



**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO 2001 ASSEMBLY BILL 374**

May 31, 2001 - Offered by Representative JESKEWITZ.

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

2 **1.** Page 1, line 4: delete "organs or" and substitute "organs for
3 transplantation,".

4 **2.** Page 1, line 5: before the period insert ", or medical devices, medical
5 equipment, or medication for emergency purposes".

6 **3.** Page 2, line 14: after that line insert:

7 **"SECTION 2g.** 340.01 (3) (dh) of the statutes is created to read:

8 340.01 (3) (dh) Privately owned motor vehicles being operated in the course of
9 a business and being used, in response to an emergency call from a treating physician
10 or his or her designee declaring the transportation to be an emergency, to transport
11 medical devices or equipment to a hospital or ambulatory surgery center, or to pick
12 up medical devices or equipment for immediate transportation to a hospital or
13 ambulatory surgery center, if the medical devices or equipment are to be used for

1 human implantation or for urgent medical treatment immediately after the
2 transportation.

3 **SECTION 2h.** 340.01 (3) (di) of the statutes is created to read:

4 340.01 (3) (di) Privately owned motor vehicles being used to transport
5 prescription medication to a person in response to an emergency call from the
6 physician who prescribed the medication or his or her designee declaring the
7 transportation of the medication to be an emergency.”

8 **4.** Page 3, line 9: delete the material beginning with that line and ending with
9 page 5, line 4, and substitute:

10 **“SECTION 6m.** 347.25 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

11 347.25 (1) Except as provided in subs. (1m) (a), (1r), and (1s), an authorized
12 emergency vehicle may be equipped with one or more flashing, oscillating, or
13 rotating red lights, except that ambulances, fire department equipment, and
14 privately owned motor vehicles under s. 340.01 (3) (d) or (dm) being used by
15 personnel of a full-time or part-time fire department or by members of a volunteer
16 fire department or rescue squad, privately owned motor vehicles under s. 340.01 (3)
17 (dg) being used by an organ procurement organization or any person under an
18 agreement with an organ procurement organization, and privately owned motor
19 vehicles under s. 340.01 (3) (dh) or (di) being used to transport medical devices or
20 equipment or prescription medication, may be equipped with red or red and white
21 lights, and shall be so equipped when the operator thereof is exercising the privileges
22 granted by s. 346.03. The lights shall be so designed and mounted as to be plainly
23 visible and understandable from a distance of 500 feet both during normal sunlight
24 and during hours of darkness. No operator of an authorized emergency vehicle may

1 use the warning lights except when responding to an emergency call or when in
2 pursuit of an actual or suspected violator of the law, when responding to but not upon
3 returning from a fire alarm, when transporting an organ for human transplantation,
4 when transporting medical personnel for the purpose of performing human organ
5 harvesting or transplantation immediately after the transportation, or when
6 necessarily parked in a position which is likely to be hazardous to traffic.”.

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(END)