Assembly Bill 88

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CHAPTER 258, LAWS OF 1967

AN ACT to create 885.205 of the statutes, relating to privileged communications between students, and university deans and psychologists.

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

885.205 of the statutes is created to read:

885.205 PRIVILEGED COMMUNICATIONS. No dean of men, dean of women or dean of students at any institution of higher education in this state, or any school psychologist at any school in this state, shall be allowed to disclose communications made to such dean or psychologist or advice given by such dean or psychologist in the course of counseling a student, or in the course of investigating the conduct of a student enrolled at such university or school, except:

- (1) This prohibition may be waived by the student.
- (2) This prohibition does not include communications which such dean needs to divulge for his own protection, or the protection of those with whom he deals, or which were made to him for the express purpose of being communicated to another, or of being made public.
- (3) This prohibition does not extend to a criminal case when such dean has been regularly subpoenaed to testify.

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