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## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

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<b>2009 Wisconsin Act 316</b> [2009 Senate Bill 193]	<b>Raffle Licenses</b>
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Under *current law*, a local religious, charitable, service, fraternal, or veterans organization, or other *local organization* to which donations are tax deductible, is eligible for a license to conduct a raffle. “*Local organization*” is defined as an organization whose activities are limited to this state or to a specific geographical area within this state.

*2009 Wisconsin Act 316* amends the definition of a “local organization,” for purposes of eligibility for a raffle license, to include an organization whose activities are limited to a *specific geographical area that is partly within this state and partly within another state*.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature’s Web site at: <http://www.legis.state.wi.us/>.