

2005 ASSEMBLY BILL 970

1 **AN ACT** *to renumber and amend* 904.04 (2); and *to create* 904.04 (2) (b) of the
2 statutes; **relating to:** admitting evidence of other crimes in certain criminal
3 proceedings.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

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

4 **SECTION 1.** 904.04 (2) of the statutes is renumbered 904.04 (2) (a) and amended
5 to read:

6 904.04 (2) (a) OTHER CRIMES, WRONGS, OR ACTS. ~~Evidence~~ Except as provided in
7 par. (b), evidence of other crimes, wrongs, or acts is not admissible to prove the
8 character of a person in order to show that the person acted in conformity therewith.
9 This subsection does not exclude the evidence when offered for other purposes, such
10 as proof of motive, opportunity, intent, preparation, plan, knowledge, identity, or
11 absence of mistake or accident.

