



State of Wisconsin  
2015 - 2016 LEGISLATURE

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DOA:.....Potts, BB0330 - Lapse of certain Department of Justice appropriations

**FOR 2015-2017 BUDGET -- NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION**

**AN ACT ...; relating to:** the budget.

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*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

**JUSTICE**

Under current law, DOA transfers moneys it receives from a justice information fee (JIF) surcharge from its JIF appropriation account to appropriation accounts for DOA, DOJ, DOC, and the circuit courts to fund an interoperable communications system and an automated justice information system and justice information sharing program, to pay for victim notification services and court interpreter fees, and to provide grants for child advocacy centers, increased numbers of uniformed law enforcement officers, and counties that provide alternatives to prosecution and incarceration.

Under the bill, the unencumbered balances on June 30, 2015, and on June 30 of each year thereafter in the appropriation accounts that receive a transfer from the JIF appropriation account are transferred back to the JIF appropriation account.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

**SECTION 1.** 20.410 (1) (kd) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.410 (1) (kd) *Victim notification.* The amounts in the schedule for victim notification services. All moneys transferred from the appropriation account under s. 20.505 (1) (id) 6. shall be credited to this appropriation account. Notwithstanding s. 20.001 (3) (a), the unencumbered balance on June 30 of each year shall be transferred to the appropriation account under s. 20.505 (1) (id).

**SECTION 2.** 20.455 (2) (ki) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.455 (2) (ki) *Interoperable communications system.* The amounts in the schedule to operate a statewide public safety interoperable communication system. All moneys transferred from the appropriation account under s. 20.505 (1) (id) 2. shall be credited to this appropriation account. Notwithstanding s. 20.001 (3) (a), the unencumbered balance on June 30 of each year shall be transferred to the appropriation account under s. 20.505 (1) (id).

**SECTION 3.** 20.455 (2) (kn) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.455 (2) (kn) *Alternatives to prosecution and incarceration for persons who use alcohol or other drugs; justice information fee.* The amounts in the schedule for administering and making grants to counties under s. 165.95 (2). All moneys transferred from the appropriation account under s. 20.505 (1) (id) 5. shall be credited to this appropriation account. Notwithstanding s. 20.001 (3) (a), the unencumbered balance on June 30 of each year shall be transferred to the appropriation account under s. 20.505 (1) (id).

**SECTION 4.** 20.455 (2) (ko) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.455 (2) (ko) *Wisconsin justice information sharing program.* The amounts in the schedule for the development and operation of a justice information system. All moneys transferred from the appropriation account under s. 20.505 (1) (id) 5d.

shall be credited to this appropriation account. Notwithstanding s. 20.001 (3) (a), the unencumbered balance on June 30 of each year shall be transferred to the appropriation account under s. 20.505 (1) (id).

**SECTION 5.** 20.505 (1) (kh) of the statutes is amended to read:

20.505 (1) (kh) *Justice information systems.* The amounts in the schedule for the development and operation of automated justice information systems under s. 16.971 (9). All moneys transferred from the appropriation account under par. (id) 1. shall be credited to this appropriation account. Notwithstanding s. 20.001 (3) (a), the unencumbered balance on June 30 of each year shall be transferred to the appropriation account under par. (id).

**SECTION 9226. Fiscal changes; Justice.**

(1) RETURN OF CERTAIN UNUSED MONEYS TO THE JUSTICE INFORMATION SURCHARGE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

(a) In fiscal year 2015-16, an amount equal to the unencumbered balance as of June 30, 2015, in the appropriation account under section 20.410 (1) (kd) of the statutes is transferred from that appropriation account to the appropriation account under section 20.505 (1) (id) of the statutes.

(b) In fiscal year 2015-16, an amount equal to the unencumbered balance as of June 30, 2015, in the appropriation account under section 20.455 (2) (kb), 2013 stats., is transferred from that appropriation account to the appropriation account under section 20.505 (1) (id) of the statutes.

(c) In fiscal year 2015-16, an amount equal to the unencumbered balance as of June 30, 2015, in the appropriation account under section 20.455 (2) (ki) of the statutes is transferred from that appropriation account to the appropriation account under section 20.505 (1) (id) of the statutes.

(d) In fiscal year 2015–16, an amount equal to the unencumbered balance as of June 30, 2015, in the appropriation account under section 20.455 (2) (kn) of the statutes is transferred from that appropriation account to the appropriation account under section 20.505 (1) (id) of the statutes.

(e) In fiscal year 2015–16, an amount equal to the unencumbered balance as of June 30, 2015, in the appropriation account under section 20.455 (2) (ko) of the statutes is transferred from that appropriation account to the appropriation account under section 20.505 (1) (id) of the statutes.

(f) In fiscal year 2015–16, an amount equal to the unencumbered balance as of June 30, 2015, in the appropriation account under section 20.455 (5) (ke), 2013 stats., is transferred from that appropriation account to the appropriation account under section 20.505 (1) (id) of the statutes.

(g) In fiscal year 2015–16, an amount equal to the unencumbered balance as of June 30, 2015, in the appropriation account under section 20.505 (1) (kh) of the statutes is transferred from that appropriation account to the appropriation account under section 20.505 (1) (id) of the statutes.

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