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AN ACT to appropriate \$3,934 from the general fund for payment of a claim made by Johnnie Mae and Arthur Johnson against the state.

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

SECTION 1. Claim against state. There is appropriated from the general fund \$3,934 to Johnnie Mae and Arthur Johnson, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, to compensate them for \$3,000 general damages plus \$934 funeral expenses resulting from the wrongful death of their minor son, David. The deceased had been assigned to a foster home licensed by the department of health and social services, southern Wisconsin colony. While at this home

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on February 18, 1970, David suffered a violent death attributed to hemorrhaging caused by severe beating and dehydration. Acceptance of this payment operates as a full and complete release to the state for any claim on account of such damages and expenses.