

## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF MEMORANDUM

Memo No. 1

- TO: MEMBERS OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REPORTING OF CHILD ABUSE AND CHILD NEGLECT
- FROM: David Moore and Anna Henning, Staff Attorneys
- RE: Wisconsin Department of Children and Families (DCF) Annual Wisconsin Child Abuse and Neglect Report for Calendar Year 2010

DATE: July 2, 2012

In anticipation of the July 12, 2012 meeting of the Special Committee, attached is DCF's most recent annual report to the Legislature regarding child abuse and neglect in Wisconsin. The report was released in December 2011 and fulfilled DCF's statutory reporting requirement under s. 48.981 (9), Stats., for the 2010 calendar year. It provides statistics and descriptive information regarding child abuse and neglect reporting and investigations that may be useful to Special Committee members in preparation for DCF's presentation at the upcoming meeting. The appendices to the report are also attached.

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Attachments