



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2017 Wisconsin Act 198
[2017 Assembly Bill 641]

**Plumbing and Commercial
Building Plan Review**

2017 Wisconsin Act 198 codifies certain practices of the Department of Safety and Professional Services, relating to delegation of plumbing and commercial building plan review and inspection to local units of government, and creates an electronic renewal process for these delegations.

Additionally, the Act revises state law to provide authority for certain local units of government to review alterations of **spaces** involving less than 100,000 cubic feet of volume. Under prior law, this authority applied to review of **buildings** containing less than 100,000 cubic feet of volume.

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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.wisconsin.gov>.