



State of Wisconsin
2025 - 2026 LEGISLATURE

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ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 89

March 10, 2025 - Offered by Representative PENTERMAN.

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

2 **1.** Page 2, line 1: before that line insert:

3 “**SECTION 1L.** 943.20 (3g) of the statutes is created to read:

4 943.20 (**3g**) INCREASED PENALTY FOR REPEATED VIOLATIONS. A person who is
5 charged with a misdemeanor under sub. (3) (a) may be charged with and convicted
6 of a Class I felony if the person has one or more prior convictions for a violation
7 under sub. (3) (a) to (cm) or s. 943.50 (4) (a) to (c). A person who is charged with a
8 felony under sub. (3) (bf) to (cm) may be charged with and convicted of a felony that
9 is one classification higher than the felony classification provided in sub. (3) if the
10 person has one or more prior convictions for a violation under sub. (3) (a) to (cm) or
11 s. 943.50 (4) (a) to (c).”.

2. Page 2, line 4: on lines 4 and 7, delete “committed” and substitute “committed in the same prosecutorial unit”.

3. Page 2, line 4: after that line insert:

“SECTION 1v. 943.50 (4g) of the statutes is created to read:

943.50 (4g) A person who is charged with a misdemeanor under sub. (4) (a) may be charged with and convicted of a Class I felony if the person has one or more prior convictions for a violation under sub. (4) (a) to (c) or s. 943.20 (3) (a) to (cm). A person who is charged with a felony under sub. (4) (bf) to (c) may be charged with and convicted of a felony that is one classification higher than the felony classification provided in sub. (4) if the person has one or more prior convictions for a violation under sub. (4) (a) to (c) or s. 943.20 (3) (a) to (cm).”.

4. Page 2, line 9: delete lines 9 to 13.

5. Page 2, line 16: after that line insert:

“SECTION 5m. Initial applicability.

(1g) This act first applies to violations committed on the effective date of this subsection, but does not preclude the counting of other convictions of s. 943.20 (3) (a) to (cm) or 943.50 (4) (a) to (c) as prior convictions for purposes of sentencing a person.”.

(END)