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SELECTIVE LIST OF RECENT ACQUISITIONS — MAY 2009

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This is a selection of new books, articles, Wisconsin agency documents, and other resources on topics of current concern in state government received this month. Most items are available for 4-week loan. A complete list of new acquisitions is located at <http://lrbcatalog.legis.wisconsin.gov> under the heading “Recent Library Acquisitions.”

LRB PUBLICATIONS

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NOTEWORTHY NEW PUBLICATIONS

CQ Researcher / Congressional Quarterly, Inc. Ref./309/C761a/2008 (library use only) Annual compilation of bi-weekly publication. Known for its “in-depth reports on issues in the news,” single parts of *CQ Researcher* are cataloged in the library collection.

★ *A Heavy Burden: The Hidden Cost of Health Insurance in Wisconsin* / Citizen Action of Wisconsin. 2008. 368.6/C49

Milwaukee Braves: Heroes and Heartbreak / William Povletich. 2009. HistS/m (available for short-term loan only)

The Race Between Education and Technology / Claudia Dale Goldin. 2008. 370/G56

The World Book Year Book / World Book, Inc. Ref./030/W89a/2009 (library use only) Many special reports featured, including the banking meltdown, economic crises, and 2008 elections.

ACQUISITIONS BY SUBJECT

AGRICULTURE

★ *Wisconsin Agricultural Statistics* / Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection. 630/W7k/2008

AIDS (DISEASE)

★ *Insurance Coverage and AIDS* / Wisconsin Office of the Commissioner of Insurance. 346.28/W7n/2009

Report to the Joint Committee on Finance: Purchase of HIV/AIDS Drugs for HIRSP Pilot Participants / Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services. 2008. HFS/HCF/r (library use only) Report mandated for submission to the Joint Committee on Finance by 2007 Wisconsin Act 20, the biennial budget.

AMERICAN LEGION

Proceedings of the ... Annual National Convention of the American Legion / American Legion. 359.2/Am3/2008

AUDIT REPORTS

★ *An Evaluation, Inmate Mental Health Care, Department of Corrections, Department of Health Services* / Wisconsin Legislative Audit Bureau. 2009. 365.41/W7b1

★ *Follow-Up on Overtime in State Agencies: Letter Report* / Legislative Audit Bureau. 2009. 331.81/W7b/pt.2

★ – Available online through LRBCat: <http://lrbcatalog.legis.wisconsin.gov>

CHILDREN

Annual Report, Special Needs Adoption Program / Wisconsin Division of Children and Family Services, Bureau of Programs and Policies. 2007. HFS/CFS/a (library use only) Report mandated by Wis. Stats. s. 46.03 (18) (a).

★ *Annual Report to the Governor and the Legislature on the Wisconsin Child Abuse and Neglect Act* / Wisconsin Department of Children and Families. 347.17/W7f1/2007

COURTS

“Limiting Lawsuits: Is Business Pushing Too Hard to Restrict Litigation?” / Congressional Quarterly, Inc., *CQ Researcher*, December 19, 2008. 345/C762d

DATA PROCESSING

Data Processing Projects Report to the Legislature / Wisconsin Department of Health Services. 2008. HFS/d (library use only) Report mandated by Wis. Stats. s. 46.03 (26).

DEAF

★ *Vocational Services for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Through a Comprehensive Service Center* / Hawaii Legislative Reference Bureau. 2009. 362.5/H31

DISCRIMINATION

Harassment/Discrimination Claims by Employees, Sec. 36.55 Cases / University of Wisconsin System. 2006-2008. UWSystem/h (library use only) Report mandated by Wis. Stats. s. 36.55.

DRUNKEN DRIVING

★ *Ignition Interlock Pilot Project: Preliminary Report to the Minnesota Legislature* / Minnesota Department of Public Safety. 2008. 380.781/M6j

★ *Statistical Analysis of Alcohol-Related Driving Trends, 1982-2005* / U.S. National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. 2008. 380.781/X23

ECONOMICS

“The Great Crash, 2008” / Roger C. Altman, *Foreign Affairs*, January/February 2009, p.2-14. 341.22/C831/2009/v.88/no.1 “The economic collapse of 2008, the worst in over 75 years, is a major geopolitical setback for the West. It has stripped Washington and European governments of the resources and credibility they need to maintain their roles in global affairs. These weaknesses will eventually be repaired, but in the meantime they will accelerate trends that are shifting the world’s center of gravity away from the United States.”

EMPLOYMENT

“The Millennial in the Cubicle” / Jonathan Walters, *Governing*, February 2009, p.40-42. 321/C761/2009/v.22/no.5 “A new generation of workers expects unfettered access to technology tools. They may end up changing the way governments operate.”

FARM MANAGEMENT

★ *Report to the Governor from the Wisconsin Organic Task Force* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection. 2005.

GASOLINE INDUSTRY

★ *Promoting Our Wisconsin Energy Resources: POWER Update* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection. 2006.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Higher Education: Funding and Tuition Rates / Illinois Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability. 2008. 377.2/X17

HOSPITALS

Standard Reports Produced by the Wisconsin Hospital Association Information Center Under Ch. 153, Wis. Stats. / Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services. 2007. HFS/s (library use only) Report mandated by Wis. Stats. s. 153.05 (2m).

HOURS OF WORK

★ *Follow-Up on Overtime in State Agencies: Letter Report* / Legislative Audit Bureau. 2009. 331.81/W7b/pt.2

INCOME TAX

★ *Federal and Wisconsin Income Tax Reporting Under the Marital Property Act* / Wisconsin Department of Revenue. 336.245/W7o/2008

★ *Wisconsin Earned Income Tax Credit: Summary for ...* / Wisconsin Department of Revenue, Division of Research and Policy. 361.8/W7b/2007

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

★ *State of Wisconsin Annual Economic Development Programs Report* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Commerce. 2008.

INSURANCE

★ “Expected Migration Impacts of the Healthy Wisconsin Program: New and Serious Challenges on the Horizon” / Wisconsin Policy Research Institute, *Wisconsin Policy Research Institute Report*, January 2009, v.22, no.1. 368.6/W752e

Framework for the Annual Report of the State Children’s Health Insurance Plans Under Title XXI of the Social Security Act / Wisconsin Division of Health Care Financing. 2006-2007. HFS/HCF/f (library use only) Report mandated for submission to the Legislature under Wis. Stats. s. 49.665.

★ *Health Insurance for Small Employers and Their Employees* / Wisconsin Office of the Commissioner of Insurance. 331.84/W7b1/2009

LEGISLATION

NCSL LegisBrief: Briefing Papers on the Important Issues of the Day / National Conference of State Legislatures. March 2009. 328/N21/2009/v.17/no.13-18

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| v.17, no.13: “Campaign for the Civic Mission of Schools” | v.17, no.16: “Absentee Voting for Military and Overseas Citizens” |
| v.17, no.14: “Investing in Healthy Babies” | v.16, no.17: “Tracking Cancer Screening Progress” |
| v.17, no.15: “Texting While Driving Could Spell D-A-N-G-E-R” | v.16, no.18: “Maintenance of Effort and Higher Education Spending” |

LEGISLATURES

★ *State Agency Staff Members with Responsibilities Related to the Legislature* / Wisconsin Legislative Council. 328.11/W7f/2009-2010

“Wisconsin Legislature: Exception or Norm?” / Wisconsin Taxpayers Alliance, *The Wisconsin Taxpayer*, August 2008. 328.11/W75b

LITERACY

★ *Highlights of the State Superintendent’s Adolescent Literacy Plan* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction. 2008.

MEDICAID

★ *Headed for a Crunch – An Update on Medicaid Spending, Coverage and Policy Heading Into an Economic Downturn: Results from a 50-State Medicaid Budget Survey for State Fiscal Years 2008 and 2009* / Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the Uninsured. 2008. 369.33/K12j

Medicaid Disease Management: States Turn to Private Sector Solutions to Improve Medicaid Programs / National Conference of State Legislatures. 2008. 369.33/N21t

MEDICAL CARE

“Stimulating Health IT” / *Health Affairs*, March/April 2009. 614.23/P94/2009/v.28/no.2

MOTOR VEHICLES

★ *Financial Responsibility Law for Motor Vehicle Accidents* / Wisconsin Legislative Council. 2009. 368.94/W7d1

NURSING HOMES

★*Report to the Legislature, Community Options Program, Community Options Program Waiver for Calendar Year* / Wisconsin Bureau of Aging and Long Term Support. 2007. HFS/SL/r (library use only)
Report mandated by Wis. Stats. s. 46.27 (11g) and s. 46.277 (5m).

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★*An Evaluation, Inmate Mental Health Care, Department of Corrections, Department of Health Services* / Wisconsin Legislative Audit Bureau. 2009. 365.41/W7b1

★*One in 31: The Long Reach of American Corrections* / Pew Center on the States. 2009. 365/P46a

★*Opportunities & Options: The Resource Guide* [Internet site (Digital Archive)] / Wisconsin Department of Corrections. 2007.

PUBLIC SAFETY

“Taking on Toys” / Garry Boulard, *State Legislatures*, October/November 2008, p.30-33. 328.11/N214/2008/v.34/no.9 “States are charging ahead with new regulations on children’s products even as the president takes action and industry cries foul.”

RELIGION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

★*Finding Common Ground: A First Amendment Guide to Religion and Public Schools* / Charles C. Haynes. 2007. 370.5/H33

TRANSPORTATION

★*Connections 2030: Statewide Long-range Transportation Plan* / Wisconsin Department of Transportation. 2008. Trans/TIM/t (library use only)

Joint Participating State Planning & Research Work Program / Wisconsin Department of Transportation. 380.4/W7j7/2008-2009

★*Transportation Improvement Program for the Fond du Lac Urbanized Area* / East Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission. 380.4/Ea7c/2009

Transportation Improvement Program for the Fox Cities (Appleton-Neenah) and Oshkosh Urbanized Areas / East Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission. 380.4/Ea7d/2009

U.S. FINANCE

★*Financial Report of the United States Government* / U.S. Department of the Treasury, Financial Management Service. 336.02/X1/2008

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

UW School of Medicine and Public Health Faculty Office Building: Final Environmental Impact Statement / University of Wisconsin-Madison, Medical Foundation. 2008. UW/Med/f (library use only)

VITAL STATISTICS

“Declining Birthrates: Will the Trend Worsen Global Economic Woes?” / Congressional Quarterly, Inc., *CQ Researcher*, November 21, 2008. 312/C761

★*Wisconsin County Health Rankings* / Wisconsin Public Health and Health Policy Institute. 614.01/W7q/2008

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

★*Public High School Pupils Attending Wisconsin Technical Colleges in ...* / Wisconsin Technical College System Board. 2000-2006. TCSB/p Report mandated by Wis. Stats. s. 38.04 (21), created under 1997 Wis. Act 27.

Annual and Biennial Reports of Wisconsin State Agencies

OFFICE OF THE SENATE CHIEF CLERK AND DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS

Biennial Report. 328.15/W7b/2007-2008

MIDWEST INTERSTATE LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMMISSION

Annual Report. 381.22/M58/2007-2008