



State of Wisconsin  
2019 - 2020 LEGISLATURE

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**SENATE AMENDMENT 2,  
TO SENATE BILL 427**

January 17, 2020 - Offered by Senator TESTIN.

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

2 **1.** Page 7, line 6: after that line insert:

3 **“SECTION 20j.** 911.01 (4) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 911.01 (4) (c) *Miscellaneous proceedings.* Proceedings for extradition or  
5 rendition; sentencing, granting or revoking probation, modification of a bifurcated  
6 sentence under s. 302.113 (9g), or adjustment of a bifurcated sentence under s.  
7 973.195 (1r) or 973.198; hearings for the freezing of assets of a person charged with  
8 financial exploitation of an elder person under s. 971.109; issuance of subpoenas or  
9 warrants under s. 968.375, arrest warrants, criminal summonses, and search  
10 warrants; hearings under s. 980.09 (2); proceedings under s. 971.14 (1r) (c);  
11 proceedings with respect to pretrial release under ch. 969 except where habeas  
12 corpus is utilized with respect to release on bail or as otherwise provided in ch. 969;

1 or proceedings under s. 165.76 (6) to compel provision of a biological specimen for  
2 deoxyribonucleic acid analysis.”.

3 **2.** Page 11, line 16: after that line insert:

4 “**SECTION 31j.** 968.20 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

5 **968.20** (title) **Return of property frozen or seized.**

6 **SECTION 31m.** 968.20 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

7 968.20 (1) Any person claiming the right to possession of property frozen or  
8 seized under s. 971.109 or seized pursuant to a search warrant or seized without a  
9 search warrant, except for an animal taken into custody under s. 173.13 (1) or  
10 withheld from its owner under s. 173.21 (1) (a), may apply for its return to the circuit  
11 court for the county in which the property was frozen or seized or where the search  
12 warrant was returned, except that a court may commence a hearing, on its own  
13 initiative, to return property seized under s. 968.26. If an initial appearance under  
14 s. 970.01 is scheduled, the application for the return of the property shall be filed  
15 within 120 days of the initial appearance.

16 **SECTION 31w.** 968.20 (1h) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 968.20 (1h) If a court orders property returned under sub. (1g), the court shall  
18 order the person not to sell, transfer, assign, or otherwise encumber the property  
19 until the court orders the property either returned under s. 961.55 (3) or 973.075 (5)  
20 ~~or~~, forfeited under s. 961.555 or 973.076, or subject to restitution under s. 973.20. If  
21 the person is subsequently convicted of or found to have committed the offense, the  
22 court shall order the person to surrender the returned property for proceedings  
23 under s. 961.555 or 973.076, whichever is appropriate, or for restitution under s.  
24 973.20.”.

