



2021 ASSEMBLY BILL 681

October 29, 2021 - Introduced by Representatives SORTWELL, MOSES, ALLEN, BRANDTJEN, CABRAL-GUEVARA, KNODL, KUGLITSCH, PLUMER, ROZAR, SCHRAA, TUSLER, WICHGERS and THIESFELDT, cosponsored by Senators NASS, BERNIER and JACQUE. Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

1 **AN ACT to create** 102.03 (7) of the statutes; **relating to:** employer liability under
2 worker's compensation for mandatory or coerced COVID-19 vaccines.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill provides that, for the purposes of worker's compensation, an injury caused to an employee by a vaccine against the SARS-CoV-2 coronavirus that the employee was required by or coerced by his or her employer to receive is presumed to be caused by the individual's employment.

The presumption requires a diagnosis and may be rebutted by specific evidence that the injury was caused outside of employment.

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

3 **SECTION 1.** 102.03 (7) of the statutes is created to read:

4 102.03 (7) (a) For the purposes of benefits under this chapter, where an injury
5 to an employee is found to be caused by a vaccine against the SARS-CoV-2
6 coronavirus that the employee was required by or coerced by his or her employer to
7 receive, the injury is presumed to be caused by the individual's employment.

