

2019 Legislative Session

Bills Introduced by the Legislature – Related to Safety and Buildings Programs or Industries (P. 1 of 4)				
Assembly	Senate	Topic	As of February 25, 2020	ARC Position
AB 44	SB 53	Installation of a barricade device on an interior door in a school building.	Both in Committee	Against
AB 202	SB 195	Prohibits the sale of novelty lighters to minors and prohibits the display for retail sale of novelty lighters in areas accessible to the general public.	Both in Committee	For
AB 261	SB 220	Allows certain public restrooms to be designated for use by both sexes.	Both in Committee	No Position
	SB 245	Applies the indoor smoking ban to vapor products and marijuana.	In Committee	No Position
AB 324	SB 303	Registration and scope of practice of interior designers, and rulemaking.	SB 303 passed the Senate on 1/21/20	No Position
AB 435	SB 396	Special code provisions for recreational and educational camps.	AB 435 passed the Assembly on 1/21/20 and passed the Senate on 2/19/20	No Position
AB 491	SB 442	Applies the indoor smoking ban to vapor products.	Both in Committee	No Position
AB 605	SB 541	Reports required from the DSPS on bills requiring occupational licenses.	SB 541 passed the Senate on 2/19/20	No Position
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AB 629	SB 690	Requires biennial reports regarding fees charged by executive state agencies.	SB 690 passed the Senate on 2/19/20	No Position
AB 655	SB 599	Regulation of home inspectors under Chapter 440, Wisconsin Statutes.	AB 655 passed Committee on 2/18/20 and passed the Assembly on 2/20/20	No Position
AB 665	SB 607	Authorizing the Wisconsin Propane Education and Research Council to levy an assessment.	AB 665 passed the Assembly on 2/20/20	For
AB 697	SB 625	Requiring the installation and identification of diaper changing stations in certain public buildings and places of employment, and allowing waivers.	Both in Committee	No Position
AB 759	SB 693	Requires certain buildings to include at least one “universal changing station” for use by an individual with a disability, and their care provider.	Both in Committee	No Position
AB 781	SB 699	Allows 24-month inspection frequency for certain chemical recovery boilers.	AB 781 passed the Assembly on 2/18/20	No Position
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<u>AB 791</u>	<u>SB 710</u>	Extending the private on-site wastewater treatment system replacement or rehabilitation grant program.	AB 791 passed the Assembly on 2/18/20	No Position
<u>AB 813</u>	<u>SB 746</u>	DSPS investigation of conviction records; not involving Stat. Chs. 101 & 145.	Both in Committee	No Position
<u>AB 815</u>	<u>SB 747</u>	Allowing the DSPS and attached credentialing boards to grant provisional credentials; not involving Stat. Chs. 101 & 145.	Both in Committee	No Position
<u>AB 827</u>		Requires disclosure regarding radon gas in real estate transactions for properties with one to four dwelling units.	In Committee	No Position
<u>AB 828</u>		Requires use of radon-resistant materials and techniques in new construction of commercial buildings, one- and two-family homes and modular homes.	In Committee	No Position
<u>AB 836</u>	<u>SB 777</u>	Regulating trampoline parks, and requiring an annual license.	Both in Committee	No Position
<u>AB 850</u>	<u>SB 764</u>	Modifying an administrative rule of the DSPS regarding renewal of a registered electrician enrollment for a youth apprentice.	SB 764 passed the Senate on 2/19/20	No Position
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<u>AB 851</u>	<u>SB 796</u>	Limits an agency to promulgating one permanent and one emergency rule per scope statement; allows withdrawal of scope statements; and clarifies that when a scope statement expires, an agency may not promulgate an emergency rule based upon that scope statement.	In Committee	No Position
<u>AB 852</u>	<u>SB 760</u>	Procedures for granting credentials by the DSPS and credentialing boards; not involving Stat. Chs. 101 & 145.	Both in Committee	No Position
<u>AB 884</u>	<u>SB 806</u>	Remedial legislation clarifies the definition of “public swimming pool” in Ch. 145, and allows adopted technical standards to be on file only at the Legislative Reference Bureau.	Both in Committee	No Position
	<u>SB 820</u>	Prohibits the DSPS from requiring plan examination for certain commercial buildings and plumbing systems.	In Committee	Against
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Acts Signed by Governor Evers				
2019 Act Number	Topic	Date of Enactment	Bill Number	Notes
<u>Act 9</u>	State Executive Budget	7/4/19	<u>AB 56</u>	Governor Evers vetoed the transfer of \$5,000,000 from the DSPS S&B account as the ARC requested.
<u>Act 38</u>	Prohibits local governments from requiring both electronic and paper UDC permit applications, and specifies acceptable paper application forms	11/21/19	<u>AB 117</u>	The ARC supported this legislation.
<u>Act 39</u>	Allowance of previous warning for fire, tornado, and school safety drills for public and private schools	11/21/19	<u>AB 54</u>	The ARC supported this legislation.
<u>Act 91</u>	Exception to Commercial Building Code for a stairway chair lift in a church constructed before 1919.	2/5/20	<u>AB 445</u>	
<u>Act 94</u>	Requires administrative rules to allow certain architect, professional engineer, designer and professional land surveyor credentials to be classified as retired.	2/5/20	<u>SB 156</u>	