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## REPRESENTATIVE DOYLE APPLAUDS SIGNING OF HIS IRELAND TRADE COMMISSION BILL

Today, Governor Evers signed Assembly Bill 548 which creates a Wisconsin-Ireland trade commission. The idea for this proposal originated with Rep. Doyle and Rep. Murphy who created an Irish Legislative Caucus at the behest of Senator Mark Daly, the Cathaoirleach of Seanad Eireann (Chair of the Senate of Ireland). That caucus led a fact-finding mission to Ireland and a number of Wisconsin legislators met with members of the Irish Government and discussed increased cooperation between the two governments. Rep. Doyle had the following to say:

"At a time where we need to be looking for creative solutions to our economic problems, a trade commission with another country is a great step in the right direction. Being able to work with and learn from individuals and a nation with different perspectives, and who hold a different place in the global economy can only serve to strengthen our state. This simple bipartisan proposal has the power to do a lot of good for our state. Over the past few months Senator Mark Daly and I have become friends. I look forward to growing that friendship as the friendship between his and our governments grows as well."

You can learn more about Assembly Bill 548 here: <a href="https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/2023/proposals/reg/asm/bill/ab548">https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/2023/proposals/reg/asm/bill/ab548</a>.

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