute amendment changes the time period during which the face value of bad checks may be aggregated, for the purpose of determining whether the person has committed a felony, from 15 days to 90 days.

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***The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:***

2           **SECTION 1.** 943.24 (2) of the statutes, as affected by 2001 Wisconsin Act 109,  
3 is amended to read:

