



State of Wisconsin
2011 – 2012 LEGISLATURE



LRB-2958/1
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2011 BILL

1 **AN ACT to repeal** 343.301 (1g) (b) 1. and 343.301 (1g) (b) 2.; and **to renumber**
2 **and amend** 343.301 (1g) (b) (intro.) of the statutes; **relating to:** requiring an
3 ignition interlock device for first drunken driving offenses.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a court is required to order a person's motor vehicle operating privilege be restricted to operating vehicles that are equipped with an ignition interlock device if a person commits a second or subsequent offense related to operating a vehicle while intoxicated or a first offense while his or her alcohol concentration is 0.15 or greater, refuses to take a test for intoxication, or injures or kills a person while operating a vehicle while intoxicated. Under current law, the operating privilege restriction stays in place for not less than one year nor more than the maximum operating privilege revocation period permitted for the refusal or violation.

This bill requires a court to order the operating privileges of a person who commits a first offense related to operating a vehicle while intoxicated, regardless of his or her alcohol concentration, be restricted to operating vehicles that are equipped with an ignition interlock device. The draft does not change the minimum or maximum periods for the restriction.

