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AN ACT to create 230.86 of the statutes, relating to: forbidding disciplinary action based on covert surveillance under certain circumstances.

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

SECTION 1. 230.86 of the statutes is created to read: 230.86 Discipline based on surveillance. (1) No appointing authority may take any disciplinary action based in whole or in part on wiretapping, electronic surveillance or one-way mirrors unless that surveillance produces evidence that the employe against whom disciplinary action is taken has committed a crime or unless that surveillance is authorized by the appointing authority.

(2) Subsection (1) does not apply to wiretapping, electronic surveillance or one-way mirrors used to monitor security or used for public safety purposes at a state institution.