



**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 7,  
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 493**

November 14, 2013 – Offered by Representatives KESSLER, BEWLEY and SINICKI.

1           At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2           **1.** Page 5, line 10: after that line insert:

3           “**SECTION 6m.** 343.16 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

4           343.16 **(3)** (a) Except as provided in s. 343.165 (4) (d), the department shall  
5           examine every applicant for the renewal of an operator’s license once every 8 years.  
6           The department may institute a method of selecting the date of renewal so that such  
7           examination shall be required for each applicant for renewal of a license to gain a  
8           uniform rate of examinations. The examination shall consist of a test of eyesight.  
9           The department shall make provisions for giving such examinations at examining  
10          stations in each county to all applicants for an operator’s license. At least one  
11          examining station in each county shall be open for business on each Saturday and  
12          until at least 9 p.m. on at least one other day of each week. Examining stations in  
13          each county where any election is held shall be open for business until at least 9 p.m.

1 on each weekday during the week of the election and the week immediately  
2 preceding the election and after the election until the deadline described in s. 6.97  
3 (3) (b), and the department shall, during this period, provide priority service to  
4 applicants seeking identification for voting. The person to be examined shall appear  
5 at the examining station nearest the person's place of residence or at such time and  
6 place as the department designates in answer to an applicant's request. In lieu of  
7 examination, the applicant may present or mail to the department a report of  
8 examination of the applicant's eyesight by an ophthalmologist, optometrist, or  
9 physician licensed to practice medicine. The report shall be based on an examination  
10 made not more than 3 months prior to the date it is submitted. The report shall be  
11 on a form furnished and in the form required by the department. The department  
12 shall decide whether, in each case, the eyesight reported is sufficient to meet the  
13 current eyesight standards.”.

14 (END)