



## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

**2011 Wisconsin Act 146**  
[2011 Senate Bill 453]

**Miscellaneous Statutes  
Administered by the Department of  
Safety and Professional Services**

2011 Wisconsin Act 146 makes various changes to the statutes administered by the Department of Safety and Professional Services (DPS). In hearing testimony, the DPS indicated that the 36 distinct provisions of the Act were compiled primarily by DPS staff and are mostly technical in nature. The Act touches on all of DPS's major areas of responsibility, including safety and buildings, professional examining boards, and occupational regulation.

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