

1 **AN ACT** *to create* 36.25 (49) of the statutes; **relating to:** a biofuels training
2 assessment.

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

JOINT LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL PREFATORY NOTE: This bill draft was prepared for the joint legislative council’s special committee on domestic biofuels. The bill draft requires the UW–Extension, in cooperation with other state entities, to conduct an educational needs assessment related to the production of biofuels and educational needs in this state related to the development and production of feedstocks for the production of biofuels, and to report its findings to the Governor and the Legislature.

3 **SECTION 1.** 36.25 (49) of the statutes is created to read:

36.25 (49) BIOFUELS TRAINING ASSESSMENT. (a) The University of Wisconsin—Extension, in cooperation with other programs of the University of Wisconsin System designated by the board, the department of workforce development, the office of energy independence, and the technical college system, shall assess educational needs in this state related to the production of biofuels and educational needs in this state related to the development and production of feedstocks for the production of biofuels.

(b) The extension shall report the findings from its assessment under par. (a) within 18 months of the effective date of this subsection [LRB inserts date] to the Governor and the standing committees of the Legislature that oversee issues related to renewable energy and agriculture under s. 13.172 (3).

14 (END)