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State of Misconsin 2011 - 2012 LEGISLATURE





ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1, TO 2011 ASSEMBLY BILL 40

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AN ACT relating to: state finances and appropriations, constituting the executive budget act of the 2011 legislature.

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

SECTION 1d. 5.02 (18) of the statutes is amended to read:

5.02 (18) "September primary" means the primary held the 2nd Tuesday in September to nominate candidates to be voted for at the general election, and to determine which candidates for state offices other than district attorney may participate in the Wisconsin election campaign fund.

Section 2d. 5.35 (6) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

5.35 (6) (b) At each polling place in the state where a consolidated ballot under s. 5.655 is used or an electronic voting system is utilized at a partisan primary election incorporating a ballot upon which electors may mark votes for candidates

of more than one recognized political party or for candidates of a recognized political party and independent candidates, the municipal clerk or board of election commissioners shall prominently post a sign in the form prescribed by the board warning electors in substance that on any ballot with votes cast for candidates of more than one recognized political party or any ballot with votes cast for candidates of a recognized political party and independent candidates, no votes cast for any candidates for partisan office will be counted unless a preference for a party or for the independent candidates is made. If the elector designates a preference, only votes cast for candidates of that preference will be counted.

Section 2f. 5.37 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

5.37 (4) Voting machines may be used at primary elections when they comply with subs. (1) and (2) and the following provisions: All candidates' names entitled to appear on the ballots at the primary shall appear on the machine; the elector cannot vote for candidates of more than one party, whenever the restriction applies, and an elector who votes for candidates of any party may not vote for independent candidates at the September primary; the elector may secretly select the party for which he or she wishes to vote, or the independent candidates in the case of the September primary; the elector may vote for as many candidates for each office as he or she is lawfully entitled to vote for, but no more.

SECTION 3e. 5.62 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

5.62 (1) (a) At September primaries, the following ballot shall be provided for the nomination of candidates of recognized political parties for national, state and county offices and independent candidates for state office in each ward, in the same form as prescribed by the board under s. 7.08 (1) (a), except as authorized in s. 5.655. The ballots shall be made up of the several party tickets with each party entitled to

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participate in the primary under par. (b) or sub. (2) having its own ballot, except as authorized in s. 5.655. The independent candidates for state office other than district attorney shall have a separate ballot for all such candidates as under s. 5.64 (1) (e). except as authorized in s. 5.655. The ballots shall be secured together at the bottom. The party ballot of the party receiving the most votes for president or governor at the last general election shall be on top with the other parties arranged in descending order based on their vote for president or governor at the last general election. The ballots of parties qualifying under sub. (2) shall be placed after the parties qualifying under par. (b), in the same order in which the parties filed petitions with the board. Any ballot required under par. (b) 2. shall be placed next in order. The ballot listing the independent candidates shall be placed at the bottom. At polling places where voting machines are used, each party and the independent candidates shall be represented in one or more separate columns or rows on the ballot. At polling places where an electronic voting system is used other than an electronic voting machine, each party and the independent candidates may be represented in separate columns or rows on the ballot.

Section 3m. 5.62 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

5.62 (3) The board shall designate the official primary ballot arrangement for statewide offices and district attorney within each prosecutorial district by using the same procedure as provided in s. 5.60 (1) (b). On each ballot and on each separate column or row on the ballot, the candidates for office shall be listed together with the offices which they seek in the following order whenever these offices appear on the September primary ballot: governor, lieutenant governor, attorney general, secretary of state, state treasurer, U.S. senator, U.S. representative in congress, state senator, representative to the assembly, district attorney and the county offices.

1	Below the names of the independent candidates shall appear the party or principle
2	of the candidates, if any, in 5 words or less, as shown on their nomination papers.
3	Section 3s. 5.62 (5) of the statutes is repealed.
4	Section 3t. 5.68 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:
5	5.68 (4) Except as provided under sub. (7), the The cost of compensation of
6	election officials and trainees shall be borne in the manner provided in s. 7.03.
7	Section 3u. 5.68 (7) of the statutes is repealed.
8	Section 3v. 5.81 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:
9	5.81 (4) In partisan primary elections, if a ballot contains the names of
10	candidates of more than one party or the names of party candidates and independent
11	candidates, it shall provide a space for electors to designate a party preference or a
12	preference for the independent candidates. Failure to designate a preference does
13	not invalidate any votes cast by an elector, except as provided in s. $7.50(1)(d)$.
14	Section 4g. 5.91 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:
15	5.91 (1) It enables an elector to vote in secrecy and to select the party or the
16	independent candidates for whom for which an elector will vote in secrecy at a
17	partisan primary election.
18	Section 4r. 5.91 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:
19	5.91 (6) The voting device or machine permits an elector in a primary election
20	to vote for the candidates of the recognized political party or the independent
21	candidates of his or her choice, and the automatic tabulating equipment or machine
22	rejects any ballot on which votes are cast in the primary of more than one recognized
23	political party, except where a party or independent candidate designation is made
24	or where an elector casts write-in votes for candidates of more than one party on a

ballot that is distributed to the elector.

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- **Section 5g.** 7.08 (2) (c) of the statutes is repealed.
- 2 Section 5r. 7.08 (2) (cm) of the statutes is repealed.
- 3 SECTION 6c. 7.70 (3) (e) (intro.) and 2. of the statutes are consolidated, 4 renumbered 7.70 (3) (e) and amended to read:
 - 7.70 (3) (e) The chairperson of the board or the chairperson's designee shall make a special statement to the board as soon as possible after the canvass of the general election certifying: 2. After the general election, the name of each political party which receives at least one percent of the vote cast in such election for any statewide office.
 - **Section 6d.** 7.70 (3) (e) 1. of the statutes is repealed.
- 11 **Section 7c.** 8.15 (7) of the statutes is amended to read:
 - 8.15 (7) A candidate may not run in more than one party primary at the same time. No filing official may accept nomination papers for the same person in the same election for more than one party. An independent candidate at a partisan primary or other election may not file nomination papers as the candidate of a recognized political party for the same office at the same election. A person who files nomination papers as the candidate of a recognized political party may not file nomination papers as an independent candidate for the same office at the same election.
 - **SECTION 7d.** 8.16 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:
 - 8.16 (1) Except as provided in sub. (2), the person who receives the greatest number of votes for an office on a party ballot at any partisan primary, regardless of whether the person's name appears on the ballot, shall be the party's candidate for the office, and the person's name shall so appear on the official ballot at the next election. All independent candidates shall appear on the general election ballot

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regardless of the number of votes received by such candidates at the September primary.

Section 7e. 8.16 (5) of the statutes is repealed.

Section 7f. 8.20 (8) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

8.20 (8) (a) Nomination papers for independent candidates for any office to be voted upon at a general election or September primary and general election, except president, vice president and presidential elector, may be circulated no sooner than June 1 preceding the election and may be filed no later than 5 p.m. on the 2nd Tuesday of July preceding the September primary, except as authorized in this paragraph. If an incumbent fails to file nomination papers and a declaration of candidacy by 5 p.m. on the 2nd Tuesday of July preceding the September primary, all candidates for the office held by the incumbent, other than the incumbent, may file nomination papers no later than 72 hours after the latest time prescribed in this paragraph. No extension of the time for filing nomination papers applies if the incumbent files written notification with the filing officer or agency with whom nomination papers are filed for the office which the incumbent holds, no later than 5 p.m. on the 2nd Friday preceding the latest time prescribed in this paragraph for filing nomination papers, that the incumbent is not a candidate for reelection to his or her office, and the incumbent does not file nomination papers for that office within the time prescribed in this paragraph.

SECTION 7g. 8.20 (9) of the statutes is amended to read:

8.20 (9) Persons nominated by nomination papers without a recognized political party designation shall be placed on the official ballot at the general election and at any partisan election to the right or below the recognized political party candidates in their own column or row designated "Independent". At the September

primary, persons nominated for state office by nomination papers without a recognized political party designation shall be placed on a separate ballot or, if a consolidated paper ballot under s. 5.655 (2), an electronic voting system or voting machines are used, in a column or row designated "Independent". If the candidate's name already appears under a recognized political party it may not be listed on the independent ballot, column or row.

SECTION 7n. 8.35 (4) (b) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 7r. 8.35 (4) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

8.35 (4) (c) The transfer shall be reported to the appropriate filing officer in a special report submitted by the former candidate's campaign treasurer. If the former candidate is deceased and was serving as his or her own campaign treasurer, the former candidate's petitioner or personal representative shall file the report and make the transfer required by par. (b), if any. The report shall include a complete statement of all contributions, disbursements and incurred obligations pursuant to s. 11.06 (1) covering the period from the day after the last date covered on the former candidate's most recent report to the date of disposition.

SECTION 7w. 8.50 (3) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

8.50 (3) (b) Except as otherwise provided in this section, the provisions for September primaries under s. 8.15 are applicable to all partisan primaries held under this section, and the provisions for spring primaries under s. 8.10 are applicable to all nonpartisan primaries held under this section. In a special partisan primary or election, the order of the parties on the ballot shall be the same as provided under s. 5.62 (1) or 5.64 (1) (b). Independent candidates for state office at a special partisan election shall not appear on the primary ballot. No primary is required for a nonpartisan election in which not more than 2 candidates for an office

appear on the ballot or for a partisan election in which not more than one candidate for an office appears on the ballot of each recognized political party. In every special election except a special election for nonpartisan state office where no candidate is certified to appear on the ballot, a space for write-in votes shall be provided on the ballot, regardless of whether a special primary is held.

Section 8d. 10.02 (3) (b) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

10.02 (3) (b) 2. At a special partisan primary, the elector shall select the party ballot of his or her choice and shall make a cross (X) next to or depress the lever or button next to the candidate's name for each office for whom the elector intends to vote, or shall insert or write in the name of the elector's choice for a candidate.

SECTION 8h. 10.02 (3) (b) 2m. of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 8p. 10.06 (1) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

10.06 (1) (e) As soon as possible following the state canvass of the spring primary vote, but no later than the first Tuesday in March, the board shall send a type B notice certifying to each county clerk the list of candidates for the spring election. When no state spring primary is held or when the only primary held is the presidential preference primary, this notice shall be sent under par. (c). The board shall also in any case send a certified list of candidates under s. 11.50 to the state treasurer pursuant to s. 7.08 (2) (c). When there is a referendum, the board shall send type A and C notices certifying each question to the county clerks as soon as possible, but no later than the first Tuesday in March.

SECTION 8t. 10.06 (1) (i) of the statutes is amended to read:

10.06 (1) (i) As soon as possible after the state canvass, but no later than the 4th Tuesday in September, the board shall send a type B notice certifying the list of candidates and type A and C notices certifying each question for any referendum to

each county clerk for the general election and a certified list of candidates under s.

11.50 to the state treasurer pursuant to s. 7.08 (2) (c).

SECTION 11c. 11.06 (1) (jm) of the statutes is amended to read:

11.06 (1) (jm) A copy of any separate schedule prepared or received pursuant to an escrow agreement under s. 11.16 (5). A candidate or personal campaign committee receiving contributions under such an agreement and attaching a separate schedule under this paragraph may indicate the percentage of the total contributions received, disbursements made and exclusions claimed under s. 11.31 (6) without itemization, except that amounts received from any contributor pursuant to the agreement who makes any separate contribution to the candidate or personal campaign committee during the calendar year of receipt as indicated in the schedule shall be aggregated and itemized if required under par. (a) or (b).

Section 11g. 11.12 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

11.12 (2) No registrant, other than a candidate who receives a public financing benefit from the democracy trust fund, may accept an Any anonymous contribution exceeding \$10. No candidate who receives a public financing benefit from the democracy trust fund may accept an anonymous contribution exceeding \$5. Any anonymous contribution that may not be accepted under this subsection received by a campaign or committee treasurer or by an individual under s. 11.06 (7) may not be used or expended. The contribution shall be donated to the common school fund or to -a- any charitable organization at the option of the registrant's treasurer.

SECTION 11n. 11.16 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

11.16 (2) LIMITATION ON CASH CONTRIBUTIONS. Except as provided in s. 11.506 (6), every Every contribution of money exceeding \$50 shall be made by negotiable instrument or evidenced by an itemized credit card receipt bearing on the face the

name of the remitter. No treasurer may accept a contribution made in violation of this subsection. The treasurer shall promptly return the contribution, or donate it to the common school fund or to a charitable organization in the event that the donor cannot be identified.

SECTION 11r. 11.16 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

11.16 (3) Form of disbursements. Except as authorized under s. 11.511 (1), every Every disbursement which is made by a registered individual or treasurer from the campaign depository account shall be made by negotiable instrument. Such instrument shall bear on the face the full name of the candidate, committee, individual or group as it appears on the registration statement filed under s. 11.05 and where necessary, such additional words as are sufficient to clearly indicate the political nature of the registrant or account of the registrant. The name of a political party shall include the word "party". The instrument of each committee registered with the board and designated under s. 11.05 (3) (c) as a special interest committee shall bear the identification number assigned under s. 11.21 (12) on the face of the instrument.

Section 11w. 11.16 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

11.16 (5) ESCROW AGREEMENTS. Any personal campaign committee, political party committee or legislative campaign committee may, pursuant to a written escrow agreement with more than one candidate, solicit contributions for and conduct a joint fund raising effort or program on behalf of more than one named candidate. The agreement shall specify the percentage of the proceeds to be distributed to each candidate by the committee conducting the effort or program. The committee shall include this information in all solicitations for the effort or program. All contributions received and disbursements made by the committee in

1	connection with the effort or program shall be received and disbursed through a
2	separate depository account under s. 11.14 (1) that is identified in the agreement.
3	For purposes of s. 11.06 (1), the committee conducting the effort or program shall
4	prepare a schedule in the form prescribed by the board supplying all required
5	information under s. 11.06 (1) and items qualifying for exclusion under s. 11.31 (6)
6	for the effort or program, and shall transmit a copy of the schedule to each candidate
7	who receives any of the proceeds within the period prescribed in s. 11.06 (4) (c).
8	Section 12b. 11.21 (15) of the statutes is repealed.
9	Section 12d. 11.26 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
10	11.26 (1) (a) Candidates for governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state,
11	state treasurer, attorney general, or state superintendent, or justice, \$10,000.
12	Section 12e. 11.26 (1) (am) of the statutes is repealed.
13	Section 12g. 11.26 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
14	11.26 (2) (a) Candidates for governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state,
15	state treasurer, attorney general, or state superintendent, or justice, 4 percent of the
16	value of the disbursement level specified in the schedule under s. 11.31 (1).
17	Section 12h. 11.26 (2) (an) of the statutes is repealed.
18	SECTION 12j. 11.26 (9) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
19	11.26 (9) (a) Except as provided in par. (ba), no No individual who is a candidate
20	for state or local office may receive and accept more than 65 percent of the value of
21	the total disbursement level determined under s. $11.31 \text{ or } 11.511 (7) (a)$ for the office
22	for which he or she is a candidate during any primary and election campaign
23	combined from all committees subject to a filing requirement, including political
24	party and legislative campaign committees.

Section 12k. 11.26 (9) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

superintendent, or justice, \$215,625.

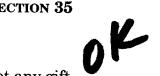
11.26 (9) (b) Except as provided in par. (ba), no No individual who is a candidate
for state or local office may receive and accept more than 45 percent of the value of
the total disbursement level determined under s. 11.31 or 11.511 (7) (a) for the office
for which he or she is a candidate during any primary and election campaign
combined from all committees other than political party and legislative campaign
committees subject to a filing requirement.
SECTION 12L. 11.26 (9) (ba) of the statutes is repealed.
SECTION 12m. 11.26 (9) (c) of the statutes is repealed.
SECTION 12n. 11.26 (10) of the statutes is repealed.
SECTION 12p. 11.26 (13) of the statutes is repealed.
SECTION 12s. 11.26 (17) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
11.26 (17) (a) For purposes of application of the limitations imposed in subs.
(1), (2) , and (9) and (10) , the "campaign" of a candidate begins and ends at the times
specified in this subsection.
SECTION 13b. 11.31 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:
11.31 (title) Disbursement levels and limitations; calculation.
Section 13d. 11.31 (1) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
11.31 (1) Schedule. (intro.) The following levels of disbursements are
established with reference to the candidates listed below. Except as provided in sub.
(2), such The levels do not operate to restrict the total amount of disbursements
which are made or authorized to be made by any candidate in any primary or other
election.
Section 13g. 11.31 (1) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:
11.31 (1) (d) Candidates for secretary of state, state treasurer, or, state

SECTION 13h. 11.31 (2) of the statutes is repealed. 1 2 **SECTION 13i.** 11.31 (2m) of the statutes is repealed. 3 **Section 13j.** 11.31 (3) of the statutes is repealed. 4 **Section 13k.** 11.31 (3m) of the statutes is repealed. 5 **SECTION 13km.** 11.31 (4) of the statutes is repealed. 6 **SECTION 13p.** 11.31 (6) of the statutes is repealed. 7 **Section 13s.** 11.31 (7) (b) to (d) of the statutes are amended to read: 8 11.31 (7) (b) Disbursements which are made before a campaign period for goods 9 to be delivered or services to be rendered in connection with the campaign are 10 charged against allocated to the disbursement limitation level for that campaign. 11 (c) Disbursements which are made after a campaign to retire a debt incurred 12 in relation to a campaign are charged against allocated to the disbursement 13 limitation level for that campaign. 14 (d) Disbursements which are made outside a campaign period and to which par. 15 (b) or (c) does not apply are not subject to any disbursement limitation level. Such 16 disbursements are subject to s. 11.25 (2). 17 **Section 13t.** 11.31 (8) of the statutes is amended to read: 11.31 (8) CERTAIN CONTRIBUTIONS EXCLUDED. The limitations imposed under 18 levels specified in this section do not apply to a gift of anything of value constituting 19 20 a contribution made directly to a registrant by another, but the limitations shall 21 levels do apply to such a gift when it is received and accepted by the recipient or if 22 received in the form of money, when disbursed. 23 **Section 13v.** 11.31 (10) of the statutes is repealed. 24 **Section 13vb.** 11.50 of the statutes is repealed. 25 **Section 13wb.** 11.501 of the statutes is repealed.

1	Section 13wc. 11.502 of the statutes is repealed.
2	Section 13wd. 11.503 of the statutes is repealed.
3	Section 13we. 11.505 of the statutes is repealed.
4	SECTION 13wf. 11.506 of the statutes is repealed.
5	SECTION 13wg. 11.507 of the statutes is repealed.
6	Section 13wh. 11.508 of the statutes is repealed.
7	Section 13wi. 11.509 of the statutes is repealed.
8	Section 13wj. 11.51 of the statutes is repealed.
9	Section 13wk. 11.511 of the statutes is repealed.
10	Section 14. 11.512 of the statutes is repealed.
11	SECTION 15. 11.513 of the statutes is repealed.
12	Section 16a. 11.515 of the statutes is repealed.
13	Section 16b. 11.516 of the statutes is repealed.
14	Section 16c. 11.517 of the statutes is repealed.
15	Section 16d. 11.518 of the statutes is repealed.
16	Section 16e. 11.522 of the statutes is repealed.
17	SECTION 16f. 11.60 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:
18	11.60 (4) Except as otherwise provided in ss. $5.05 (2m) (c) 15$. and 16 . and (h) ,
19	5.08, and 5.081, actions under this section or s. 11.517 may be brought by the board
20	or by the district attorney for the county where the defendant resides or, if the
21	defendant is a nonresident, by the district attorney for the county where the violation
22	is alleged to have occurred. For purposes of this subsection, a person other than a
23	natural person resides within a county if the person's principal place of operation is
24	located within that county.
25	SECTION 17c. 11.61 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

11.61 (2) Except as otherwise provided in ss. $5.05~(2m)~(c)~15.$ and $16.$ and (i)
5.08, and 5.081, all prosecutions under this section or s. 11.518 shall be conducted
by the district attorney for the county where the defendant resides or, if the
defendant is a nonresident, by the district attorney for the county where the violation
is alleged to have occurred. For purposes of this subsection, a person other than a
natural person resides within a county if the person's principal place of operation is
located within that county.
Section 19m. 13.099 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
13.099 (1) (a) "Department" means the department of commerce
administration.
SECTION 20. 13.099 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:
13.099 (1) (b) "State housing strategy plan" means the plan developed under
s. 560.9802 <u>16.302</u> .
SECTION 21. 13.099 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
13.099 (2) (a) If any bill that is introduced in either house of the legislature
directly or substantially affects the development, construction, cost, or availability
of housing in this state, the department shall prepare a report on the bill within 30
days after it is introduced. The department may request any information from other
state agencies, local governments or individuals, or organizations that is reasonably
necessary for the department to prepare the report.
SECTION 25. 13.099 (3) (a) 5. of the statutes is amended to read:
13.099 (3) (a) 5. Housing costs, as defined in s. 560.9801 16.301 (3) (a) and (b).
SECTION 33. 13.40 of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 35. 13.48 (2) (b) 1m. of the statutes is amended to read:



13.48 (2) (b) 1m. The University of Wisconsin System may not accept any gift, grant or bequest of real property with a value in excess of \$30,000 \$150,000 or any gift, grant or bequest of a building or structure that is constructed for the benefit of the system or any institution thereof without the approval of the building commission.

SECTION 39. 13.48 (2) (b) 4. of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 41. 13.48 (2) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

13.48 (2) (d) The building commission, for the purpose of carrying out s. 36.33 relating to the sale and purchase of agricultural lands of the University of Wisconsin, may authorize the advance of sums from the state building trust fund for the purchase price, including option payments, of agricultural lands to be acquired by the University of Wisconsin and for expenses incurred in selling agricultural lands presently owned by the University of Wisconsin, including, without limitation because of enumeration, expenses of surveying, platting, constructing and improving streets and utilities and drainage in such a way as to realize the greatest return to the state in the sale of such lands, and other selling expenses. All such sums advanced shall be repaid to the state building trust fund from the appropriation made by s. 20.285 (1) (ka) (gb).

Section 43. 13.48 (2) (j) of the statutes is repealed.

Section 44p. 13.48 (3) of the statutes is amended to read:

13.48 (3) STATE BUILDING TRUST FUND. In the interest of the continuity of the program, the moneys appropriated to the state building trust fund under s. 20.867 (2) (f) shall be retained as a nonlapsing building depreciation reserve. Such moneys shall be deposited into the state building trust fund. At such times as the building commission directs, or in emergency situations under s. 16.855 (16) (b), the governor

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shall authorize releases from this fund to become available for projects and shall direct the department of administration to allocate from this fund such amounts as are approved for these projects. In issuing such directions, the building commission shall consider the cash balance in the state building trust fund, the necessity and urgency of the proposed improvement, employment conditions and availability of materials in the locality in which the improvement is to be made. The building commission may authorize any project costing \$500,000 \$760,000 or less in accordance with priorities to be established by the building commission and may adjust the priorities by deleting, substituting or adding new projects as needed to reflect changing program needs and unforeseen circumstances. The building commission may enter into contracts for the construction of buildings for any state agency, except a project authorized under sub. (10) (c), and shall be responsible for accounting for all funds released to projects. The building commission may designate the department of administration or the agency for which the project is constructed to act as its representative in such accounting.

Section 45. 13.48 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

13.48 (4) State agency contemplates a project under this the state building program it shall report its proposed projects the project to the building commission. The report shall be made on such date and in such manner as the building commission prescribes. This subsection does not apply to projects identified in sub. (10) (c).

SECTION 47. 13.48 (10) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

13.48 (10) (a) No Except as provided in par. (c), no state board, agency, officer, department, commission, or body corporate may enter into a contract for the

construction, reconstruction, remodeling of, or addition to any building, structure, or facility, in connection with any building project which involves a cost in excess of \$150,000 \$185,000 without completion of final plans and arrangement for supervision of construction and prior approval by the building commission. The building commission may not approve a contract for the construction, reconstruction, renovation or remodeling of or an addition to a state building as defined in s. 44.51 (2) unless it determines that s. 44.57 has been complied with or does not apply. This section applies to the department of transportation only in respect to buildings, structures, and facilities to be used for administrative or operating functions, including buildings, land, and equipment to be used for the motor vehicle emission inspection and maintenance program under s. 110.20.

SECTION 49. 13.48 (10) (c) of the statutes is created to read:

13.48 (10) (c) Paragraph (a) does not apply to any contract for a building project involving a cost of less than \$500,000 to be constructed for the University of Wisconsin System that is funded entirely from the proceeds of gifts and grants made to the system.

Section 50g. 13.48 (14) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

13.48 (14) (a) In this subsection, "agency" has the meaning given for "state agency" in s. 20.001 (1), except that during the period beginning on October 27, 2007, and ending on June 30, 2009, and the period beginning on July 1, 2009, the term does not include the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System.

Section 50h. 13.48 (14) (am) of the statutes is amended to read:

13.48 (14) (am) Subject Except as provided in this paragraph and subject to par.

(d), the building commission shall have the authority to sell or lease all or any part of a state-owned building or structure or state-owned land, including farmland,

where such authority is not otherwise provided to an agency by law, and may transfer land under its jurisdiction among agencies. The building commission does not have the authority to sell or lease any state-owned property under this paragraph after the department of administration notifies the commission in writing that an offer of sale or sale with respect to a property is pending under s. 16.848 (1). If the sale is not completed and no further action is pending with respect to the property, the authority of the building commission under this paragraph is restored.

Section 52. 13.48 (29) of the statutes is amended to read:

13.48 **(29)** SMALL PROJECTS. Except as otherwise required under s. 16.855 (10m), the building commission may prescribe simplified policies and procedures to be used in lieu of the procedures provided in s. 16.855 for any project that does not require prior approval of the building commission under sub. (10) (a), except projects specified in sub. (10) (c).

SECTION 56g. 13.48 (32) (b) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

\$15,000,000 \$23,000,000 of general fund supported borrowing to aid in the construction of a dental clinic and education facility at Marquette University. The state funding commitment for the construction of the facility shall be in the form of a construction grant to Marquette University. Before approving any state funding commitment for such a facility and before awarding the construction grant to Marquette University, the building commission shall determine that all of the following conditions have been met:

SECTION 56h. 13.48 (32) (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

13.48 **(32)** (b) 1. Marquette University has secured additional funding commitments of at least \$15,000,000 \$23,000,000 from nonstate revenue sources,

the nonstate revenue sources are reasonable and available and the total funding commitments of the state and the nonstate sources will permit Marquette University to enter into contracts for the construction of the dental clinic and education facility.

Section 56p. 13.48 (40m) of the statutes is created to read:

- 13.48 (40m) Lac du Flambeau Indian Tribal Cultural Center. (a) The legislature finds and determines that the Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa has played a vital part in the course of Wisconsin history and has contributed in countless and significant ways to the cultural richness and diversity of this state. Moreover, the legislature finds and determines that Wisconsin citizens, including students, can benefit from learning more about the history and the culture of the Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa. It is therefore in the public interest, and it is the public policy of this state, to assist the Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa in the construction of a tribal cultural center.
- (b) The building commission may authorize up to \$250,000 in general fund supported borrowing to aid in the construction of a tribal cultural center for the Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa. The state funding commitment shall be in the form of a grant to the Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa. Before approving any state funding commitment under this paragraph, the building commission shall determine that the Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa has secured at least \$1,373,000 in additional funding from nonstate donations for the project.
- (c) If the building commission authorizes a grant to the Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa under par. (b) and if, for any reason, the facility that is constructed with funds from the grant is not used as a tribal cultural center, the state

1	shall retain an ownership interest in the facility equal to the amount of the state's
2	grant.
3	SECTION 59. 13.489 (1m) (f) of the statutes is created to read:
4	13.489 (1m) (f) This subsection does not apply to major highway projects
5	described in s. 84.013 (1) (a) 2m.
6	Section 60. 13.489 (4) (d) of the statutes is created to read:
7	13.489 (4) (d) This subsection does not apply to major highway projects
8	described in s. 84.013 (1) (a) 2m.
9	Section 61. 13.489 (4m) of the statutes is created to read:
10	13.489 (4m) REVIEW OF HIGH-COST MAJOR HIGHWAY PROJECTS. (a)
11	Notwithstanding sub. (4), for any major highway project described in s. 84.013 (1) (a)
12	2m., the department of transportation shall submit a report to the commission, prior
13	to construction of the project, which report may request the commission's approval
14	to proceed with the project. The department may submit this request at any time
15	following completion by the department of a draft environmental impact statement
16	or environmental assessment for the project.
17	(b) After receiving a request under par. (a) for approval to proceed with a major
18	highway project described in s. 84.013, the commission shall meet to approve,
19	approve with modifications, or disapprove the request. The department may
20	implement the request only as approved by the commission, including approval after
21	modification by the commission.
22	(c) The department of transportation may not proceed with construction of a
23	major highway project described in s. $84.013(1)(a)2m$. unless the project is approved
24	by the commission as provided in par. (b).

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1	(d) The procedures specified in this subsection shall apply to all major highway
2	projects described in s. 84.013 (1) (a) 2m. in lieu of the procedures described in sub
3	(4).
4	SECTION 63. 13.625 (9) of the statutes is amended to read:
5	13.625 (9) This section does not apply to the solicitation, acceptance, or
6	furnishing of anything of pecuniary value by the department of commerce Wisconsin
7	Economic Development Corporation, or to a principal furnishing anything of
8	pecuniary value to the department of commerce Wisconsin Economic Development
9	Corporation, under s. 19.56 (3) (e) or (f) for the activities specified in s. 19.56 (3) (e)
10	SECTION 65. 13.94 (1) (dp) of the statutes is created to read:
11	13.94 (1) (dp) In addition to any other audit to be performed under this section
12	relating to veterans homes, perform one or more financial audits of the operation of
13	the Wisconsin Veterans Home at Chippewa Falls by any private entity with which
14	the department of veterans affairs enters into an agreement under s. 45.50 (2m) (c).
15	The audit shall be performed at such time as the governor or legislature directs.
16	SECTION 66. 13.94 (1) (mm) of the statutes, as affected by 2011 Wisconsin Act
17	7, is amended to read:
18	13.94 (1) (mm) No later than July 1, 2012, prepare a financial and performance
19	evaluation audit of the economic development programs administered by the
20	department of commerce, the University of Wisconsin System, the department of
21	agriculture, trade and consumer protection, the department of natural resources, the
22	Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority, the Wisconsin Economic
23	Development Corporation, the department of tourism, the technical college system

and the department of transportation. In this paragraph, economic development

program has the meaning given in s. 560.001 (1m) 23.167 (1). The legislative audit

1	bureau shall file a copy of the report of the audit under this paragraph with the
2	distributees specified in par. (b).
3	SECTION 67. 13.94 (1) (ms) of the statutes is amended to read:
4	13.94 (1) (ms) No later than July 1, 2014, prepare a financial and performance
5	evaluation audit of the economic development tax benefit program under ss. 560.701
6	to 560.706 238.301 to 238.306. The legislative audit bureau shall file a copy of the
7	report of the audit under this paragraph with the distributees specified in par. (b).
8	SECTION 68. 13.94 (1) (n) of the statutes is amended to read:
9	13.94 (1) (n) Provide periodic performance audits of any division of the
10	department of commerce safety and professional services that is responsible for
11	inspections of multifamily housing under s. 101.973 (11).
12	SECTION 73. 14.165 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:
13	14.165 (2) RECOMMENDATIONS. The department of administration, department
14	of commerce safety and professional services, and public service commission shall
15	make recommendations to the governor for awards under sub. (1).
16	SECTION 74. 14.57 of the statutes is renumbered 15.105 (25m), and 15.105
17	(25m) (intro.) and (a), as renumbered, are amended to read:
18	15.105 (25m) Same; attached boards College savings program board. (intro.)
19	There is created a college savings program board that is attached to the office of the
20	state treasurer department of administration under s. 15.03 and that consists of all
21	of the following members:
22	(a) The state treasurer secretary of administration or his or her designee.
23	Section 74m. 14.58 (20) of the statutes is repealed.
24	SECTION 75. 14.63 of the statutes is renumbered 16.64, and 16.64 (2) (intro.)
25	and (b), (3) (a), (c) and (d), (4), (5) (b) (intro.), (6) (a) 5. and (b), (7) (a) (intro.), 4. and

- 5. and (b), (7m) (a) (intro.), (b) and (c), (9), (10) (a) and (b), (12) (title), (a) (intro.) and (b) (intro.) and (13), as renumbered, are amended to read:
- 16.64 (2) WEIGHTED AVERAGE TUITION; TUITION UNIT COST. (intro.) Annually, the state treasurer department and the board jointly shall determine all of the following:
- (b) The price of a tuition unit, which shall be valid for a period determined jointly by the state treasurer department and the board. The price shall be sufficient to ensure the ability of the state treasurer department to meet his or her its obligations under this section. To the extent possible, the price shall be set so that the value of the tuition unit in the anticipated academic year of its use will be equal to 1% of the weighted average tuition for that academic year plus the costs of administering the program under this section attributable to the unit.
- (3) (a) An individual, trust, legal guardian, or entity described under 26 USC 529 (e) (1) (C) may enter into a contract with the state treasurer department for the sale of tuition units on behalf of a beneficiary.
 - (c) The state treasurer department may charge a purchaser an enrollment fee.
- (d) The state treasurer department shall promulgate rules authorizing a person who has entered into a contract under this subsection to change the beneficiary named in the contract.
- (4) Number of Tuition units purchased. A person who enters into a contract under sub. (3) may purchase tuition units at any time and in any number, or may authorize a parent, grandparent, great-grandparent, aunt, or uncle of the beneficiary to purchase tuition units, except that the total number of tuition units purchased on behalf of a single beneficiary may not exceed the number necessary to cover tuition, fees and the costs of room and board, books, supplies and equipment

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1	required for enrollment or attendance of the beneficiary at an institution of higher
2	education.
3	(5) (b) (intro.) Upon request by the beneficiary, the state treasurer department
4	shall pay to the institution or beneficiary, whichever is appropriate, in each semester
5	of attendance the lesser of the following:
6	(6) (a) 5. Other circumstances determined by the state treasurer department
7	to be grounds for termination.
8	(b) The state treasurer department may terminate a contract under sub. (3) if
9	any of the tuition units purchased under the contract remain unused 10 years after
10	the anticipated academic year of the beneficiary's initial enrollment in an institution
11	of higher education, as specified in the contract.
12	(7) (a) (intro.) Except as provided in sub. (7m), the state treasurer department
13	shall do all of the following:
14	4. If a contract is terminated under sub. (6) (a) 5., refund to the person who
15	entered into the contract the amount under subd. 2. or under subd. 3., as determined
16	by the state treasurer department.
17	5. If the beneficiary is awarded a scholarship, tuition waiver or similar subsidy
18	that cannot be converted into cash by the beneficiary, refund to the person who
19	entered into the contract, upon the person's request, an amount equal to the value
20	of the tuition units that are not needed because of the scholarship, waiver or similar
21	subsidy and that would otherwise have been paid by the $\frac{1}{2}$
22	on behalf of the beneficiary during the semester in which the beneficiary is enrolled.

(b) The state treasurer department shall determine the method and schedule

for the payment of refunds under this subsection.

- (7m) (a) (intro.) The state treasurer department may adjust the value of a tuition unit based on the actual earnings attributable to the tuition unit less the costs of administering the program under this section that are attributable to the tuition unit if any of the following applies:
- (b) The state treasurer department may not increase the value of a tuition unit under par. (a) to an amount that exceeds the value of a tuition unit that was purchased at a similar time, held for a similar period and used or refunded in the anticipated academic year of the beneficiary's attendance, as specified in the contract.
- (c) The state treasurer department may promulgate rules imposing or increasing penalties for refunds under sub. (7) (a) if the state treasurer department determines that such rules are necessary to maintain the status of the program under this section as a qualified state tuition program under section 529 of the Internal Revenue Code, as defined in s. 71.01 (6).
- (9) Contract with actuary. The state treasurer department shall contract with an actuary or actuarial firm to evaluate annually whether the assets in the tuition trust fund are sufficient to meet the obligations of the state treasurer department under this section and to advise the state treasurer department on setting the price of a tuition unit under sub. (2) (b).
- (10) (a) Annually, the state treasurer department shall submit a report to the governor, and to the appropriate standing committees of the legislature under s. 13.172 (3), on the program under this section. The report shall include any recommendations for changes to the program that the state treasurer department determines are necessary to ensure the sufficiency of the tuition trust fund to meet the state treasurer's department's obligations under this section.

1	(b) The state treasurer department shall submit a quarterly report to the state
2	investment board projecting the future cash flow needs of the tuition trust fund. The
3	state investment board shall invest moneys held in the tuition trust fund in
4	investments with maturities and liquidity that are appropriate for the needs of the
5	fund as reported by the state treasurer department in his or her its quarterly reports.
6	All income derived from such investments shall be credited to the fund.
7	(12) (title) Additional duties and powers of the state treasurer. (a) (intro.)
8	The state treasurer department shall do all of the following:
9	(b) (intro.) The state treasurer department may do any of the following:
10	(13) PROGRAM TERMINATION. If the state treasurer department determines that
11	the program under this section is financially infeasible, the state treasurer
12	<u>department</u> shall discontinue entering into contracts under sub. (3) and discontinue
13	selling tuition units under sub. (4).
14	SECTION 76. 14.64 of the statutes is renumbered 16.641, and 16.641 (2) (g) and
15	(3) (a) 1., as renumbered, are amended to read:
16	16.641 (2) (g) Ensure that if the department of administration changes
17	vendors, the balances of college savings accounts are promptly transferred into
18	investment instruments as similar to the original investment instruments as
19	possible.
20	(3) (a) 1. Contribute to a college savings account or authorize a parent,
21	grandparent, great-grandparent, aunt, or uncle of the beneficiary to contribute to
22	the account.
23	SECTION 77. 14.65 of the statutes is renumbered 16.642 and amended to read:
24	16.642 Repayment to the general fund. (1) The secretary of
25	administration shall transfer from the tuition trust fund, the college savings

program trust fund, the college savings program bank deposit trust fund, or the college savings program credit union deposit trust fund to the general fund an amount equal to the amount expended from the appropriations under s. 20.505 (9) (a), 1995 stats., s. 20.585 (2) (a), 2001 stats., and s. 20.585 (2) (am), 2001 stats., when the secretary of administration determines that funds in those trust funds are sufficient to make the transfer. The secretary of administration may make the transfer in installments.

(2) Annually, by June 1, the state treasurer secretary shall submit a report to the secretary of administration and the joint committee on finance on the amount available for repayment under sub. (1), the amount repaid under sub. (1), and the outstanding balance under sub. (1).

SECTION 79. 14.85 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

14.85 (2) The secretary of commerce, the secretary of tourism, the secretary of natural resources, the secretary of transportation, and the director of the historical society, or their designees, shall serve as nonvoting members of the commission.

Section 80. 14.85 (8) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

14.85 (8) (d) If permitted by law, any state agency or local public body, board, commission or agency may allocate funds under its control to fund programs recommended by the commission. If the department of commerce determines that a program recommended by the commission to undertake activities relating to the promotion of economic development is consistent with the department's statewide economic development plans, priorities and resources, the department shall have primary responsibility to support the activities of the program. If the department of tourism determines that a program recommended by the commission to undertake activities relating to the promotion of tourism is consistent with the department's

statewide tourism marketing plans, priorities, and resources, the department shall have primary responsibility to support the activities of the program.

SECTION 81. 14.85 (9) of the statutes is amended to read:

14.85 (9) The commission may establish a technical committee to advise the commission. The members of the committee shall include at least one employee each from the department of transportation, and the department of tourism and the department of commerce. The commission shall request the department of transportation, and the department of tourism and the department of commerce to designate employees to serve on the committee and may request any other state agency to designate an employee to serve on the committee.

SECTION 83. 15.01 (6) of the statutes is amended to read:

department or an independent agency, whether specifically created by law or created by the head of the department or the independent agency for the more economic and efficient administration and operation of the programs assigned to the department or independent agency. The office of justice assistance in the department of administration, the office of energy independence in the department of administration, the office of the Wisconsin Covenant Scholars Program in the department of financial institutions have the meaning of "division" under this subsection. The office of the long-term care ombudsman under the board on aging and long-term care and the office of educational accountability in the department of public instruction have the meaning of "bureau" under this subsection.

SECTION 84. 15.02 (3) (c) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

15.02 (3) (c) 1. The principal subunit of the department is the "division". Each division shall be headed by an "administrator". The office of justice assistance in the department of administration, the office of the Wisconsin Covenant Scholars Program in the department of administration, and the office of credit unions in the department of financial institutions have the meaning of "division" and the executive staff director of the office of justice assistance in the department of administration, the director of the office of the Wisconsin Covenant Scholars Program in the department of administration, and the director of credit unions have the meaning of "administrator" under this subdivision.

SECTION 86. 15.07 (1) (b) 8. of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 87. 15.07 (1) (cm) of the statutes is amended to read:

shall expire on each May 1. The terms of 3 members of the economic policy board appointed under s. 15.155 (2) (a) 4. shall expire on May 1 of every even-numbered year and the terms of the other 3 members appointed under s. 15.155 (2) (a) 4. shall expire on May 1 of every odd-numbered year. The terms of the 3 members of the land and water conservation board appointed under s. 15.135 (4) (b) 2. shall expire on January 1. The term of the member of the land and water conservation board appointed under s. 15.135 (4) (b) 2m. shall expire on May 1 of an even-numbered year. The terms of members of the real estate board shall expire on July 1. The terms of the appraiser members of the real estate appraisers board and the terms of the auctioneer and auction company representative members of the members of the cemetery board shall expire on July 1 in an even-numbered year. The term of the

1	student member of the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin System who
2	is at least 24 years old shall expire on May 1 of every even-numbered year.
3	Section 88. 15.07 (1) (cs) of the statutes is amended to read:
4	15.07 (1) (cs) No member of the auctioneer board, cemetery board, or real estates
5	appraisers board, or real estate board may be an officer, director, or employee of a
6	private organization that promotes or furthers any profession or occupation
7	regulated by that board.
8	SECTION 89. 15.07 (3) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:
9	15.07 (3) (b) Except as provided in par. (bm), each board not covered under par
10	(a) shall meet annually, and may meet at other times on the call of the chairpersor
11	or a majority of its members. The auctioneer board, the cemetery board, the rea
12	estate board, and the real estate appraisers board shall also meet on the call of the
13	secretary of regulation and licensing safety and professional services or his or her
14	designee within the department.
15	SECTION 90. 15.07 (5) (r) of the statutes is repealed.
16	SECTION 91. 15.08 (1m) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:
17	15.08 (1m) (c) The membership of each examining board and examining
18	council created in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professiona
19	services after June 1, 1975, shall be increased by one member who shall be a public
20	member appointed to serve for the same term served by the other members of such
21	examining board or examining council, unless the act relating to the creation of such
22	examining board or examining council provides that $2\mathrm{or}$ more public members shall
23	be appointed to such examining board or examining council.

Section 91m. 15.103 (5) of the statutes is created to read:

15.103 **(5)** Division of enterprise technology. There is created in the department of administration a division of enterprise technology.

SECTION 92. 15.105 (12) (a) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

15.105 (12) (a) 1. The secretary of transportation, the secretary of agriculture, trade and consumer protection and the secretary of commerce safety and professional services or their formally appointed designees.

SECTION 94. 15.105 (30) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 95. 15.105 (31) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 96. 15.105 (32) of the statutes is created to read:

15.105 (32) Office of Business development. There is created an office of business development which is attached to the department of administration under s. 15.03. The office shall be under the direction and supervision of a director who shall be appointed by the governor to serve at his or her pleasure.

Section 97. 15.107 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.107 (2) Council on small business, veteran-owned business and minority business opportunities. There is created in the department of administration a council on small business, veteran-owned business and minority business opportunities consisting of 13 members, appointed by the secretary of administration for 3-year terms, with representation as follows: at least 2 shall be owners or employees of small businesses at least 51% owned by one or more members of a racial minority group; at least one shall be an owner or employee of a small business at least 51% owned by one or more handicapped persons; at least one shall be an owner or employee of a small business operated on a nonprofit basis for the rehabilitation of disabled persons; at least 2 shall be owners or employees of veteran-owned businesses, as defined in s. 16.75 (4) (d); at least one shall be a

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representative of the department of commerce safety and professional services; and
at least one shall be a consumer member. No member may serve for more than 2
consecutive full terms. The secretary of administration, or a department employee
who is the secretary's designee, shall serve as the council's nonvoting secretary.

SECTION 98. 15.107 (16) (b) 3. of the statutes is amended to read:

15.107 (16) (b) 3. The secretary of commerce safety and professional services.

SECTION 99. 15.137 (2) (a) 3m. of the statutes is amended to read:

15.137 (2) (a) 3m. The secretary of commerce chief executive officer of the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation or his or her designee.

SECTION 101. 15.145 (5) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.145 (5) COUNCIL ON OFFENDER REENTRY. (intro.) There is created a council on offender reentry which is attached to the department of corrections under s. 15.03. which shall have the duties, responsibilities, and powers set forth under s. 301.095. The council shall consist of 22 members, and the appointed members shall serve for 2-year terms and may be appointed for a maximum of 2 consecutive terms. The chairperson of the council shall be the secretary of corrections or the reentry director. as decided by the secretary of corrections. The chairperson may appoint subcommittees and the council shall meet no less frequently than 4 times per year at a date and location to be determined by the chairperson. Members of the council shall include the secretary of corrections, or his or her designee; the secretary of workforce development, or his or her designee; the secretary of health services, or his or her designee; the secretary of children and families, or his or her designee; the secretary of commerce, or his or her designee; the secretary of transportation, or his or her designee; the attorney general, or his or her designee; the chairperson of the parole commission, or his or her designee; the state superintendent of public

instruction; the reentry director as appointed by the secretary of corrections; a current or former judge, as appointed by the director of state courts; an individual who has been previously convicted of, and incarcerated for, a crime in Wisconsin, as appointed by the secretary of corrections; and the following persons, as appointed by the governor:

Section 102. 15.15 of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 103. 15.153 (title) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 104. 15.153 (3) of the statutes is repealed.

Section 105. 15.153 (4) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 106. 15.155 (title) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 107. 15.155 (2) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 108. 15.155 (4) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 109. 15.155 (5) of the statutes is renumbered 15.105 (33) and amended to read:

15.105 (33) SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY REVIEW BOARD. There is created a small business regulatory review board, attached to the department of commerce administration under s. 15.03. The board shall consist of a representative of the department of administration; a representative of the department of agriculture, trade and consumer protection; a representative of the department of children and families; a representative of the department of commerce; a representative of the department of health services; a representative of the department of natural resources; a representative of the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services; a representative of the department of revenue; a representative of the department of workforce development; 6 representatives of small businesses, as defined in s. 227.114 (1), who shall be appointed for 3-year

terms; and the chairpersons of one senate and one assembly committee concerned
with small businesses, appointed as are members of standing committees. The
representatives of the departments shall be selected by the secretary of that
department.

SECTION 110. 15.155 (6) of the statutes is renumbered 15.405 (1m), and 15.405 (1m) (a) (intro.), 3. and 5., as renumbered, are amended to read:

15.405 (1m) (a) (intro.) There is created a building inspector review board which is attached to the department of commerce safety and professional services under s. 15.03 that consists of the following members:

- 3. The secretary of commerce safety and professional services or his or her designee.
- 5. A building inspector certified by the department of commerce safety and professional services, to inspect public buildings, places of employment, or one-family and two-family dwellings.
- **Section 111.** 15.157 (title) of the statutes is repealed.
- **SECTION 112.** 15.157 (3) of the statutes is renumbered 15.407 (10) and amended to read:

15.407 (10) DWELLING CODE COUNCIL. There is created in the department of commerce safety and professional services, a dwelling code council, consisting of 18 members appointed for staggered 3-year terms. Four members shall be representatives of building trade labor organizations; 4 members shall be certified building inspectors employed by local units of government; 2 members shall be representatives of building contractors actively engaged in on-site construction of one- and 2-family housing; 2 members shall be representatives of manufacturers or installers of manufactured one- and 2-family housing; one member shall be an

architect, engineer or designer actively engaged in the design or evaluation of one-and 2-family housing; 2 members shall represent the construction material supply industry; one member shall represent remodeling contractors actively engaged in the remodeling of one-family and 2-family housing; and 2 members shall represent the public, one of whom shall represent persons with disabilities, as defined in s. 106.50 (1m) (g). An employee of the department designated by the secretary of commerce safety and professional services shall serve as nonvoting secretary of the council. The council shall meet at least twice a year. Eleven members of the council shall constitute a quorum. For the purpose of conducting business a majority vote of the council is required.

SECTION 113. 15.157 (5) of the statutes is renumbered 15.407 (11) and amended to read:

15.407 (11) Contractor certification council. There is created in the department of commerce safety and professional services a contractor certification council consisting of 3 members who are building contractors holding certificates of financial responsibility under s. 101.654 and who are involved in, or who have demonstrated an interest in, continuing education for building contractors. The members shall be appointed by the secretary of commerce safety and professional services for 3-year terms.

SECTION 114. 15.157 (6) of the statutes is renumbered 15.407 (16) and amended to read:

15.407 (16) Plumbers council. There is created in the department of commerce safety and professional services a plumbers council consisting of 3 members. One member shall be an employee of the department of commerce safety and professional services, selected by the secretary of commerce safety and professional services, to

serve as the secretary of the council. Two members, one a master plumber and one
a journeyman plumber, shall be appointed by the secretary of commerce safety and
professional services for 2-year terms.
SECTION 115. 15.157 (7) of the statutes is repealed.
SECTION 116. $15.157(9)$ of the statutes is renumbered $15.407(17)$ and amended
to read:
15.407 (17) Automatic fire sprinkler system contractors and journeymen
COUNCIL. There is created in the department of commerce safety and professional
services an automatic fire sprinkler system contractors and journeymen council
consisting of 5 members. One member shall be an employee of the department of
commerce safety and professional services, selected by the secretary of commerce
safety and professional services, to serve as secretary of the council. Two members
shall be licensed journeymen automatic fire sprinkler fitters and 2 members shall be
persons representing licensed automatic fire sprinkler contractors, all appointed by
the secretary of commerce safety and professional services for staggered 4-year
terms.
Section 117b. 15.157 (10) (intro.) and (a) to (f) of the statutes are renumbered
15.347 (8) (intro.) and (a) to (f), and 15.347 (8) (intro.), as renumbered, is amended
to read:
15.347 (8) Small business environmental council. (intro.) There is created
in the department of commerce natural resources a small business environmental
council consisting of the following members appointed for 3-year terms:
SECTION 117d. 15.157 (10) (g) of the statutes is repealed.
SECTION 118. $15.157(12)$ of the statutes is renumbered $15.407(12)$, and $15.407(12)$
(12) (a) (intro.), as renumbered, is amended to read:

15	.407 (12) (a) (intro.) There is created in the department of commerce safety
and pro	ofessional services a multifamily dwelling code council consisting of the
followin	ng members appointed for 3-year terms:
SE	CCTION 119. 15.157 (13) of the statutes is renumbered 15.407 (13), and 15.407
(13) (a)	(intro.), as renumbered, is amended to read:
15	.407 (13) (a) (intro.) There is created in the department of commerce safety
and pro	ofessional services a manufactured housing code council consisting of the
followin	ng members appointed by the secretary of commerce safety and professional
services	g for 3-year terms:
SE	ECTION 120. 15.157 (14) of the statutes is renumbered 15.407 (14), and 15.407
(14) (a)	(intro.), 9. and 10. and (b), as renumbered, are amended to read:
15	.407 (14) (a) (intro.) There is created in the department of commerce safety
and pro	fessional services a conveyance safety code council consisting of the following
membe	rs appointed for 3-year terms:
9.	The secretary of commerce safety and professional services, or his or her
designe	e.
10	. An employee of the department of commerce safety and professional
services	s, designated by the secretary of commerce safety and professional services,
who is f	Camiliar with commercial building inspections.
(b)	The council shall meet at least twice a year. The employee of the department
of com	merce safety and professional services designated by the secretary of
comme	eee safety and professional services under par. (a) 10. shall serve as nonvoting
secreta	ry of the council.
SE	ECTION 121c. 15.157 (15) of the statutes is repealed.
SF	ECTION 125. 15.347 (13) (b) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

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	15.347 (13) (b) 2.	The secretary of	commerce safety a	ind professional	services

Section 126. 15.347 (18) (b) 4. of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 129. 15.40 of the statutes is amended to read:

15.40 Department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services; creation. There is created a department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services under the direction and supervision of the secretary of regulation and licensing safety and professional services.

SECTION 130. 15.405 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (1) Accounting examining board. There is created an accounting examining board in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services. The examining board shall consist of 7 members, appointed for staggered 4-year terms. Five members shall hold certificates as certified public accountants and be eligible for licensure to practice in this state. Two members shall be public members.

SECTION 131. 15.405 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (2) Examining board of architects, landscape architects, there is created an examining board of architects, landscape architects, professional engineers, designers and land surveyors in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services. Any professional member appointed to the examining board shall be registered to practice architecture, landscape architecture, professional engineering, the design of engineering systems or land surveying under ch. 443. The examining board shall consist of the following members appointed for 4-year terms: 3 architects, 3 landscape architects, 3 professional engineers, 3 designers, 3 land surveyors and 10 public members.

SECTION 132. 15.405 (2m) (a) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
15.405 (2m) (a) (intro.) There is created in the department of regulation and
licensing safety and professional services an examining board of professional
geologists, hydrologists and soil scientists consisting of the following members
appointed for 4-year terms:
SECTION 133. 15.405 (3) (a) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
15.405 (3) (a) (intro.) There is created in the department of regulation and
licensing safety and professional services an auctioneer board consisting of the
following members appointed for 4-year terms:
SECTION 134. 15.405 (3m) (b) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
15.405 (3m) (b) (intro.) There is created in the department of regulation and
licensing safety and professional services a cemetery board consisting of the
following members, who shall serve 4-year terms:
SECTION 135. 15.405 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:
15.405 (5) Chiropractic examining board. There is created a chiropractic
examining board in the department of regulation and licensing safety and
professional services. The chiropractic examining board shall consist of 6 members,
appointed for staggered 4-year terms. Four members shall be graduates from a
school of chiropractic and licensed to practice chiropractic in this state. Two
members shall be public members. No person may be appointed to the examining
board who is in any way connected with or has a financial interest in any chiropractic
school.
SECTION 136. 15.405 (5g) of the statutes is amended to read:
$15.405(\mathbf{5g})$ Controlled substances board. There is created in the department
of regulation and licensing safety and professional services a controlled substances

board consisting of the attorney general, the secretary of health services and the
secretary of agriculture, trade and consumer protection, or their designees; the
chairperson of the pharmacy examining board or a designee; and one psychiatrist
and one pharmacologist appointed for 3-year terms.
SECTION 137. 15.405 (6) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
15.405 (6) Dentistry examining board. (intro.) There is created a dentistry
examining board in the department of regulation and licensing safety and
professional services consisting of the following members appointed for 4-year
terms:
SECTION 138. 15.405 (6m) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
15.405 (6m) Hearing and speech examining board. (intro.) There is created
a hearing and speech examining board in the department of regulation and licensing
safety and professional services consisting of the following members appointed for
4-year terms:
SECTION 139. 15.405 (7) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
15.405 (7) (a) There is created a medical examining board in the department
of regulation and licensing safety and professional services.
SECTION 140. 15.405 (7c) (a) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
15.405 (7c) (a) (intro.) There is created a marriage and family therapy,
professional counseling, and social work examining board in the department of
regulation and licensing safety and professional services consisting of the following
members appointed for 4-year terms:
SECTION 141. 15.405 (7e) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
15.405 (7e) RADIOGRAPHY EXAMINING BOARD. (intro.) There is created in the
department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services a

radiography examining board consisting of the following 7 members appointed for 4-year terms:

Section 142. 15.405 (7g) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (7g) Board of Nursing. There is created a board of nursing in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services. The board of nursing shall consist of the following members appointed for staggered 4-year terms: 5 currently licensed registered nurses under ch. 441; 2 currently licensed practical nurses under ch. 441; and 2 public members. Each registered nurse member shall have graduated from a program in professional nursing and each practical nurse member shall have graduated from a program in practical nursing accredited by the state in which the program was conducted.

Section 143. 15.405 (7m) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (7m) Nursing home administrator examining board in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services consisting of 9 members appointed for staggered 4-year terms and the secretary of health services or a designee, who shall serve as a nonvoting member. Five members shall be nursing home administrators licensed in this state. One member shall be a physician. One member shall be a nurse licensed under ch. 441. Two members shall be public members. No more than 2 members may be officials or full-time employees of this state.

Section 144. 15.405 (7r) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (7r) Physical therapy examining board. (intro.) There is created in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services a physical therapy examining board consisting of the following members appointed for staggered 4-year terms:

SECTION 145. 15.405 (8) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (8) Optometry examining board. There is created an optometry examining board in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services. The optometry examining board shall consist of 7 members appointed for staggered 4-year terms. Five of the members shall be licensed optometrists in this state. Two members shall be public members.

SECTION 146. 15.405 (9) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (9) Pharmacy examining board in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services. The pharmacy examining board shall consist of 7 members appointed for staggered 4-year terms. Five of the members shall be licensed to practice pharmacy in this state. Two members shall be public members.

SECTION 147. 15.405 (10m) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (10m) Psychology examining board. There is created in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services a psychology examining board consisting of 6 members appointed for staggered 4-year terms. Four of the members shall be psychologists licensed in this state. Each of the psychologist members shall represent a different specialty area within the field of psychology. Two members shall be public members.

SECTION 148. 15.405 (10r) (a) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (10r) (a) (intro.) There is created a real estate appraisers board in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services consisting of the following members appointed for 4-year terms:

SECTION 149. 15.405 (11) of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 150. 15.405 (11m) of the statutes is created to read:

15.405 (11m) Real estate examining board. There is created a real estate examining board in the department of safety and professional services. The real estate examining board shall consist of 7 members appointed to staggered 4-year terms. Five of the members shall be real estate brokers or salespersons licensed in this state. Two members shall be public members. No member may serve more than 2 terms.

Section 151. 15.405 (12) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (12) Veterinary examining board. There is created a veterinary examining board in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services. The veterinary examining board shall consist of 8 members appointed for staggered 4-year terms. Five of the members shall be licensed veterinarians in this state. One member shall be a veterinary technician certified in this state. Two members shall be public members. No member of the examining board may in any way be financially interested in any school having a veterinary department or a course of study in veterinary or animal technology.

Section 152. 15.405 (16) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (16) Funeral directors examining board in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services. The funeral directors examining board shall consist of 6 members appointed for staggered 4-year terms. Four members shall be licensed funeral directors under ch. 445 in this state. Two members shall be public members.

Section 153. 15.405 (17) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.405 (17) Barbering and cosmetology examining board in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services. The barbering and cosmetology

examining board shall consist of 9 members appointed for 4-year terms. Four
membersshallbelicensedbarbers,aestheticians, orcosmetologists,2membersshallsha
be public members, one member shall be a representative of a private school of
barbering or cosmetology, one member shall be a representative of a public school of
barbering or cosmetology and one member shall be a licensed electrologist. Except
for the 2 members representing schools, no member may be connected with or have
any financial interest in a barbering or cosmetology school.

SECTION 154. 15.406 (2) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.406 (2) DIETITIANS AFFILIATED CREDENTIALING BOARD. (intro.) There is created in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services, attached to the medical examining board, a dietitians affiliated credentialing board consisting of the following members appointed for 4-year terms:

SECTION 155. 15.406 (3) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.406 (3) Podiatry affiliated credentialing board. (intro.) There is created in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services, attached to the medical examining board, a podiatry affiliated credentialing board consisting of the following members appointed for 4-year terms:

SECTION 156. 15.406 (4) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.406 (4) ATHLETIC TRAINERS AFFILIATED CREDENTIALING BOARD. (intro.) There is created in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services, attached to the medical examining board, an athletic trainers affiliated credentialing board consisting of the following members appointed for 4-year terms:

SECTION 157. 15.406 (5) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.406 (5) Occupational therapists affiliated credentialing board. (intro.)

There is created in the department of regulation and licensing safety and

professional services, attached to the medical examining board, an occupational therapists affiliated credentialing board consisting of the following members appointed for 4-year terms:

SECTION 158. 15.406 (6) (a) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.406 (6) (a) (intro.) There is created in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services, attached to the medical examining board, a massage therapy and bodywork therapy affiliated credentialing board. The affiliated credentialing board shall consist of the following 7 members appointed for 4-year terms:

SECTION 159. 15.407 (1m) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.407 (1m) Respiratory care practitioners examining council in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services and serving the medical examining board in an advisory capacity in the formulating of rules to be promulgated by the medical examining board for the regulation of respiratory care practitioners. The respiratory care practitioners examining council shall consist of 3 certified respiratory care practitioners, each of whom shall have engaged in the practice of respiratory care for at least 3 years preceding appointment, one physician and one public member. The respiratory care practitioner and physician members shall be appointed by the medical examining board. The members of the examining council shall serve 3-year terms. Section 15.08 (1) to (4) (a) and (6) to (10) shall apply to the respiratory care practitioners examining council.

Section 160. 15.407 (2) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.407 (2) COUNCIL ON PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS. (intro.) There is created a council on physician assistants in the department of regulation and licensing safety and

professional services and serving the medical examining board in an advisory capacity. The council's membership shall consist of:

SECTION 161. 15.407 (2m) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.407 (2m) (intro.) There is created a perfusionists examining council in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services and serving the medical examining board in an advisory capacity. The council shall consist of the following members appointed for 3-year terms:

Section 162. 15.407 (3) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.407 (3) Examining councils; BOARD OF NURSING. (intro.) The following examining councils are created in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services to serve the board of nursing in an advisory capacity. Section 15.08 (1) to (4) (a) and (6) to (10), applies to the examining councils.

SECTION 163. 15.407 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.407 (5) Council on Real estate curriculum and examinations. There is created in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services a council on real estate curriculum and examinations consisting of 7 members appointed for 4-year terms. Five members shall be real estate brokers or salespersons licensed under ch. 452 and 2 members shall be public members. Of the real estate broker or salesperson members, one member shall be a member of the real estate examining board appointed by the real estate examining board, at least 2 members shall be licensed real estate brokers with at least 5 years of experience as real estate brokers, and at least one member shall be a licensed real estate salesperson with at least 2 years of experience as a real estate salesperson. Of the 2 public members, at least one member shall have at least 2 years of experience in

planning or presenting real estate educational programs. No member of the council may serve more than 2 consecutive terms.

Section 164. 15.407 (6) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.407 (6) Pharmacist advisory council in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services and serving the pharmacy examining board in an advisory capacity. The council shall consist of the following members appointed for 3-year terms:

Section 165. 15.407 (8) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

authority council in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services consisting of the secretary of regulation and licensing safety and professional services or a designee of the secretary, who shall serve as a nonvoting member, and the following persons appointed for 3-year terms:

SECTION 166. 15.407 (9) (a) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.407 (9) (a) (intro.) There is created a sign language interpreter council in the department of regulation and licensing safety and professional services consisting of the secretary of regulation and licensing safety and professional services or a designee of the secretary and the following 8 members nominated by the governor, and with the advice and consent of the senate appointed, for 3-year terms:

SECTION 167. 15.435 (1) (a) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

15.435 (1) (a) 1. The secretary of commerce chief executive officer of the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation and the secretary of revenue or their designees.

SECTION 168. 15.445 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.445 (1) ARTS BOARD. There is created an arts board which is attached to in the department of tourism under s. 15.03. The arts board shall consist of 15 members appointed for 3-year terms who are residents of this state and who are known for their concern for the arts. At least 2 members shall be from the northwest portion of this state, at least 2 members shall be from the northeast portion of this state, at least 2 members shall be from the southwest portion of this state, and at least 2 members shall be from the southwest portion of this state.

Section 169. 15.445 (2) (e) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.445 (2) (e) Liaison representatives. The secretary of agriculture, trade and consumer protection, the secretary of natural resources, the secretary of transportation, the secretary of commerce, the secretary of administration, the director of the state historical society and the chancellor of the University of Wisconsin-Extension, or their designees, shall serve as liaison representatives to the board. The board may request any federally recognized American Indian tribe or band in this state, other than the Ho-Chunk Nation, that expresses an interest in the governance of the Kickapoo valley reserve to appoint a liaison representative to the board. The liaison representatives are not board members and have no voting power.

SECTION 175. 15.917 (1) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.917 (1) Rural Health Development council. (intro.) There is created in the University of Wisconsin System a rural health development council consisting of 17 members nominated by the governor, and with the advice and consent of the senate appointed, for 5-year terms, and the secretaries secretary of commerce and health services, or their designees his or her designee. The appointed members shall include all of the following:

1	SECTION 189. 16.009 (1) (em) 6. of the statutes is amended to read:
2	16.009 (1) (em) 6. An adult family home, as defined in s. 50.01 (1) (a) or (b).
3	SECTION 191. 16.04 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
4	16.04 (1) (a) Develop uniform state policies and guidelines for vehicle and
5	aircraft acquisition, use, maintenance, recording of operational and other costs,
6	performance evaluation and replacement of vehicles and aircraft. The department
7	shall incorporate the fuel usage requirements policies under s. 16.045 (4m) in any
8	policies or guidelines developed under this paragraph.
9	SECTION 192. 16.04 (1e) of the statutes is created to read:
10	16.04 (1e) Subsection (1) does not preclude the Board of Regents of the
11	University of Wisconsin System from accepting a gift of a motor vehicle.
12	Section 193. 16.045 (1) (f) of the statutes is repealed.
13	Section 194. 16.045 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:
14	16.045 (2) The department shall, whenever feasible, require and cost-effective,
15	encourage agencies to store no motor fuel except gasohol or alternative fuel in
16	facilities maintained by the agencies for the storage of fuel for and the refueling of
17	state-owned or state-leased vehicles. This subsection does not authorize
18	construction or operation of such facilities.
19	Section 195. 16.045 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:
20	16.045 (4) The department shall require, whenever feasible and cost-effective,
21	encourage all state employees to utilize hybrid-electric vehicles or vehicles that
22	operate on gasohol or alternative fuel for all state-owned or state-leased motor
23	vehicles whenever such utilization is feasible. However, the department shall not
24	lease or purchase any hybrid-electric vehicle, or authorize the lease or purchase of