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2019 ASSEMBLY BILL 359

August 12, 2019 – Introduced by Representatives TUSLER, HEBL, CABRERA, JAMES, KULP, OHNSTAD, SKOWRONSKI, SUBECK and C. TAYLOR, cosponsored by Senators KOOYENGA, L. TAYLOR, OLSEN and WANGGAARD. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

AN ACT ***to amend*** 765.16 (1m) (d) of the statutes; **relating to:** justices or judges authorized to officiate a marriage.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, any judge of a "court of record" or a reserve judge may officiate a wedding. This bill allows any justice or judge to officiate a wedding, regardless of whether the justice or judge is of a "court of record."

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

SECTION 1. 765.16 (1m) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:

765.16 **(1m)** (d) Any justice or judge ~~of a court of record~~ or a reserve judge appointed under s. 753.075.

(END)