



1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 77

February 2, 1999 – Introduced by COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION POLICY. Referred to Committee on Information Policy.

1 **AN ACT to renumber** 21.11 (1); and **to create** 21.11 (1) (b) of the statutes;
2 **relating to:** authorizing the activation of the national guard for public
3 disasters related to the year 2000 computer issues.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, in response to a war, insurrection, rebellion, riot or invasion, in the event of a public disaster resulting from a flood, conflagration or tornado, or upon application of certain public officials, the governor may order into active service all or any portion of the national guard. Current law also includes a procedure for activating the national guard if the governor is not able to do so.

This bill allows for activation of the national guard for a public disaster resulting from a computer device's failure to recognize and respond correctly to the year 2000 date data and in anticipation of such a public disaster.

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

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

4 **SECTION 1.** 21.11 (1) of the statutes is renumbered 21.11 (1) (a).

5 **SECTION 2.** 21.11 (1) (b) of the statutes is created to read:

