



## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

**2007 Senate Bill 86**

**Senate Amendment 1**

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*Senate Bill 86* provides that the Legislative Audit Bureau must maintain a toll-free number with voice mail at the bureau's office to receive reports of fraud, waste, and mismanagement in state government. The bureau must relay these reports to the appropriate bureau employee for investigation.

*Senate Amendment 1* provides that if a bureau employee investigates a report, the employee may consult with a state agency. The amendment also provides that instead of requiring a bureau employee to investigate a report, the bureau may refer a report to a state agency for investigation. In the latter case, the state agency must conduct the investigation and deliver the results of the process to the bureau in a timely manner.

### *Legislative History*

On November 14, 2007, the Senate Committee on Ethics Reform and Government Operations introduced and adopted Senate Amendment 1 and recommended the bill for passage, as amended, both on votes of Ayes, 4; Noes, 0.

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