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Interstate Con	pact for Juveniles				

## **Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate**

This bill creates a new interstate compact for the supervision of juveniles that becomes effective when 35 states enact the compact. Current law provides for the establishment of interstate compacts between individual states. The new interstate compact creates an independent compact operating authority to administer ongoing compact activity between member states.

The new interstate compact commission will possess rule making authority as well as have power to take enforcement action against non-compliant Compact states. As part of this authority the commission may enact a mandatory funding mechanism sufficient to support essential compact operations. Wisconsin's portion of the annual dues is estimated to be \$17,000. This amount is subject to change in response to the commission's increasing operating costs and any modifications to the state assessment formula. The formula is based on the state's total population and the volume of interstate movement of juveniles in each state. The commission may also levy monetary penalties against member states if a compact member fails to perform its obligations to the compact.

This bill also creates a 5-member interstate compact supervision board, attached to the Department of Corrections (DOC), whose members are appointed by the Governor. In addition, the Governor is required to appoint a compact administrator who is responsible for the state's administration of the compact. The compact administrator also acts as the state's representative at all interstate compact commission meetings.

It is believed the DOC will have additional costs beyond the \$17,000 annual dues levied by the interstate commission for juveniles. Costs associated with the 5-member interstate compact supervision board, standardizing the interstate movement of offenders and the development of a system of uniform data collection and dissemination are indeterminate.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications