

## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

## 2005 Wisconsin Act 191 [2005 Assembly Bill 90]

## Requesting Jury Trial in Appeal of Municipal Court Judgment

Act 191 allows either party to a municipal court judgment that is appealed to circuit court, when the appeal will consist of a new trial, to request a jury trial. Previously, only the appellant was authorized to make that request. A request for a jury trial is to be made within 10 days after the court's order for a new trial.

Effective Date: Act 191 became effective April 7, 2006 and first applied to municipal court actions commenced on the effective date.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <a href="http://www.legis.state.wi.us/">http://www.legis.state.wi.us/</a>.