



## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

**2003 Assembly Bill 390**

**Assembly Amendment 1**

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**Assembly Bill 390** allows Wisconsin county jails to detain persons who are detained by a county that borders this state if the counties involved enter into an interstate cooperation agreement that takes into account all the requirements of Wisconsin law regarding the detention of persons in county jails.

**Assembly Amendment 1** provides that an interstate cooperation agreement may not provide for the detention of a person detained or imprisoned in a Wisconsin county jail by a county that borders Wisconsin, who has been sentenced to imprisonment in a state prison in that bordering state.

The effect of the amendment is to limit the type of border county prisoners that could be detained in Wisconsin county jails. Under the bill as amended, border county prisoners who have been sentenced to imprisonment in a state prison in that bordering state may not be detained in a Wisconsin county jail under an interstate cooperation agreement.

### **Legislative History**

On September 10, 2003, the Assembly Committee on Corrections and the Courts introduced Assembly Amendment 1 by unanimous consent.

The Assembly Committee on Corrections and the Courts recommended for adoption Assembly Amendment 1 and passage of the bill, as amended, by a vote of Ayes, 10; Noes, 0.

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