



State of Wisconsin
2019 - 2020 LEGISLATURE

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2019 BILL

1 **AN ACT** *to affect* 2017 Wisconsin Act 184, section 9320 (1); **relating to:**
2 applicability of 2017 Wisconsin Act 184.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

2017 Wisconsin Act 184 modified the procedure for determining placement of sexually violent persons on supervised release. One change required the court to order the person's county of residence to prepare a report identifying appropriate residential options for the person. Prior law had allowed the court, with good cause, to choose another county to prepare the report. The effect of this change was that the person could not be placed in a county that was not his or her county of residence. The changes made in 2017 Wisconsin Act 184 applied to any petition for supervised release that was pending as of March 30, 2018.

This bill clarifies that a petition for supervised release was pending if the court had not yet approved a plan for supervised release.

This bill also requires the Department of Health Services to identify any person on supervised release whose residence or proposed residence is not in his or her county of residence and whose plan for supervised release had not been approved as of March 30, 2018. If DHS identifies any such person, DHS must notify the court, and the court must revoke the person's supervised release and order the person's county of residence to prepare a new report.

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

