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### **#1 Substitute Amendment for AB 6 – Creation of WEDC**

The following parties are directed to develop a frame work, to be completed on or before April 1, 2011, for the creation of a public-private entity that will oversee, create and implement economic policies for the state of Wisconsin:

- Governor or their designate
- Secretary of the Department of Commerce or their designate
- Secretary of Administration or their designate
- Two Republican Representatives, one Democratic Representative
- Two Republican Senators, one Democratic Senator
- Representatives of the following agencies or organizations:
  - Department of Revenue
  - Department of Workforce Development
  - WEDA
  - WISPIRG
  - NFIB
  - WI Independent Businesses
  - Competitive WI
  - AFT – WI

(These are based on who testified in the committee)

The above working group will develop a business plan that includes but is not limited to the following:

- Structure of the Economic Development Entity: department or agency/authority level
  - Department or division descriptions, chief staff descriptions
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- Transition of Commerce; including but not limited to
  - layout of which departments, divisions and bureaus will remain with commerce
  - layout of which departments, divisions and bureaus will be moved, and where
  - which positions and funds will be removed by Secretary of DOA
  - layout who will take over Commerce regulations if divisions are moved or defunded
- Determination of auditing of the entity with metrics of success being clearly defined
- Detail of the policies and procedures for Economic Development practices to be used by the Economic Development Entity
- Projected budget request for funding of the entity and its programs for the 2011-2013 biennial budget and a projected look at future biennial budgets, as reasonable.
- Determination of the role of the Business Community in the support of the Economic Development entity. (ie: The business community will have a financial role in the entity through payment of the salary and benefits of the Entity Director allowing state funds to be completely used for economic development programs.)



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**ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT ,  
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1 AN ACT ...; relating to: a working group to develop a plan for creating a  
 2 public-private entity to oversee, create, and implement economic policies.

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

3 **SECTION 1. Nonstatutory provisions.**

4 (1) CREATION AND PLAN OF WORKING GROUP. There shall be created a working  
 5 group that shall develop a plan to create a public-private entity to oversee, create,  
 6 and implement economic policies for the state. The plan shall include, but is not  
 7 limited to, the following:

8 (a) The creation of an economic development entity, including, but not limited  
 9 to, all of the following:

10 1. The structure of the entity, including whether it is a department or an  
 11 authority.

1           2. The particular divisions of the entity.

2           3. Descriptions of the necessary staff and their duties.

3           (b) The transition of the ~~Department of Commerce~~, including, but not limited  
4 to, the following:

5           1. The identification of which divisions and bureaus will remain with the  
6 ~~Department of Commerce~~.

7           2. The identification of which sections and bureaus will be transferred and the  
8 site to which they will be transferred.

9           3. The identification of which positions and funds will be removed by the  
10 secretary of administration.

11           4. The identification of the entities that will administer the rules currently  
12 administered by the ~~Department of Commerce~~ if such transfer is necessary.

13           (c) The method by which the entity created under paragraph (a) will be audited  
14 and evaluated, including defining the indicators of the success of the entity.

15           (d) Details of the policies and procedures for economic development practices  
16 to be used by the entity created under paragraph (a).

17           (e) The projected budget request for the 2011-13 biennial budget for the entity  
18 created under paragraph (a) and its programs and projected budget requests for  
19 future biennial budgets, to the extent such projections are reasonable.

20           (f) The role of the business community in supporting the entity created under  
21 paragraph (a), including, but not limited to, financial roles that will allow state funds  
22 to be used entirely for economic development.

23           (2) MEMBERSHIP OF WORKING GROUP. The working group shall consist of the  
24 following:

25           (a) The governor or the governor's designee.

1 (b) The secretaries of administration and commerce, or their designees.

2 (c) Two majority party members and one minority party member from each  
3 house of the legislature, appointed as are the members of standing committees in  
4 their respective houses.

5 (d) One representative appointed by the governor from each of the following:

- 6 1. The department of revenue.
- 7 2. The department of workforce development.
- 8 3. The Wisconsin Economic Development Association.
- 9 4. The Wisconsin Public Interest Research Group.
- 10 5. National Federation of Independent Business/Wisconsin.
- 11 6. Wisconsin Independent Business.
- 12 7. Competitive Wisconsin, Inc.
- 13 8. AFT-Wisconsin.

14 (3) SUBMISSION DATE. By April 1, 2011, the working group shall submit the plan  
15 under subsection (1) to the governor and the chief clerk of each house of the  
16 legislature, for distribution to the legislature under s. 13.172<sup>✓</sup> (2).

17 (END)