

Wisconsin Legislature

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Honorable Brad Schimel Attorney General 17 W Main Street PO Box 7857 Madison, WI 53703-7857

Dear Attorney General Schimel:

In light of the recent unauthorized disclosure of sealed documents in a John Doe investigation, we are writing to request you consider the appointment of a special prosecutor to investigate this apparent violation of Supreme Court order and state law.

The disclosure of this information appears to violate state statute and an order of the Wisconsin Supreme Court. We believe this potential crime is of statewide nature, importance, and influence, and within your power to investigate. Should this potential crime go unprosecuted it runs the risk of undermining the integrity of our courts and judicial system.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Rep. Robin Vos Assembly Speaker

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Rep. John Nygren

Joint Finance Committee Co-Chair

89th Assembly District

Rep. Jim Steineke

Assembly Majority Leader

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