

State of Misconsin 2013 - 2014 LEGISLATURE



2013 SENATE BILL 599

AN ACT *to create* 146.83 (1b) of the statutes; **relating to:** accessing and obtaining patient health records by public defenders.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

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

- 3 **Section 1.** 146.83 (1b) of the statutes is created to read:
- 4 146.83 (1b) Notwithstanding s. 146.81 (5), in this section, a "person authorized
- 5 by the patient" includes an attorney appointed to represent the patient under s.
- 6 977.08 if that attorney has written informed consent from the patient to view and
- 7 obtain copies of the records.

8 (END)