



2009 SENATE BILL 228

June 4, 2009 – Introduced by JOINT LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. Referred to Committee on Small Business, Emergency Preparedness, Technical Colleges, and Consumer Protection.

1 **AN ACT relating to:** disaster assistance and making an appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill is explained in the NOTES provided by the Joint Legislative Council in the bill.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

JOINT LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL PREFATORY NOTE: This bill was prepared for the Joint Legislative Council's Special Committee on Emergency Management and Continuity of Government. The bill provides \$1 million in general purpose revenue (GPR) in each fiscal year of the 2009–11 biennium for the state disaster assistance program. The program provides payments to local governments for a portion of damages and costs incurred in a major catastrophe if federal disaster assistance is not available.

2 **SECTION 1. Fiscal changes.**

3 (1) DISASTER ASSISTANCE. In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes
4 for the appropriation to the department of military affairs under section 20.465 (3)
5 (b) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of 2009, the dollar amount is increased by

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1 \$1,000,000 for the first fiscal year of the fiscal biennium in which this subsection
2 takes effect for the purpose for which the appropriation is made. In the schedule
3 under section 20.005 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the department of
4 military affairs under section 20.465 (3) (b) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of
5 2009, the dollar amount is increased by \$1,000,000 for the second fiscal year of the
6 fiscal biennium in which this subsection takes effect for the purpose for which the
7 appropriation is made.

8 **SECTION 2. Effective date.**

9 (1) This act takes effect on the day after publication, or on the 2nd day after
10 publication of the 2009–11 biennial budget act, whichever is later.

11 (END)