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2011 SENATE BILL 184

September 14, 2011 – Introduced by Senators HARSDORF, LASSA and TAYLOR, cosponsored by Representatives STRACHOTA and A. OTT. Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Higher Education.

AN ACT *to amend* 20.855 (7) (a) of the statutes; and *to affect* 2011 Wisconsin Act 32, section 9152 (1tc) (e); **relating to:** the reporting date for the Special Task Force on UW Restructuring and Operational Flexibilities and making an appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

The 2011–13 biennial budget act (2011 Wisconsin Act 32) created the Special Task Force on UW Restructuring and Operational Flexibilities to study the University of Wisconsin System. The act appropriated \$50,000 for task force expenses during the 2011–12 fiscal year and directed the task force to submit its report to the Joint Committee on Finance and other appropriate standing committees of the legislature by January 1, 2012.

This bill delays the reporting deadline until January 7, 2013, and provides that the amount appropriated may be spent over the 2011–13 fiscal biennium.

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

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SECTION 1. 20.855 (7) (a) of the statutes, as created by 2011 Wisconsin Act 32,

6 is amended to read:

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joint committee on finance.

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1 20.855 (7) (a) *Expenses.* The <u>Biennially, the</u> amounts in the schedule for 2 expenses of the Special Task Force on UW restructuring and operational flexibilities 3 under 2011 Wisconsin Act 32, section 9152 (1tc). No moneys may be encumbered 4 from this appropriation after June 30, 2012 2013. 5 **SECTION 2.** 2011 Wisconsin Act 32, section 9152 (1tc) (e) is amended to read: 6 [2011 Wisconsin Act 32] Section 9152 (1tc) (e) By January 1, 2012 7, 2013, the 7 task force shall submit its report to the appropriate standing committees of the 8 legislature, as determined by the speaker of the assembly and the president of the 9 senate, in the manner provided under section 13.172 (3) of the statutes, and to the

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