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1995 ASSEMBLY BILL 847

February 5, 1996 – Introduced by Representatives MUSSER, POWERS, HARSDORF, BOYLE, BALDUS, OTT, LEHMAN, TURNER, FREESE, VRAKAS, KAUFERT, GRONEMUS, OLSEN, SCHNEIDERS, WARD and HUBER, cosponsored by Senators MOEN and BRESKE. Referred to Committee on Veterans and Military Affairs.

1	$AN \; ACT \textit{ to amend } 15.07 \; (1) \; (cm), \; 15.313 \; (1), \; 15.315 \; (1), \; 20.465 \; (3) \; (title), \; (a) \; and \; (a) \; (a)$
2	(g), 21.20, 66.146 (1) (a), 70.11 (23), 87.305 (1) (c) (intro.), 101.143 (3) (a) 5.,
3	102.475 (title) and (1), 132.17, 146.53 (5) (i), chapter 166 (title), 166.01, 166.02
4	(3) and (4) (intro.), 166.03 (title), 166.03 (1) (a) 1. to 4., 166.03 (1) (b) 2. to 4.,
5	166.03 (2) (a) 1. to 3., 166.03 (2) (b) 1. to 3., 166.03 (3) to (5), 166.03 (7) (a) and
6	(b), 166.03 (8) (a) to (e) and (g), 166.03 (9), (10), (13) and (14), 166.05 (1), 166.06
7	(1), 166.15 (1) (d), 166.20 (3) (c), 166.22 (1) (c) and 343.055 (1) (b); and <i>to repeal</i>
8	and recreate $15.947(1)$ of the statutes; relating to: changing the name of the
9	division of emergency government in the department of military affairs,
10	changing references to local emergency government agencies and changing the
11	composition and terms of the state emergency response board.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill changes the name of the division of emergency government in the department of military affairs to the division of emergency management. In addition, references to local government agencies and personnel as "emergency government" agencies and personnel are changed to "emergency management" agencies and personnel. The bill adds a representative of the department of industry, labor and job development (currently named the department of industry, labor and human relations) to the state emergency response board and provides that the

members of that board serve for 4-year terms instead of at the pleasure of the governor.

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

SECTION 1. 15.07 (1) (cm) of the statutes, as affected by 1995 Wisconsin Act 27,
 section 95m, is amended to read:

3 15.07 (1) (cm) The term of one member of the ethics board shall expire on each 4 May 1. The terms of 3 members of the development finance board appointed under $\mathbf{5}$ s. 15.155 (1) (a) 6. shall expire on May 1 of every even-numbered year and the terms 6 of the other 3 members appointed under s. 15.155 (1) (a) 6. shall expire on May 1 of 7 every odd-numbered year. The terms of the 3 members of the land and water conservation board appointed under s. 15.135 (4) (b) 2. shall expire on January 1. 8 9 The term of the member of the land and water conservation board appointed under 10 s. 15.135 (4) (b) 2m. shall expire on May 1 of an even-numbered year. The terms of 11 members of the real estate board shall expire on July 1. The terms of the appraiser 12members of the real estate appraisers board and the terms of the auctioneer and 13auction company representative members of the auctioneer board shall expire on 14May 1 in an even-numbered year. The terms of the 4 members of the educational technology board appointed under s. 15.105 (26) (a) 1., 3., 6. and 9. shall expire on 1516 May 1 in an even-numbered year. The terms of the members of the public intervenor 17board shall expire as provided in s. 15.345 (4) (b). The terms of 3 members of the 18 gaming board appointed under s. 15.64 shall expire on July 1 of an even-numbered 19 year and the terms of the other 2 members shall expire on July 1 of an odd-numbered 20vear. The terms of 8 of the members of the state emergency response board shall 21expire on May 1 of an even-numbered year.

SECTION 2. 15.313 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

15.313 (1) (title) DIVISION OF EMERGENCY GOVERNMENT MANAGEMENT. There is
created in the department of military affairs a division of emergency government
<u>management</u>. The administrator of this division shall be nominated by the governor
and with the advice and consent of the senate appointed, to serve at the pleasure of
the governor.

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SECTION 3. 15.315 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 15.315 (1) STATE EMERGENCY RESPONSE BOARD. There is created a state 9 emergency response board, which is attached to the department of military affairs 10 under s. 15.03. The state emergency response board shall consist of one 11 representative of the department of military affairs, division of emergency government management, one representative of the subunit of the department of 1213 health and family services that administers health-related programs, one 14 representative of the department of industry, labor and job development, one 15representative of the department of transportation, one representative of the 16 department of natural resources, one representative of the department of 17agriculture, trade and consumer protection, one representative each from fire 18 fighting, law enforcement and public or community health services, 2 19 representatives of industry, one representative of small business, as defined in s. 20 15.227 (3), 2- representatives who are elected officials or employes of county and or 21municipal government, one representative of a farm or agricultural organization, 22one representative of a labor organization and one representative of an 23environmental organization. The members of the board shall serve at the pleasure of the governor 4-year terms. 24

SECTION 4. 15.947 (1) of the statutes, as affected by 1995 Wisconsin Act 27, is 1 2 repealed and recreated to read:

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15.947 (1) COUNCIL ON FIRE SERVICE TRAINING PROGRAMS. There is created in the 3 4 technical college system board a council on fire service training programs consisting $\mathbf{5}$ of a representative of the division of emergency management designated by the 6 administrator thereof; a representative of the department of development 7 designated by the secretary of development; a representative of the commissioner of 8 insurance designated by the commissioner; and 4 bona fide members of volunteer fire 9 departments and 2 bona fide members of paid fire departments appointed for 10 staggered 6-year terms.

11 SECTION 5. 20.465 (3) (title), (a) and (g) of the statutes are amended to read:

1220.465 (3) (title) EMERGENCY GOVERNMENT MANAGEMENT SERVICES. (a) General 13 program operations. The amounts in the schedule for the general program 14operations of the division of emergency government management including, but not 15limited to, central administrative support services by the department.

16 (g) *Program services*. The amounts in the schedule for conferences, training 17and other services provided by the division of emergency government management 18 and for expenses incurred under s. 166.03 (2) (b) 6. and 7. All moneys received for 19 conferences, training and other services provided by the division of emergency 20 government management shall be credited to this appropriation. All moneys 21received from assessments and contributions under s. 166.03 (2) (b) 6. and 7. shall 22be credited to this appropriation.

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SECTION 6. 21.20 of the statutes is amended to read:

 $\mathbf{24}$ Civil service status. All full-time state-paid employes of the 21.20 25department of military affairs shall be under the classified service, except the

1 adjutant general, the executive assistant to the adjutant general, the deputy 2 adjutants general for army and air and the administrator of the division of 3 emergency government management.

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SECTION 7. 66.146 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

566.146 (1) (a) "Public office" means the following positions or their equivalent: 6 city engineer; city purchasing agent; commissioner of building inspection, of city 7 development, of health or of public works: director of administration, of budget and 8 management, of community development agency, of employe relations, of office of 9 telecommunications, or of safety; emergency government management coordinator; 10 employe benefits administrator; executive director of the commission on community 11 relations; municipal port director; commissioner of assessments; director of liaison; city personnel director; executive director of the retirement board; executive director 1213 of the city board of election commissioners; city librarian; city labor negotiator; 14 executive secretary of the board of fire and police commissioners; and supervisor of 15the central electronics board.

16 SECTION 8. 70.11 (23) of the statutes is amended to read:

17 70.11 (23) SHELTERS. Any shelter or portion of a structure constructed and used
 18 exclusively for the protection of human life and records against nuclear attack and
 19 approved as sufficient for such purpose by the local emergency government
 20 <u>management</u> authority and the local assessor.

21 SECTION 9. 87.305 (1) (c) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

87.305 (1) (c) (intro.) The department informs the U.S. army corps of engineers,
 the department of transportation, the division of emergency government
 <u>management</u> and the state historical society of its intention to authorize connection

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of sewer service and a water supply to the railroad depot and the Dousman hotel and
 occupancy of the hotel and either:

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SECTION 10. 101.143 (3) (a) 5. of the statutes is amended to read:

101.143 (3) (a) 5. The owner or operator or the person reports the discharge in
a timely manner to the division of emergency government management in the
department of military affairs or to the department of natural resources, according
to the requirements under s. 144.76.

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SECTION 11. 102.475 (title) and (1) of the statutes are amended to read:

9 102.475 (title) Death benefit; law enforcement and correctional 10 officers, fire fighters, rescue squad members, national or state guard 11 members and emergency government management personnel. (1) SPECIAL BENEFIT. If the deceased employe is a law enforcement officer, correctional officer, fire 1213fighter, rescue squad member, national guard member or state defense force member 14 on state active duty as described in s. 102.07 (9) or if a deceased person is an employe 15or volunteer performing emergency government management activities under ch. 16 166 during a state of emergency or a circumstance described in s. 166.04, who 17sustained an accidental injury while performing services growing out of and 18 incidental to that employment or volunteer activity so that benefits are payable 19 under s. 102.46 or 102.47 (1), the department shall voucher and pay from the 20appropriation under s. 20.445 (1) (aa) a sum equal to 75% of the primary death 21benefit as of the date of death, but not less than \$50,000 to the persons wholly 22dependent upon the deceased. For purposes of this subsection, dependency shall be 23determined under ss. 102.49 and 102.51.

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SECTION 12. 132.17 of the statutes is amended to read:

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132.17 Certain badges: penalty for unauthorized wearing. Any person 1 2 who shall wilfully wear the insignia, rosette, or badge or any imitation thereof, of the 3 military order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, the Grand Army of the 4 Republic, the United Spanish War Veterans, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United 5States, the Military Order of Foreign Wars, the American Legion, the Disabled 6 American Veterans, the Thirty-second Division Veteran Association, the American 7 Veterans of World War II (AMVETS), or of the Benevolent and Protective Order of 8 the Elks of the United States, Knights of Columbus, Odd Fellows, Free Masons, 9 Knights of Pythias, or of any other society, order or organization, operating under the 10 lodge system, of 10 years' standing in this state, or of any duly incorporated fraternal, 11 social, or service organization, or of the division of emergency government 12management in the department of military affairs or shall wilfully use the same to 13 obtain aid or assistance thereby within this state, or shall wilfully use the name of 14such society, order or organization, the titles of its officers, or its insignia, unless 15entitled to use or wear the same under the constitution, bylaws, rules and 16 regulations thereof, shall be imprisoned not more than 30 days or fined not exceeding 17\$20, or both.

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18 SECTION 13. 146.53 (5) (i) of the statutes is amended to read:

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19 146.53 (5) (i) Provide advice to the adjutant general of the department of
 20 military affairs on the emergency medical aspects of the state plan of emergency
 21 government management under s. 166.03 (2) (a) 1. and coordinate emergency
 22 activities with the department of military affairs.

23 **SECTION 14.** Chapter 166 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:

CHAPTER 166

EMERGENCY GOVERNMENT MANAGEMENT

 166.01 Declaration of policy. To prepare the state and its subdivisions cope with emergencies resulting from enemy action and natural or man-mat disasters, it is declared to be necessary to establish an organization for emerge government management, conferring upon the governor and others specified powers and duties provided by this chapter. SECTION 16. 166.02 (3) and (4) (intro.) of the statutes are amended to read: 166.02 (3) "Division" means the division of emergency government management. (4) (intro.) "Emergency government management" includes "civil defense" a means all measures undertaken by or on behalf of the state and its subdivision 	
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 5 government management, conferring upon the governor and others specified 6 powers and duties provided by this chapter. 7 SECTION 16. 166.02 (3) and (4) (intro.) of the statutes are amended to read: 166.02 (3) "Division" means the division of emergency government 9 management. 10 (4) (intro.) "Emergency government management" includes "civil defense" a 11 means all measures undertaken by or on behalf of the state and its subdivision 	ıde
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 7 SECTION 16. 166.02 (3) and (4) (intro.) of the statutes are amended to read: 8 166.02 (3) "Division" means the division of emergency government 9 <u>management</u>. 10 (4) (intro.) "Emergency government <u>management</u>" includes "civil defense" a 11 means all measures undertaken by or on behalf of the state and its subdivision 	he
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12 SECTION 17. 166.03 (title) of the statutes is amended to read:	
13 166.03 (title) Emergency <i>government</i> <u>management</u> .	
SECTION 18. 166.03 (1) (a) 1. to 4. of the statutes are amended to read:	
15 166.03 (1) (a) 1. Review orders establishing or altering emergency government	ent
16 <u>management</u> areas.	
17 2. Review state emergency government <u>management</u> plans and modificati	ons
18 thereof.	
19 3. Employ the division of emergency government <u>management</u> during a st	ate
20 of emergency proclaimed by him or her, issue orders and delegate such authority	as
21 is deemed necessary to the administrator.	
4. Determine responsibilities of state departments and independent agend	ies
23 in respect to emergency government management and by order direct set	
24 departments and agencies in utilizing personnel, facilities, supplies and equipm	ıch
25 before and during a state of emergency.	

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SECTION 19. 166.03 (1) (b) 2. to 4. of the statutes are amended to read:

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166.03 (1) (b) 2. On behalf of the state, enter into mutual aid agreements concerning emergency government management with other states.

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3. Accept from any source gifts and grants including services for emergency
government management purposes and may authorize state, county, town and
municipal officers to receive such gifts and grants. When grants require county, town
or municipal participation, the state may transfer title to equipment acquired
through such agreement to participating counties, towns and municipalities.

9 4. During a state of emergency, declare priority of emergency government 10 <u>management</u> contracts over other contracts, allocate materials and facilities in his 11 or her discretion, and take, use and destroy private property for emergency 12 government <u>management</u> purposes. Such taking, use or destruction shall be in the 13 name of the state. Records shall be kept of such action and such records shall be 14 evidence of a claim against the state. Any such claim shall be referred to the claims 15 board under s. 16.007.

SECTION 20. 166.03 (2) (a) 1. to 3. of the statutes are amended to read:

17 166.03 (2) (a) 1. Subject to approval by the governor, develop and promulgate
18 a state plan of emergency government management for the security of persons and
19 property which shall be mandatory during a state of emergency. In developing the
20 plan, the adjutant general shall seek the advice of the department of health and
21 social services with respect to the emergency medical aspects of the plan.

22 2. Prescribe and carry out statewide training programs and exercises to 23 develop emergency government management proficiency, disseminate information 24 including warnings of enemy action, serve as the principal assistant to the governor

1 in the direction of emergency government management activities and coordinate 2 emergency government management programs between counties. 3 3. Furnish guidance and develop and promulgate standards for emergency 4 government management programs for counties, towns and municipalities, and 5 prescribe nomenclature for all levels of emergency government management. 6 **SECTION 21.** 166.03 (2) (b) 1. to 3. of the statutes are amended to read: 7 166.03 (2) (b) 1. Divide the state into emergency government management 8 areas composed of whole counties by general or special written orders subject to 9 approval by the governor, and modify the boundaries thereof as changed conditions 10 warrant. Such areas shall be classified and designated in accordance with standards 11 promulgated under the federal civil defense act of 1950, as amended. 122. Appoint a head of emergency government management for each area 13 established in accordance with subd. 1. under the classified service on either a 14part-time or full-time basis, or may request the governor to designate any state 15officer or employe as acting area head on a part-time basis. 16 3. Designate and post highways as emergency government management routes 17closed to all but authorized vehicles when required for training programs and exercises. 18 19 **SECTION 22.** 166.03 (3) to (5) of the statutes are amended to read: 20 166.03 (3) POWERS AND DUTIES OF AREA HEADS. Area heads of emergency 21government management may exercise such powers as are delegated and shall 22perform such duties as are assigned to them by the adjutant general.

(4) POWERS AND DUTIES OF COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES. (a) The governing body
 of each county, town and municipality shall adopt an effective program of emergency
 government management consistent with the state plan of emergency government

<u>management</u> and, except at the county level in counties having a county executive,
 shall appoint a head of emergency government <u>management</u> services. Each such
 governing body may appropriate funds and levy taxes for this program.

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(b) In counties having a county executive under s. 59.031, the county board shall designate the county executive or confirm his or her appointee as county head of emergency government management services.

(c) Each county board shall designate a committee of the board as a county
emergency government management committee whose chairperson shall be a
member of the committee designated by the chairperson of the county board. The
committee, in counties having a county executive under s. 59.031, shall retain
policy-making and rule-making powers in the establishment and development of
county emergency government management plans and programs.

13 (d) During the continuance of a state of emergency proclaimed by the governor 14 the county board of each county situated within the area to which the governor's 15proclamation applies may employ the county emergency government management 16 organization and the facilities and other resources of the organization to cope with 17the problems of the emergency, and the governing body of each municipality and 18 town situated within the area shall have similar authority with respect to municipal 19 emergency government management organizations, facilities and resources. 20 Nothing in this chapter prohibits counties and municipalities from employing their 21emergency government management organizations, facilities and resources to cope 22 with the problems of local public emergencies except where restrictions are imposed 23by federal regulations on property donated by the federal government.

(5) (title) POWERS AND DUTIES OF HEAD OF EMERGENCY GOVERNMENT MANAGEMENT
 SERVICES. (a) The head of emergency government management services in each

1 county, town and municipality shall for his or her respective county, town or 2 municipality, develop and promulgate emergency government management plans 3 consistent with state plans, direct the emergency government management program 4 and perform such other duties related to emergency government management as are 5 required by the governing body and the emergency government management 6 committee of the governing body when applicable.

7 (b) The head of emergency government management services in each county 8 shall coordinate and assist in developing town and municipal emergency 9 government management plans within the county, integrate such plans with the 10 county plan, advise the department of all emergency government management 11 planning in the county and submit to the adjutant general such reports as he or she 12requires, direct and coordinate emergency government management activities 13throughout the county during a state of emergency, and direct countywide 14 emergency government management training programs and exercises.

15 (c) The head of emergency government management services in each town and 16 municipality shall direct local emergency government management training 17 programs and exercises, direct participation in emergency government management 18 programs and exercises ordered by the adjutant general and the county head of 19 emergency government management services, and advise the county head of 20 emergency government management services on local emergency government 21 management programs and submit to him or her such reports as he or she requires.

(d) During the continuance of a state of emergency proclaimed by the governor,
the head of emergency government management services in each county, town and
municipality, on behalf of his or her respective county, town or municipality, may

contract with any person to provide equipment and services on a cost basis to be used
 in disaster relief.

SECTION 23. 166.03 (7) (a) and (b) of the statutes are amended to read:
166.03 (7) (a) Counties, towns and municipalities may cooperate under s. 66.30
to furnish services, combine offices and finance emergency government management
services.

7 (b) Counties, towns and municipalities may contract for emergency 8 government management services with political subdivisions, emergency 9 government management units and civil defense units of this state, and upon prior 10 approval of the adjutant general, with such entities in bordering states. A copy of 11 each such agreement shall be filed with the adjutant general within 10 days after 12 execution thereof.

SECTION 24. 166.03 (8) (a) to (e) and (g) of the statutes are amended to read:
 166.03 (8) (a) No emergency government management organization
 established under this section shall participate in any form of political activity or be
 employed directly or indirectly for any political activity.

17 (b) No emergency government management organization established under
18 this section shall be employed to interfere with the orderly process of a labor dispute.

(c) No person shall be employed or associated in any capacity in any emergency
government management organization under this section who advocates a change
by force or violence in the constitutional form of government of the United States or
this state or who has been convicted of or is under indictment or information charging
any subversive act against the United States.

24 (d) Employes of municipal and county emergency government management
 25 units are employes of the municipality or county to which the unit is attached for

1 purposes of worker's compensation benefits. Employes of the area and state 2 emergency government management units are employes of the state for purposes of 3 worker's compensation benefits. Volunteer emergency government management 4 workers are employes of the emergency government management unit with whom $\mathbf{5}$ duly registered in writing for purposes of worker's compensation benefits. An 6 emergency government management employe or volunteer who engages in 7 emergency government management activities upon order of any echelon in the 8 emergency government management organization other than that which carries his 9 or her worker's compensation coverage shall be eligible for the same benefits as 10 though employed by the governmental unit employing him or her. Any employment 11 which is part of an emergency government management program including but not 12restricted because of enumeration, test runs and other activities which have a 13 training objective as well as emergency government management activities during 14an emergency proclaimed in accordance with this chapter and which grows out of, 15and is incidental to, such emergency government management activity is covered 16 employment. Members of an emergency government management unit who are not 17acting as employes of a private employer during emergency government 18 management activities are employes of the emergency government management 19 unit for which acting. If no pay agreement exists or if the contract pay is less, pay 20 for worker's compensation purposes shall be computed in accordance with s. 102.11.

(e) Emergency government management employes as defined in par. (d) shall
be indemnified by their sponsor against any tort liability to third persons incurred
in the performance of emergency government management activities while acting in
good faith and in a reasonable manner. Emergency government management
activities constitute a governmental function.

- (g) Emergency government management employes as such shall receive no pay
 unless specific agreement for pay is made.
- SECTION 25. 166.03 (9), (10), (13) and (14) of the statutes are amended to read:
 166.03 (9) BEARING OF LOSSES. Any loss arising from the damage to or
 destruction of government-owned equipment utilized in any authorized emergency
 government management activity shall be borne by the owner thereof.
- 7 (10) EXEMPTION FROM LIABILITY. No person who provides equipment or services 8 under the direction of the governor, the adjutant general or the head of emergency 9 government management services in any county, town or municipality during a state 10 of emergency declared by the governor is liable for the death of or injury to any person 11 or damage to any property caused by his or her actions, except where the trier of fact 12finds that the person acted intentionally or with gross negligence. This subsection 13 does not affect the right of any person to receive benefits to which he or she would 14 otherwise be entitled under the worker's compensation law or under any pension law, 15nor does it affect entitlement to any other benefits or compensation authorized by 16 state or federal law.
- 17(13) AUTHORITY TO WITHHOLD GRANTS. If the adjutant general finds that any 18 political subdivision of the state has not complied with the requirement of this section that it establish and maintain an operating emergency government 19 20 management organization, he or she may refuse to approve grants of funds or items 21of equipment to such political subdivision until it complies. If such political 22subdivision fails to use funds or items of equipment granted to it through the 23adjutant general in accordance with the agreement under which the grant was made. 24the adjutant general may refuse to make any additional grants to such political 25subdivision until it has complied with the conditions of the prior grant, and he or she

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may start recovery proceedings on the funds and items of equipment which have not been used in accordance with the conditions of the grant.

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3 (14) PENALTIES. Whoever intentionally fails to comply with the directives of
4 emergency government management authorities promulgated under this section
5 during a state of emergency or during any training program or exercises may be fined
6 not more than \$200 or imprisoned not more than 90 days or both.

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Section 26. 166.05 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

8 166.05 (1) DESIGNATION OF EMERGENCY TEMPORARY LOCATION. Whenever, during 9 a state of emergency it becomes imprudent, inexpedient or impossible to conduct the 10 affairs of state government at the state capital, the governor shall, as often as the 11 exigencies of the situation require, by proclamation designate an emergency 12temporary location for the seat of government at such place within or without this 13 state as he or she deems advisable, and shall take such action and issue such orders 14as are necessary for an orderly transition of the affairs of state government to such 15emergency temporary location. If practicable, the emergency temporary location so 16 designated by the governor shall conform to that provided for in the current 17emergency government management plan authorized by s. 166.03. Such emergency 18 temporary location shall remain as the seat of government until the governor 19 establishes a new location under this section, or until the emergency is ended under 20 s. 166.03 and the seat of government is returned to its normal location.

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SECTION 27. 166.06 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

166.06 (1) DESIGNATION OF EMERGENCY TEMPORARY LOCATIONS. Whenever during
 a state of emergency it becomes imprudent, inexpedient or impossible to conduct the
 affairs of local government at the regular or usual place or places thereof, the
 governing body of each county, town and municipality of this state may meet at any

place within or without the territorial limits of such political subdivision on the call 1 2 of the presiding officer or his or her successor, and shall proceed to establish and 3 designate by ordinance, resolution or other manner, alternate or substitute sites or 4 places as the emergency temporary locations of government where all, or any part, 5 of the public business may be transacted and conducted during the emergency 6 situation. Such alternate or substitute site or places may be within or without the 7 territorial limits of such county, town or municipality and may be within or without 8 those of the state. If practicable, they shall be the sites or places designated as the 9 emergency temporary locations of government in the current emergency government 10 management plan. 11 **SECTION 28.** 166.15 (1) (d) of the statutes is amended to read: 12"Emergency provider" means any person who provides 166.15 (1) (d) 13 emergency care or facilities and includes emergency government management. 14 **SECTION 29.** 166.20 (3) (c) of the statutes is amended to read: 15166.20 (3) (c) Consult and coordinate with the county board, the county and 16 local heads of emergency government management services designated under s. 17166.03 (4) (a) or (b) and the county emergency government management committee 18 designated under s. 166.03 (4) (c) in the execution of the local emergency planning committee's duties under this section. 19 20 **SECTION 30.** 166.22 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read: 21166.22 (1) (c) "Local agency" means an agency of a county, city, village or town, 22including a municipal police or fire department, a municipal health organization, a 23county office of emergency government management, a county sheriff, an emergency 24medical service or a public works department. **SECTION 31.** 343.055 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read: 25

343.055 (1) (b) *Fire fighters*. The operator of the commercial motor vehicle 1 $\mathbf{2}$ including, without limitation, fire trucks, hook and ladder trucks and foam or water 3 transporters, is a person employed by a volunteer or paid fire organization and the person is operating emergency or fire fighting equipment necessary to the 4 5 preservation of life or property or the execution of emergency government 6 management functions and equipped with a siren and warning lamps as provided 7 in ss. 347.25 (1) and 347.38 (4) and the operation is in the routine performance of 8 other duties of the fire organization or in response to an emergency call under s. 9 346.03 or during the return from a fire or other emergency response. 10 Nonstatutory provisions. SECTION 32. 11 (1) Notwithstanding section 15.315 (1) of the statutes, as affected by this act,

the members appointed to the state emergency response board under that subsection
shall serve for the following initial terms:

(a) One of the members representing industry, the member representing fire
fighting, the member representing a labor organization, the member representing
small businesses and the member representing the department of natural resources
shall serve for terms expiring on May 1, 1997.

(b) The member representing a farm or agricultural organization, the member
representing the department of agriculture, trade and consumer protection, the
member representing the department of military affairs and the member
representing an environmental organization shall serve for terms expiring on May
1, 1998.

(c) The other member representing industry, the member representing public
or community health services, the member representing law enforcement and one of

the members representing elected officials or employes of county or municipal
 government shall serve for terms expiring on May 1, 1999.

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3 (d) The other member representing elected officials or employes of county or 4 municipal government, the member representing the department of health and 5 family services, the member representing the department of transportation and the 6 member representing the department of industry, labor and job development shall 7 serve for terms expiring on May 1, 2000.

- 8 SECTION 33. Effective date.
- 9 (1) This act takes effect on July 1, 1996.
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(END)