



## 2011 SENATE BILL 464

1     **AN ACT** *to amend* 440.03 (13) (b) (intro.); and *to create* 440.15 of the statutes;  
2           **relating to:** prohibiting fingerprinting in connection with professional  
3           credentials issued by the Department of Safety and Professional Services or an  
4           examining board or affiliated credentialing board, except as provided in the  
5           statutes, and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority.

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*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

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

6           **SECTION 1.** 440.03 (13) (b) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:  
7           440.03 **(13)** (b) (intro.) The department may investigate whether an applicant  
8           for or holder of any of the following credentials has been charged with or convicted  
9           of a crime only pursuant to rules promulgated by the department under this  
10          paragraph, including rules that establish the criteria that the department will use

**SENATE BILL 464****SECTION 1**

1 to determine whether an investigation under this paragraph is necessary, except as  
2 provided in par. (c):

3 **SECTION 2.** 440.15 of the statutes is created to read:

4 **440.15 No fingerprinting.** Except as provided under s. 440.03 (13) (c), the  
5 department or a credentialing board may not require that an applicant for a  
6 credential or a credential holder be fingerprinted or submit fingerprints in  
7 connection with the department's or the credentialing board's credentialing.

8 (END)