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WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL SPECIAL COMMITTEE

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**CRIMINAL JUSTICE FUNDING AND STRATEGIES**

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**STUDY ASSIGNMENT:** The subcommittee is directed to develop recommendations relating to effective collaboration between the courts and other elements of the criminal justice system. The subcommittee should consider best practices and current effective programs in Wisconsin that have the goal of reducing costs, reducing recidivism, and increasing public safety.

**5 MEMBERS:** 1 Representative; and 4 Public Members.

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