

## State of Misconsin 2023 - 2024 LEGISLATURE

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## **2023 SENATE BILL 51**

February 14, 2023 – Introduced by Senators Cabral-Guevara, Ballweg, Spreitzer and Wirch, cosponsored by Representatives Tusler and Kitchens. Referred to Committee on Mental Health, Substance Abuse Prevention, Children and Families.

- 1 AN ACT to create 767.313 (1) (e) of the statutes; relating to: annulment for
- 2 marriage if less than one year and no pregnancy.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a court may annul a marriage if certain grounds are met, such as a party lacked the capacity to consent to the marriage, a party lacks the physical capacity to consummate the marriage, a party did not meet the legal requirements for marriage, or the marriage is otherwise prohibited by the laws of this state. This bill adds a new ground for annulment of a marriage if the parties have been married for less than one year and no pregnancy resulted from the marriage.

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

- 3 **Section 1.** 767.313 (1) (e) of the statutes is created to read:
- 4 767.313 (1) (e) The parties have been married for less than one year and no
- 5 pregnancy resulted from the marriage.

6 (END)