



State of Wisconsin
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2015 ASSEMBLY BILL 1001

March 15, 2016 - Introduced by Representatives GOYKE, BARNES, BROSTOFF, ZAMARRIPA, ZEPNICK, SPREITZER and CONSIDINE. Referred to Committee on Corrections.

1 **AN ACT** *to amend* 302.10; and *to create* 301.03 (3p) of the statutes; **relating to:**
2 the use of solitary confinement in prisons.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill requires the Department of Corrections to develop evidence-based criteria for confining a prison inmate in a solitary cell. This bill also requests the Legislative Audit Bureau to perform a financial and performance evaluation audit of the use of solitary confinement in prisons. If the bureau performs the audit, it must file its report by July 1, 2017.

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:

3 **SECTION 1.** 301.03 (3p) of the statutes is created to read:
4 301.03 (3p) Adopt evidence-based criteria for confining an inmate to a solitary
5 cell.

6 **SECTION 2.** 302.10 of the statutes is amended to read:

