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## Dodge, Tamara

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**From:** Veldran, Matt  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 03, 2013 4:30 PM  
**To:** Dodge, Tamara  
**Cc:** Rep.Hulsey  
**Subject:** RE: Hulsey Amendment to Dec SS 1 (Draft #1) (#2)

Tammy, here's new language from Rep. Hulsey

He wanted to keep in the 72,000 Badgercare recipients in the amendment.

A formal US DOJ investigation whether Governor Walker, Department of Administration Secretary Mike Huebsch, and/or administration staff violated federal statutes such as Program Fraud and others when they denied 72,000 Badgercare recipients medicine and healthcare with a waiver request under the Affordable Care Act . (Work in adding "requests for waivers of federal law under the ACA and representations made to the federal government regarding the state Medical Assistance program, BadgerCare Plus, as it relates to the ACA." per your suggestion). However, there was a state budget surplus, not a deficit as the governor stated in his request for not maintaining effort.

A complete determination and report from DOJ presented in 60 days to the legislature.

Thanks,

Matt  
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**From:** Dodge, Tamara  
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**To:** Veldran, Matt  
**Subject:** RE: Hulsey Amendment to Dec SS 1 (Draft #1)

Matt,

Who would you like to do the investigation? My thought is DHS but that would be the administration investigating itself. There are DOJ or Legislative Audit Bureau. You could also have an "outside" person (similar to a special prosecutor) do the investigation. I haven't thought of how that would be worded, but I think there should be some indication of who is doing the investigation.

I'm thinking you'll need to be a little more specific such as adding "requests for waivers of federal law under the ACA and representations made to the federal government regarding the state Medical Assistance program, BadgerCare Plus, as it relates to the ACA."

Then, do you want a report of the results of the investigation? Do you want that report to the legislature? When would that report be due?

Tami

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**From:** Veldran, Matt  
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**To:** Dodge, Tamara  
**Cc:** Rep.Hulsey  
**Subject:** Hulsey Amendment to Dec SS 1 (Draft #1)

Tammy,

Per our telephone conference here is the language that Representative Hulsey would like in the amendment to SS1.

"A formal investigation as to violations of Federal Statutes and other laws as to program fraud by Governor Walker and Department of Administration Secretary, Mike Huebsch, relating to the Affordable Care Act and Badger Care."

As we also discussed, we will forward you any language changes that Representative would like to make.

Thanks,

Matt

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ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT,  
TO 2013 ASSEMBLY BILL 1

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1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 1. Page 22, line 21: after that line insert:

*Nonstat.*

3 "(2m) FRAUD INVESTIGATION. The department of justice shall conduct an  
4 investigation into whether the governor or the secretary of administration, or any  
5 department of administration staff, violated any federal statutes or other laws, or  
6 committed any fraudulent acts, with respect to changes that were made to  
7 BadgerCare Plus or any other Medical Assistance program in this state, including  
8 the denial of health care to 72,000 BadgerCare Plus recipients, as a result of the  
9 passage of the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act. No later than  
10 March 1, 2014, the department of justice shall submit a report of the results of its

*denying*

*Request for waiver, representations made to the federal government, and*

1 investigation to the legislature in the manner provided in section 13.172 (2) of the  
2 statutes.”.

3 (END)