



2019 ASSEMBLY BILL 471

September 24, 2019 - Introduced by Representatives LOUDENBECK, FELZKOWSKI, DITTRICH, SWEARINGEN, ANDERSON and MURSAU, cosponsored by Senators MARKLEIN, L. TAYLOR and SCHACHTNER. Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

1 **AN ACT to amend** 256.35 (3s) (d) 4.; and **to create** 256.35 (3s) (bm) of the statutes;
2 **relating to:** grants for Next Generation 911 and granting rule-making
3 authority.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under this bill, the Department of Military Affairs must provide grants to Wisconsin public safety answering points to purchase, upgrade, and maintain Next Generation 911 equipment. Under the bill, the 911 subcommittee must advise DMA on appropriate grant purposes and eligibility criteria for the grants, and DMA must promulgate rules for grant use purposes and eligibility based on those recommendations.

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.** 256.35 (3s) (bm) of the statutes is created to read:
5 256.35 **(3s)** (bm) *Competitive grant program.* 1. The department shall award
6 grants to public safety answering points for the purposes identified under subd. 2.
7 using the criteria in subd. 3.

