

2013 Assembly Bill 180 (LRB -2234)

An Act to amend 23.33 (4p) (b) 4., 30.684 (2) (d), 343.305 (5) (b), 346.65 (2) (am) 6., 346.65 (2) (am) 7., 346.65 (3m) and 350.104 (2) (d) of the statutes; relating to: penalties and testing for operating-while-intoxicated offenses and providing a penalty.

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April 29, 2013 – Introduced by Representatives J. OTT and RICHARDS, cosponsored by Senator DARLING. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

1 **AN ACT to amend** 23.33 (4p) (b) 4., 30.684 (2) (d), 343.305 (5) (b), 346.65 (2) (am)
 2 6., 346.65 (2) (am) 7., 346.65 (3m) and 350.104 (2) (d) of the statutes; **relating**
 3 to: penalties and testing for ^{INS AAI-1} ~~operating-while-intoxicated~~ offenses and
 4 providing a penalty.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a person who commits a seventh, eighth, or ninth offense related to drunken driving or driving under the influence of an intoxicant or other drug (OWI) is guilty of a Class G felony. The penalty for a Class G felony is a fine not to exceed \$25,000 or imprisonment not to exceed ten years, or both. The confinement portion of a bifurcated sentence imposed on a person convicted of a seventh, eighth, or ninth OWI may not be less than three years. A person who commits a tenth or subsequent OWI is guilty of a Class F felony. The penalty for a Class F felony is a fine not to exceed \$25,000 or imprisonment not to exceed 12 years and 6 months, or both. The confinement portion of a bifurcated sentence imposed on a person convicted of a tenth or subsequent OWI may not be less than four years.

This bill specifies that a person who is convicted of a seventh, eighth, or ninth OWI must be given a bifurcated sentence and that the confinement portion of the sentence may not be less than three years and that a person who is convicted of a tenth or subsequent OWI must be given a bifurcated sentence and that the confinement portion of the sentence may not be less than four years.

Current law specifies that a person who is convicted of causing injury to another while committing an OWI or while operating a commercial motor vehicle while the

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person has an alcohol concentration of 0.04 or more but less than 0.08 must be fined not less than \$300 nor more than \$2,000 and may be imprisoned for not less than 30 days nor more than one year in the county jail. This bill specifies that the convicted person must be imprisoned for not less than 30 days nor more than one year.

Current law also specifies that a blood draw for alcohol or other controlled substance testing may be performed only by a physician, registered nurse, medical technologist, physician assistant, or person acting under the direction of a physician. This bill adds phlebotomists and other medical professionals who are authorized to draw blood to the list of persons who may perform a blood draw.

Because this bill creates a new crime or revises a penalty for an existing crime, the Joint Review Committee on Criminal Penalties may be requested to prepare a report concerning the proposed penalty and the costs or savings that are likely to result if the bill is enacted.

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

1 **SECTION 1.** 23.33 (4p) (b) 4. of the statutes is amended to read:

2 23.33 (4p) (b) 4. ‘Validity; procedure.’ A chemical test of blood or urine
3 conducted for the purpose of authorized analysis is valid as provided under s. 343.305
4 (6). The duties and responsibilities of the laboratory of hygiene, department of
5 health services and department of transportation under s. 343.305 (6) apply to a
6 chemical test of blood or urine conducted for the purpose of authorized analysis
7 under this subsection. Blood may be withdrawn from a person arrested for a
8 violation of the intoxicated operation of an all-terrain vehicle or utility terrain
9 vehicle law only by a physician, registered nurse, medical technologist, physician
10 assistant, phlebotomist, or other medical professional who is authorized to draw
11 blood, or person acting under the direction of a physician and the person who
12 withdraws the blood, the employer of that person and any hospital where blood is
13 withdrawn have immunity from civil or criminal liability as provided under s. 895.53

14 **SECTION 2.** 30.684 (2) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 30.684 (2) (d) *Validity; procedure.* A chemical test of blood or urine conducted
2 for the purpose of authorized analysis is valid as provided under s. 343.305 (6). The
3 duties and responsibilities of the laboratory of hygiene, department of health
4 services and department of transportation under s. 343.305 (6) apply to a chemical
5 test of blood or urine conducted for the purpose of authorized analysis under this
6 section. Blood may be withdrawn from a person arrested for a violation of the
7 intoxicated boating law only by a physician, registered nurse, medical technologist,
8 physician assistant, phlebotomist, or other medical professional who is authorized
9 to draw blood, or person acting under the direction of a physician and the person who
10 withdraws the blood, the employer of that person and any hospital where blood is
11 withdrawn have immunity from civil or criminal liability as provided under s.
12 895.53.

13 **SECTION 3.** 343.305 (5) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

14 343.305 (5) (b) Blood may be withdrawn from the person arrested for violation
15 of s. 346.63 (1), (2), (2m), (5), or (6) or 940.25, or s. 940.09 where the offense involved
16 the use of a vehicle, or a local ordinance in conformity with s. 346.63 (1), (2m), or (5),
17 or as provided in sub. (3) (am) or (b) to determine the presence or quantity of alcohol,
18 a controlled substance, a controlled substance analog, or any other drug, or any
19 combination of alcohol, controlled substance, controlled substance analog, and any
20 other drug in the blood only by a physician, registered nurse, medical technologist,
21 physician assistant, phlebotomist, or other medical professional who is authorized
22 to draw blood, or person acting under the direction of a physician. INS. AA1-2

23 **SECTION 4.** 346.65 (2) (am) 6. of the statutes is amended to read:

24 346.65 (2) (am) 6. Except as provided in par. (f), is guilty of a Class G felony if
25 the number of convictions under ss. 940.09 (1) and 940.25 in the person's lifetime,

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1 plus the total number of suspensions, revocations, and other convictions counted
2 under s. 343.307 (1), equals 7, 8, or 9, except that suspensions, revocations, or
3 convictions arising out of the same incident or occurrence shall be counted as one.
4 The court shall impose a bifurcated sentence under s. 973.01 and the confinement
5 portion of -a- the bifurcated sentence imposed on the person under s. 973.01 shall be
6 not less than 3 years.

7 **SECTION 5.** 346.65 (2) (am) 7. of the statutes is amended to read:

8 346.65 (2) (am) 7. Except as provided in par. (f), is guilty of a Class F felony if
9 the number of convictions under ss. 940.09 (1) and 940.25 in the person's lifetime,
10 plus the total number of suspensions, revocations, and other convictions counted
11 under s. 343.307 (1), equals 10 or more except that suspensions, revocations, or
12 convictions arising out of the same incident or occurrence shall be counted as one.
13 The court shall impose a bifurcated sentence under s. 973.01 and the confinement
14 portion of -a- the bifurcated sentence imposed on the person under s. 973.01 shall be
15 not less than 4 years.

16 **SECTION 6.** 346.65 (3m) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 346.65 (3m) Except as provided in sub. (3p) or (3r), any person violating s.
18 346.63 (2) or (6) shall be fined not less than \$300 nor more than \$2,000 and ~~may~~ shall
19 be imprisoned for not less than 30 days nor more than one year in the county jail.
20 If there was a minor passenger under 16 years of age in the motor vehicle at the time
21 of the violation that gave rise to the conviction under s. 346.63 (2) or (6), the offense
22 is a felony, the applicable minimum and maximum fines or periods of imprisonment
23 for the conviction are doubled and the place of imprisonment shall be determined
24 under s. 973.02.

25 **SECTION 7.** 350.104 (2) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1 350.104 (2) (d) *Validity; procedure.* A chemical test of blood or urine conducted
2 for the purpose of authorized analysis is valid as provided under s. 343.305 (6). The
3 duties and responsibilities of the laboratory of hygiene, department of health
4 services and department of transportation under s. 343.305 (6) apply to a chemical
5 test of blood or urine conducted for the purpose of authorized analysis under this
6 section. Blood may be withdrawn from a person arrested for a violation of the
7 intoxicated snowmobiling law only by a physician, registered nurse, medical
8 technologist, physician assistant, phlebotomist, or other medical professional who is
9 authorized to draw blood, or person acting under the direction of a physician and the
10 person who withdraws the blood, the employer of that person and any hospital where
11 blood is withdrawn have immunity from civil or criminal liability as provided under
12 s. 895.53

13 **SECTION 8. Initial applicability.**

14 (1) The treatment of ~~section~~² 346.65 (2) (am) 6. and 7. ~~and (3m)~~⁹ of the statutes
15 first applies to violations committed or refusals occurring on the effective date of this
16 subsection, but does not preclude the counting of other convictions, suspensions, or
17 revocations as prior convictions, suspensions, or revocations for purposes of
18 administrative action by the department of transportation, sentencing by a court, or
19 revocation or suspension of motor vehicle operating privileges.

20 (END)



**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 180**

May 7, 2013 – Offered by Representative HEBL.

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

2 **1.** Page 1, line 3: delete “penalties and testing for” and substitute “elements
3 of, and penalties and testing for, certain”.

4 **2.** Page 3, line 22: after that line insert:

5 “SECTION 3g. 346.63 (2) (c) of the statutes is created to read:

6 346.63 (2) (c) In this subsection, “injury” has the meaning given for “substantial
7 bodily harm” in s. 939.22 (38).

8 SECTION 3r. 346.63 (6) (d) of the statutes is created to read:

9 346.63 (6) (d) In this subsection, “injury” has the meaning given for
10 “substantial bodily harm” in s. 939.22 (38).”

11 **3.** Page 5, line 14: delete “section” and substitute “sections 346.63 (2) (c) and
12 (6) (d) and”.

13 (END)

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CORRECTIONS IN:

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 2,

TO ASSEMBLY BILL 180

Prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau
(May 8, 2013)

1. Page 2, line 10: after "will not" insert "be".

(END)

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**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 2,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 180**

May 8, 2013 - Offered by Representative J. OTT.

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

2 1. Page 4, line 17: delete "or (3r)," and substitute or (3r), or (3t),. AA 2-1

3 2. Page 4, line 24: after that line insert: AA 2-2

4 "SECTION 6g. 346.65 (3r) of the statutes is amended to read:

5 346.65 (3r) ~~In~~ Subject to sub. (3t), in any county that opts to offer a reduced
6 minimum period of imprisonment for the successful completion of a probation period
7 that includes alcohol and other drug treatment, any person violating s. 346.63 (2) or
8 (6) shall be fined the same as under sub. (3m), but the period of imprisonment shall
9 be not less than 30 days, except that if the person successfully completes a period of
10 probation that includes alcohol and other drug treatment, the period of
11 imprisonment shall be not less than 15 days. If there was a minor passenger under
12 16 years of age in the motor vehicle at the time of the violation that gave rise to the
13 conviction under s. 346.63 (2) or (6), the offense is a felony, the applicable minimum

1 and maximum fines or periods of imprisonment for the conviction are doubled and
 2 the place of imprisonment shall be determined under s. 973.02. A person may be
 3 sentenced under this subsection or under sub. (2) (bm) or (cm) or (2j) (bm) or (cm) once
 4 in his or her lifetime. This subsection does not apply to a person sentenced under sub.
 5 (3p).

6 **SECTION 6r.** 346.65 (3t) of the statutes is created to read:

7 346.65 (3t) If the person injured was an adult who was in the vehicle operated
 8 by the person violating s. 346.63 (2) or (6), the court may impose a sentence that is
 9 less than the minimum sentence required under sub. (3m) if the court finds that the
 10 best interest of the community will be served and the public will not ^(INS. CORR) harmed by the
 11 sentence, and the court places the reasons for imposing a sentence that is less than
 12 the minimum sentence required under sub. (3m) on the record.”

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13 **3.** Page 5, line 14: delete “and (3m)” and substitute “, (3m), (3r), and (3t)”.

14 (END)