



**SENATE SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1,
TO 2009 ASSEMBLY BILL 139**

March 2, 2010 – Offered by Senator CARPENTER.

1 **AN ACT** *to amend* 27.019 (11) and 287.81 (3); and *to create* 287.81 (1) (as) and
2 287.81 (2m) of the statutes; **relating to:** littering and providing a penalty.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, the maximum penalty for littering is a forfeiture (civil monetary penalty) of \$500. Littering includes depositing solid waste along a highway, in the waters of the state, or on public or private property, other than in a trash receptacle or a solid waste facility, and failing to remove within 30 days, or otherwise abandoning, a vehicle in the waters of the state.

This bill provides that a person who deposits a large item of solid waste along a highway, in the waters of the state, or on public or private property, other than in a trash receptacle or a solid waste facility, is subject to a forfeiture of not more than \$1,000. Large items of solid waste are appliances, furniture, tires, motor vehicles, nonmotorized vehicles, boats, aircraft, building materials, and demolition waste.

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

3 **SECTION 1.** 27.019 (11) of the statutes is amended to read:

